Keeping Connected
On Friday, May 8th, several AFS Student Chapter officers met with FEF staff and committee members to discuss how FEF can help students connect with each other as well as industry personnel. We appreciated their thoughts and comments! It was encouraging to see so many passionate and driven students paving the way for our industry’s future!

As you know, due to Covid, many activities that would benefit students have been suspended like internships, courses, lab work, and industry activities. You are our most valuable asset, and we want to ensure you have access to everything you need to succeed. To work around this current situation, we will be hosting and scheduling multiple opportunities to help.

We encourage your comments, questions, and ideas as well as your involvement.

Virtual Mentorship Program
Interested in being paired with an industry professional that wants to work with you? Someone you can ask questions, get professional advice from, and help you network? Think about joining the Virtual Mentorship Program! If you are interested in the Virtual Mentorship Program, please contact the FEF Office [Nick@FEFinc.org]. We will have an industry professional reach out to you!

If there is a company you would like to be connected with for mentorship, please let us know! We will contact them for you and see if there is an opportunity.

Coffee Talks
We will be scheduling informal coffee talks through Zoom to provide an opportunity to get together to talk about projects, foundry, technology, and other topics!

These will be open to current students and recent graduates.

Activities
Other things to look forward to:
  • Virtual Plant Tours
  • Social Media Take Over
  • Trivia & Game Nights

THE FIRST STUDENT WEBINAR WILL BE ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3 AT 1:00PM CENTRAL TIME. THE SUBJECT WILL BE YOUR LINKEDIN PROFILE. WE WILL SEND A ZOOM LINK CLOSER TO THE DATE.

Webinars
Webinars will be scheduled at various times and will be between 30-45 minutes. Recordings of these will also be made available after the webinar for those who could not attend in person. Subjects will vary, but below are some examples. Feel free to let us know if there are any other topics you’d like to see addressed:

✓ Metallurgy [Phase Diagrams, Claims, Testing]
✓ 3D Investment Casting
✓ New Technologies
✓ CO2 Sodium Silicate Molding
✓ Recruiting Chapter Members
✓ Green Sand Molding
✓ Patterns/Tooling
✓ LinkedIn Profiles
✓ Data Mining
✓ Interviewing
✓ Cupolas
✓ Planning Student Chapter Activities