



The World's Forum for Aerospace Leadership

AIAA Region VI Student Conference and Paper Competition

Thursday Afternoon to Saturday Evening, April 17 – 19, 2008

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The American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA) sponsors the annual student conference as a means of encouraging students in aerospace and related fields to discuss research, exchange knowledge, and generate interest in the field of aerospace engineering. Papers are solicited for the annual AIAA Region VI (Western Region) Student Conference to be held at Arizona State University in Tempe, Arizona from Thursday 17 April through Saturday 19 April 2008.

There are three separate technical competitions sponsored by AIAA National Organization: the undergraduate individual competition, the graduate level individual competition, and the team competition. Each competition requires an abstract, paper, and presentation. Monetary prizes are \$500 for 1st place, \$300 for 2nd, and \$250 for 3rd. Individual papers shall have no more than two student authors or one student and one faculty advisor as the second author. If there is one undergraduate and one graduate student, the paper shall be presented in the master's category.

Contact Information:

Conference URL: <http://region6.aiaastudentconference.org/>

Local Section Organization: Mark Longanbach <Mark@oxy-web.com>

Student Organizer: Kelly Mahon <kelly.s.mahon@gmail.com>

Faculty Advisor: Professor Ronald L Bengelink, Faculty Advisor

Important Dates:

February 25, 2008 Abstracts due

March 24, 2008 Papers due

April 10, 2008 Registration deadline.

April 17 - 19, 2008 Conference.

Competition Categories:

Undergraduate Paper & Presentation – 3 Awards

Graduate Paper & Presentation – 3 Awards

Team Paper & Presentation – 3 awards

This category is for papers that have more than 2 authors – please note that a paper is required. One presenter per 1st place paper will be awarded a trip.

1st Place winners in the each of the categories will also receive an expense paid trip to the AIAA International Student Conference & Aerospace Sciences Conference and Exhibit (Orlando, Florida) in January 2009 papers. In the case of dual author papers, one author will be offered the trip.

PLEASE see complete rules and requirements on the www.aiaastudentconference.org website!