**BAE E-News**  
Week of September 10, 2012

**PUBLICATIONS:**


**BANGLADESH PROJECT:**
A USDA Project Award has been given to Dr. Mahbub Alam, BAE emeritus professor, entitled Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Capacity Building Project for Bangladesh. The USDA-FAS (Foreign Agricultural Services) has awarded this project to assess the SPS capacity of Bangladesh and needs for enhancing SPS capacity. Dr. Alam visited Bangladesh along with experts on SPS matters from USDA-FAS, US-FDA (Food and Drug Administration), USDA-APHIS (Animal and Plant Health Inspection Services), and US-AID as a part of the assessment process and collection of information. Dr. Alam has submitted his preliminary report to USDA. The report is expected to be available for general viewing after approval of the draft by the sponsor of the project.

**BAE TEE SHIRTS:**
Orders for BAE tee shirts are currently being taken. Long-sleeve, short-sleeve, black, and white in sizes extra small (youth large) and small to extra-large (adult unisex sizes); 2X and 3X are available for an additional charge of $1.50 and $3.00, respectively. The most you would pay for a short-sleeve shirt is $9.75 and $14.85 for a long-sleeve shirt, plus sales tax of 8.55%. Orders will be taken now through 4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 21. Extra shirts will NOT be ordered by the department. Now is the time to order a BAE tee shirt as we will not order any more until Fall 2013. Students: These shirts make nice, inexpensive holiday gifts for your parents! Artwork for the shirt is attached to the order sheet which is available in Seaton 129. Payment will be due when the shirts are delivered. If you have any questions, please contact Barb Moore at 785-532-2900 or bjmoore2@ksu.edu.

**BAE 815 SEMINAR:**
Mr. Jeremy Meeks and Ms. Katie Talley will be the presenters in BAE 815 this Thursday beginning at 3:30 p.m. in DUR 1061. Mr. Meeks’ presentation is titled Environmental Challenges in Petroleum Refining: An Internship Experience; Ms. Talley’s presentation is titled Mass Balance Development for an FGD Waste Remediation Constructed Wetland.

**BAE 815 SEMINAR – Schedule Change:**
The schedule for BAE 815 Seminar has changed for September 20. BAE graduate students have been asked to attend the lecture The Art and Science of Teaching to be presented by Bryce Lane. The presentation begins at 3:00 p.m. in Forum Hall at the K-State Student Union.

**TIME TO CHANGE PASSWORD FOR eIDs:**
Now through September 12 is the deadline to change your eID password. To change your password, sign in on the eid.k-state.edu website. Click “Change your eID password” and follow the steps. After changing your K-State eID password, please update your College of Engineering password to match your new eID password at: http://password.engg.ksu.edu. Passwords can be 7 to 30 characters (letters, numbers, and/or punctuation marks); and must contain characters from 3 of the 4 following categories: uppercase letters, lowercase letters, numbers, special characters (!, @, #, $, %, ^, &, *, etc.); must have at least 5 different characters; cannot be based on a computing ID or real name; cannot be an identifiable work, name, eID, acronym, or K-State related name; can be a multi-word phrase; cannot be one of the 4 million+ words known and used by hacker programs to break into accounts. Go to https://eid.k-state.edu/eProfile/jsp/password/faq.jsp#required for password requirements. **REMEMBER: K-State will NEVER ask for your password via e-mail. Any message that asks for your password is a phishing scam and should be deleted immediately.**

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:**
“The soul without imagination is what an observatory would be without a telescope.”  
---Henry Ward Beecher

**LOOKING AHEAD:**
September 10 – Last day to drop with 100% refund; last day of enrollment on iSIS—need to complete Add/Drop forms  
September 13 – Fall Convocation, 3:00 p.m., Fiedler Auditorium  
September 13 – COE Faculty/Staff Welcome Back BBQ, Engineering Plaza, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
September 17 – Last day to drop with 50% refund
September 18 – COE Banquet, Alumni Center, 5:30-8:30 p.m.
September 18-19 – All University Career Fair, Bramlage, 11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
September 21 – Spring 2013 course schedule available on web
September 24 – Last day to drop a course without a “W” being recorded
September 28 – State of the University Address, Alumni Center Ballroom, 3:30 p.m.
October 4 – Study Abroad Forum, Fiedler Hall, 4:30-6:00 p.m.
October 8 – COE Scholarship Day, Forum Hall, Engineering Complex, 8:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
October 22 – Enrollment for Spring 2013 begins
October 26 – Last day to drop a course
October 25-27 – COE Advisory Council
November 19-21 Student Holiday
November 22-23 – Student/University Holiday
December 7 – Last day of Fall 2012 classes
December 7 - Graduate School Commencement
December 8 – Undergraduate Commencement
December 8 – Graduation Reception, 12:00-2:00; Order of the Engineer
December 10-14 – Finals Week
December 18 – Deadline for submitting grades into iSIS – 5:00 p.m.; 4:00 p.m. through KSOL
December 19 – Grades available in iSIS
December 24-25 – University Holiday

Please submit your news and travel information to Barb Moore bjmoore2@ksu.edu