CONGRATULATIONS!
The faculty and staff of the Department of Biological and Agricultural Engineering congratulate all of our graduating students on their accomplishments at K-State and wish them much success in the future!

Graduate Students:
Ningbo Li, Ph.D. – Xuzhou, Jiangsu, China
Leidy Peña, Ph.D. – Medellin, Colombia
Phillip Denker, MS – Lee’s Summit, MO
Justine Sullivan, MS – Lakin, KS

ATM Graduates:
Robert Byer – Onaga, KS
Joshua DeWerff – Ellinwood, KS
Daniel Hess – Lenexa, KS
Derek McKinney – Weska, KS
Cody Rethman – Seneca, KS

BSE Graduates:
Darryl Bell, Jr. – Lee’s Summit, MO
Lisa Hillstock – Manhattan, KS
Kaitlyn Jordan – Troy, KS
Elizabeth Lowry – Ft. Leavenworth, KS
Bradley McVey – Fredonia, KS
Erin Ogle – Greenfield, MO
Tanner Peroutek – Esbon, KS

2014 K-STATE RESEARCH FORUM: Call for Abstracts
The Graduate Student Council is currently accepting abstracts for the annual K-State Research Forum to be held on Wednesday, March 26, 2014 in the K-State Student Union. K-State graduate and undergraduate students from all disciplines are invited to participate in either a poster or an oral presentation. K-State faculty will serve as judges and will select the top presenters to receive awards. Submission deadline is 11:59 p.m. CST on Friday, December 20, 2013. For more information on registration, abstract submission instructions and materials, to go: http://www.k-state.edu/grad/students/studentcouncil/research-forums/

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:
“It is not in the stars to hold our destiny but in ourselves.”
--William Shakespeare

LOOKING AHEAD:
December 16-20 – Finals week
December 23 – Deadline (5:00 p.m.) for submitting final grades into iSIS (4:00 p.m. if through KSOL)
December 24 – Final grades available in iSIS
December 25 – University holiday
January 1 – University holiday
January 20 – University holiday
January 21 – Spring 2014 semester begins – $50 fee for late enrollment begins
January 27 – Last day to add a course without instructor permission
February 10 – Last day for 100% refund for a regular session course
February 14 – Summer/Fall 2014 course schedule on web
February 17 – Last day for 50% refund for a regular session course; Spring Census Day
February 25 – Last day to drop a regular session course without a W being recorded
March 17-21 – Spring Break!
March 24 – Enrollment for Summer/Fall 2014 begins
March 31 – Last day to drop a regular session course
April 4-5 – 92nd College of Engineering Open House
April 5 – All University Open House
April 25 – Last day for graduate students to confirm (online) May commencement attendance; last day for graduate students to submit documents for May graduation
May 9 – Spring 2014 semester ends
May 12-16 – Finals Week
May 16 – Graduate School Commencement
May 17 – Undergraduate Commencement

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