

Reunion Programs

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Dear '52 Classmate,

It was **60 years ago** that you and 180 young graduate mechanical engineers departed Hoboken to make careers in American industry. Stevens had exposed us to all the pertinent technical specialties then current - from Powder Metallurgy to Organic Chemistry, from Mechanical Design to Steam Power Engineering. Thus armed, and with a bit of wit, we have made contributions to the prospering of America - and to ourselves.

It is time to celebrate our success, to recollect the friends, events, enriching experiences of these six decades and to realize the momentum we have engendered. More than 100 of us are still technically taxed: chemically (pills), intellectually (programs) and mechanically (transport).

June 1-3, 2012, Stevens Alumni Weekend, is time to put pressures aside—to Celebrate Success!

Late in December we advised you of tentative plans for 1952's sixtieth anniversary. As we approach "GO," it's time to obtain commitments so that we can accommodate all participants. We ask for your prompt response to the enclosed form, noting your "significant other" is to be counted.

Funding for '52 specific expenses (including distribution of class data, memorial events, souvenirs) is to be met by a petty cash fund to be received and managed by Ed Michonski '52 (Mail your personal check to Ed Michonski at 10 Ann Road, Long Valley, NJ 07853. On the lower left of the check, note "60th anniversary expenses.") As in the past, any excess will be contributed to the '52 Memorial Scholarship Fund. Bob Mahran and Charlie Kientzler will audit the transactions. An amount of \$50 is suggested.

Costs for overnights at Stevens, the Alumni Dinner Dance, and other activities will be assessed and collected by the Stevens Alumni Association. Please promptly register at www.stevens.edu/alumniweekend.

This year's fundraising efforts will be focused on furthering the support of the **Class of '52 Endowed Scholarship Fund**, which will provide necessary support for current and future students at Stevens—the kind of support that many of us needed to get an outstanding Stevens education ourselves! The participation goal for the Class of 1952 Gift is 50% of the class (52 donors). We acknowledge that this is a lofty objective for our class, but we know we can achieve it with everyone's support.

You can make your commitment today by using the enclosed response envelope or by visiting www.stevens.edu/makeagift. Alumni participation is also an important standard used by media and organizations when ranking colleges and universities relative to one another and when foundations look at supporting initiatives at the school. By supporting the class gift, we signal to other alumni and the broader community that we believe in the Stevens mission: providing an excellent education and environment that prepares students to excel in their future endeavors.

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As we noted in our December announcement, we sincerely wish that all class members will participate in our Sixtieth. Whether in Hoboken or at home, please contact a classmate and see what you can bring out of the gray stuff regarding those very important years in our young lives.

Your Committee,

Charlie Kientzler, Ed Kraft, Bob Macmillan, Bob Mahran, Ed Michonski, Erwin Muller, Bill Silvestri, Ed Wilson, Bob Wolf.

Class of '52 Reunion Survey

«Name» '52

«Line1»

«Line2»

«Line3»,

«City», «State» «Zip_Code»

«Country»

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| 1. | Plan to be overnight in a Stevens Dorm on 6/1 | Yes No |
| 2. | Plan to attend the '52 Hoboken Bus Tour 6/2 AM | Yes No |
| 3. | Will spend time in the '52 Hospitality Suite 6/2 AM | Yes No |
| 4. | Will spend time in the '52 Hospitality Suite 6/2 PM | Yes No |
| 5. | Will attend the '52 Presentations in our Hospitality Suite 6/2 (Memorial Scholarship, Gift. Souvenir) | Yes No |
| 6. | Will attend the '52 luncheon 6/2 | Yes No |
| 7. | Will attend the new SIT President's speech | Yes No |
| 8. | Will attend Stevens Facility tours 6/2 | Yes No |
| 9. | Will attend the Alumni Dinner Dance | Yes No |
| 10. | Will plan to be overnight in a Stevens Dorm 6/2 | Yes No |

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STEVENS CLASS OF 1952 60TH REUNION INFORMATION SHARING EVENT SURVEY

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT WE, AS CLASS MEMBERS AND FAMILY, HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO SHARE MEMORIES AND PHOTOS. WE WILL HAVE THAT OPPORTUNITY AT THE JUNE 1-3 ALUMNI WEEKEND REUNION. THE MOUNT OF INFORMATION WE SHARE WILL DEPEND UPON YOUR INPUT.

MY ROLE AS CLASS SECRETARY AND CLASS LOG EDITOR WILL BE COMPILING THAT INFORMATION. IT WILL INCLUDE: THE MEMORIAL HONOR ROLE, INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY YOU IN THIS SURVEY, SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION FROM PREVIOUS REUNIONS, CLASS LOGS, PHOTOS AND COLLEGE PUBLICATIONS

HERE IS HOW EACH YOU CAN ASSIST IN THAT EFFORT:

YOUR FAVORITE MEMORY FROM YOUR UNDERGRADUATE YEARS (2 TO 3 SENTENCES).

THE ACHIEVEMENT SINCE GRADUATION THAT HAS GIVEN YOU THE GREATEST AMOUNT OF SATISFACTION (2 TO 3 SENTNCES).

A SIGNIFICANT FAMILY OR COMMUNITY EVENT YOU WOULD LIKE TO SHARE (2 TO 3 SENTENCES).

SEVERAL FAIRLY RECENT PHOTOS (IDENTIFYING THOSE IN THE PHOTOS)

YOU CAN EITHER MAIL THIS INFORMATION TO ME AT:

ROBERT F. WOLF
3740 BROADVIEW ROAD
WEST LAFAYETTE, IN 47906

OR EMAIL IT TO ME AT robertfandjowolf@comcast.net (Attachments can be doc, JPG, or PDF files) **PLEASE SEND BY NO LATER THAN APRIL 24, 2012**

YOU CAN CALL ME AT 765-497-3853
YOUR CLASS SECRETARY AND LOG EDITOR, BOB WOLF