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**2012-2013 Officers**

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- Yuan Chen
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- Kristopher Davis
- Michael corridor
- Robert Sims
- Sihui He
- Guangming Tao
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- Farnood K. Rezaie
- Benjamin Webb
- Hasa Kondakci
- Matthew Webb
- Chatdanai Lumdee
- Ming Wei
- Kristopher Davis
- Charles Williams
Chapter Activities for February 2012 – February 2013

Tea Time Series
A series of short, informal afternoon discussions were planned using locally known business leaders and entrepreneurs to provide career development tips and insight on industry in the Orlando area.

10-26-2012 Alan Symmons (Lightpath Technologies): Alan was invited to speak both on his history of pivoting from various technology corporations over the years, what it takes to survive the bankruptcy of a company. In the end, some interesting stories were shared on the survival of Lightpath over the years, and some good career advice was given.

12-13-2012 Brandon Lojewski (Mesdi Systems, Inc): Brandon is both a graduate student at UCF, and the founder of his own startup. He was invited to speak on his experiences in starting a business and on pivoting from graduate school to post graduation.

SPIE Visitor
On 11-29-2012, Marc Himmel from SPIE visited CREOL in order to gain valuable insight on what members desired from a professional society such as SPIE. Around 15 people attended, and spoke on what SPIE was doing well for them, and what additional services they would desire. Pizza was provided using funds from the CREOL SPIE student chapter.
Social Hour
1-25-2013: Cohosted with other CREOL student societies, such as CAOS and the UCF chapter of OSA, the social hour provides a much needed time for student socializing. SPIE provided funds for snacks and beverages.

Optics Week/UCF@50
2-25-2013: Every year, CAOS (The CREOL Association of Optics Students) hosts an open house at CREOL. The event is designed to provide outreach to the local UCF community and visitors (young students) from the local Orlando area. During the event, lab tours and demos are prepared, with SPIE providing some volunteer help to assist CAOS. This year, the event lasted a full week to simultaneously celebrate UCF’s 50th anniversary.

To assist with the outreach, SPIE hosted a KHET tournament. The winner of the tournament earned themselves a KHET board. The event was widely successful, with approximately 14 people participating in the tournament and a handful of spectators arriving. SPIE provided funds for food and drinks, and purchased a KHET board to be given to the winner of the tournament.

Planned Future Events
The SPIE Tea Series has been successful in drawing students to the events, but has been difficult to find speakers for. The SPIE student chapter therefore plans on inviting more speakers from outside of the Orlando area, and providing a more focused

Funds will continue to be allocated for the CREOL social hour, and for future Optics Days. The social hour continues to be a favorite, and with food costs shared amongst the various student organizations, it continues to be a low cost endeavor for student outreach and bonding. Optics day likewise continues to be a very successful community outreach program and relies mainly on volunteers for its success.

In previous years, SPIE has generously supported and provided volunteers for Expanding Your Horizons (EYH), a community outreach program focused on young girls interested in science. Although no involvement was given this year, funds are allocated next year and a larger effort will be given to generate volunteers to help with the event.

This year, SPIE will be celebrating its 15th year as a student organization at UCF. To celebrate the event, a party will be hosted. During the party, it is expected during the party that KHET games will be played, trivia games regarding SPIE history and general optics knowledge, and a movie will be shown. SPIE will provide funds for food and beverages for the event, along with some candy prizes for the people who know the most trivia.
# Financial Information

Starting Funds as of 2/1/2012: $1674.30

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Ending Balance as of 2/28/2012: $1321.64