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Wind Science and Engineering Research Center

Bi-Weekly Newsletter: Faculty, Staff, and Ph.D. Student Updates

WiSE Students Recognized for Outstanding Progress with Kishor and Mary Ann Mehta Scholarship 2012

Two WiSE Ph.D. program students have been recognized for outstanding academic progress during the past school year with financial support from the Kishor and Mary Ann Mehta Scholarship.

Joseph Dannemiller, a WiSE Ph.D. student who started in 2007, was recognized for his successful publication record, and his research progress in "concurrent analysis of wind and surge loads to determine the progression of total structural collapse in wood frame residential construction."

Rachit Mathur, a WiSE Ph.D. student who started in 2010, was recognized for his papers and presentations, and his research progress in "LIDAR-enhanced pitch control modeling and analysis for optimized wind turbine performance."



Top (left to right): Joseph Dannemiller and Rachit Mathur. Bottom (left to right): Dr. Kishor Mehta and Mary Ann Mehta.







New Deal High School Pays WiSE A Visit



Students from New Deal High School visited the WiSE research facilities just before the semester finished recently.

The group was there to learn about the innovative cutting edge research projects that are being investigated with WiSE scientists and to learn more about possible career choices.

As always, thank you to all who were involved with this tour.



We Have Two New WiSE Employees!

WiSE has added two more members to its team with David Kroeker, WiSE Research Scientist, and Coby Shelton, Senior Technician, who will both be working at the WiSE research facilities at Reese.

Welcome to Team WiSE!

AWEA WindPower 2012

WiSE sent a contingent of faculty, staff and students to the 2012 AWEA conference in Atlanta this year.

(L-R): Drs. Rolando Vega and Kevin Walter, both WiSE alum, Dr. Andy Swift, Professor with WiSE, and Dr. John Schroeder, Director of WiSE.

(Photo credit: Carol Ann Stanley, WiSE.)



New WiSElette Arrives!

WiSE faculty associate and Assistant Professor Dr. Delong Zuo and his wife welcomed the arrival of new Zuo family member, Hanning Zuo, who was born on Saturday, June 02. She weighed 6 lb 10 oz and was 19 inches in length.

Big brother, Hansong, has been very excited and always wanting to help!

Both baby and parents are doing fine.



Congratulations!



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