Division Objective
To provide a forum for the interchange of ideas between those people interested in lower division engineering. We promote scholarly work relating to educational activities for first-year engineering students.

About Us!
https://sites.asee.org/fpd/

Common Topics:
Methods of integrating Design Problem-solving Computing Student success and more! into the first-year experience

Contact Us!
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ASEE 2021 CONFERENCE - DRAFT PAPERS DUE 3/8!
- Draft papers are now due Monday, Mar. 8, 2021. This is because the conference dates have also changed from June 27–30 to July 26–29.
- Note that FPD submissions must follow the FPD Paper Template. The template is available here (or through the FPD ASEE website!)
- Questions? Contact the 2021 Program Chair for the First-Year Programs Division, Tim Hinds – hinds@msu.edu

2021 FPD GRANT ANNOUNCEMENT
We are excited to open the application form for the 2021 FPD Engineering Educator Grant! This is the inaugural year of the grant and we are eager to start this program to assist individuals in engaging with the First-Year Program Division at the ASEE Annual Conference and Exhibition.

Each grant consists of reimbursement of receipted registration, travel, food and accommodation expenses up to a maximum of $1500. Those applicants that can provide evidence of financial need for support to attend the conference will be prioritized in consideration for this award. Furthermore, grant recipients are expected to attend the full duration of the conference, including the FPD Meeting, and at least one FPD Technical Session.

To apply for the 2021 FPD Engineering Educator Grant (and for more information about the application process, eligibility, deadlines, etc.), please use this Google Form. Applications are due by Friday, February 19, 2021.

FPD at KEEN
If you are presenting at the KEEN National Conference coming up in February, please provide your session title and a link to your card using the form linked below. We will circulate the list to FPD in advance of the conference. https://forms.gle/Tr9frLa1r81C6ZtB9

FUTURE FYEE CONFERENCE HOSTS
FYEE is presently recruiting hosts for the 2025 and 2026 FYEE conferences. Review the FYEE Host Proposal Guidelines and prepare a FYEE Host Proposal Form. Submit your proposal including your Budget Plan through this form by 5:00 pm EDT, May 31st, 2021. For more information and details of past conferences, please see the FYEE webpage or contact FYEE Steering Committee chair, Blake Hylton at j-hylton@onu.edu

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENTS
Case Western Reserve University is seeking a qualified candidate to fill a non-tenure track faculty position: Instructor and Assistant Director of the Roger E. Susi First-Year Engineering Experience. The full-time, 12-month academic position will involve both teaching and administrative duties within the Division of Engineering Leadership and Professional Practice in the Case School of Engineering at Case Western Reserve University. The assistant director director will teach hands-on courses in the new First-Year Engineering Experience and manage program activities. Qualifications include a graduate degree in engineering or a related field and three years teaching experience. For best consideration, please apply by January 30, 2021. For more details, please see https://case.edu/academic-careers/instructor-and-assistant-director-first-year-engineering-experience-case-school-engineering or contact Kurt Rhoads, Associate Professor and search chair: krr38@case.edu

Looking forward, we hope you will join us at the 2021 ASEE Annual Conference at Long Beach, CA and the 2021 FYEE Conference at the University of Maryland!