

February 12, 2020

Dear Admitted College of Engineering Student,

Hello from NC State Engineering—we are excited about the possibility of you joining our Wolfpack Family! On behalf of the NC State University Women and Minority Engineering Program (WMEP) Office, I am pleased to invite you to visit campus and learn more about what NC State has to offer you. To assist you in determining if NC STATE is the right place for you, WMEP will host an overnight stay for admitted minority students on **Friday, March 20, 2020**. The Overnight Recruitment Stay will allow students to see first-hand what life as an engineering student entails and gain insight into the opportunities available for a successful undergraduate career at NC State University. Prospective students will be paired with current minority engineering students for the overnight stay. This event will be held in conjunction with the Experience NC State event on Friday, March 20, 2020. Experience NC State is an optional visitation day designed exclusively for admitted students to help you make NC State your choice. Discover all the opportunities that await you when you become part of the Wolfpack! The Experience NC State event will include academic and student life sessions, a student panel, campus tours, as well as access to many other resources to help you decide if NC State will be your home for the next four years. Finally, on Saturday, March 21, 2020, Overnight Recruitment Stay participants are invited to attend the College of Engineering Annual Open House.

### Event Registration

You may register for the Overnight Recruitment Stay at <https://go.ncsu.edu/overnightstay20>. **Please do not register for Experience NC State. Your registration for the WMEP Overnight Stay covers your Experience NC State registration, as well.** The deadline to register and submit required forms is **Monday, March 2, 2020**. You will receive an email or phone call confirming your registration once submitted. Please note: The WMEP Office will be closed during Spring Break, March 9-13, 2020. Email/phone confirmations will resume on Tuesday, March 17<sup>th</sup>.

### Pre-Arrival Information

Please visit [www.engr.ncsu.edu/wmep/mep/](http://www.engr.ncsu.edu/wmep/mep/) to view additional details about the WMEP Overnight Recruitment Stay.

#### Required Forms

1. Permission and Release Form;
2. Medical Form (copy of medical insurance card is required).

### Mail completed forms by Monday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> to:

Women and Minority Engineering Programs  
ATTN: Kimberly Pender  
21 Current Drive  
Campus Box 7904, 120 Page Hall  
Raleigh, NC 27695-7904

Please note: We will not be able to make copies of medical insurance cards at check-in. Forms may be faxed prior to the event. Send fax to the attention of Mrs. Kimberly Pender, WMEP Program Coordinator, to 919.515.8702.

### **Overnight Stay Arrival & Check-in on Friday, March 20**

You will check-in for the Experience NC State event in the Talley Student Center between 8:00-9:00 a.m. Experience NC State activities will end at 11:50 a.m. The WMEP Overnight Recruitment Stay will begin at 12:15 p.m. with registration and lunch at the StateView Hotel located 2451 Alumni Drive, Raleigh, NC 27606.

### **WMEP Overnight Stay Activities on Friday, March 20 (specifics will be shared with students after registering for the event)**

#### *Students*

Admitted students will be paired with current minority engineering students during check-in at the StateView Hotel. Your assigned student host will attend WMEP Overnight Stay events and stay with you in your assigned room. All admitted students and hosts will stay at the StateView Hotel under the supervision of WMEP staff. Students are also strongly encouraged to bring spending money.

#### *Parents*

Parents are invited to participate in WMEP Overnight Recruitment Stay activities starting with lunch at 12:15 p.m. and ending at 5:00 p.m. A Parent Chat with the MEP Director is scheduled from 4:00 pm – 5:00 p.m.

#### *Catered Lunch Details*

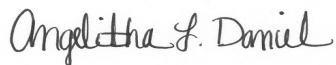
Activities for Friday afternoon include a catered lunch. The Women and Minority Engineering Programs Office will cover the cost of lunch for each student and two guests. Each additional guest will be required to pay \$5.00. A check or money order, for the cost of each additional guest, should be made payable to North Carolina State Engineering Foundation, Inc. Money will be collected during registration/check-in.

#### **Lodging for Parents**

Parents/Guardians needing hotel accommodations may make lodging reservations at one of the many hotels located near campus. A list of lodging options are provided here: <https://admissions.ncsu.edu/visit/schedule-your-visit/#lodging>. The hotels listed are within a 3-mile radius of campus and many extend a NC State rate. Be sure to ask about the rate when making your reservation. If you are unable to secure lodging, please contact us for assistance.

If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact Kimberly Pender, WMEP Program Coordinator, for any additional information. You may contact her directly via email at [engr-wmepprograms@ncsu.edu](mailto:engr-wmepprograms@ncsu.edu) or via phone at (919) 515.9635. For more information on NC State's Minority Engineering Programs Office, please visit our web site at <http://www.engr.ncsu.edu/mep/>.

Sincerely,



Angelitha L. Daniel  
Director, Minority Engineering Programs

cc: Laura Bottomley  
Kimberly Pender