Fall 2010 Evaluation----Initial Report

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1. If you attended the SAS workshop in Fall 2010, how satisfied were you on the content and level/scope of the workshop?

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| # | Answer | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | Response | % |
| 1 | Very Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 2 | Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 3 | Neutral | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 4 | Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 6 | 55% |
| 5 | Very Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 2 | 18% |
| 6 | Didn't attend | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 3 | 27% |

2. If you attended the LINGO workshop in Fall 2010, how satisfied were you on the content and level/scope of the workshop?

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| 1 | Very Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 2 | Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 3 | Neutral | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 2 | 18% |
| 4 | Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 2 | 18% |
| 5 | Very Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 2 | 18% |
| 6 | Didn't attend | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 5 | 45% |
|  | Total |  | 11 | 100% |

3. If you attended the Arena workshop in Fall 2010, how satisfied were you on the content and level/scope of the workshop?

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| # | Answer | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | Response | % |
| 1 | Very Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 2 | Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 3 | Neutral | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 1 | 9% |
| 4 | Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 6 | 55% |
| 5 | Very Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 3 | 27% |
| 6 | Didn't attend | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 1 | 9% |
|  | Total |  | 11 | 100% |

4. If you attended Dr. David Ross's presentation at 8AM on November 3, how satisfied were you on the content and the level of his presentations?

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| # | Answer | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | Response | % |
| 1 | Very Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 2 | Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 3 | Neutral | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 4 | Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 2 | 18% |
| 5 | Very Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 3 | 27% |
| 6 | Didn't Attend | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 6 | 55% |
|  | Total |  | 11 | 100% |

5. If you attended Dr. David Ross's informal meeting with S-COAM students, did you find the discussions and information useful?

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| # | Answer | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | Response | % |
| 1 | Very Useless | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 2 | Useless | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 3 | Neutral | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 4 | Useful | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 3 | 27% |
| 5 | Very Useful | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 5 | 45% |
| 6 | Didn't Attend | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 3 | 27% |
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6. If you attended the Career Workshop, how satisfied were you on the content and the information provided in this workshop?

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| 1 | Very Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 2 | Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 3 | Neutral | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 1 | 9% |
| 4 | Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 1 | 9% |
| 5 | Very Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 3 | 27% |
| 6 | Didn't Attend | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 6 | 55% |
|  | Total |  | 11 | 100% |

7. Did participation in the scholarship group increase your feelings of connection with other mathematics and science students?

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| # | Answer | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | Response | % |
| 1 | Yes | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 10 | 91% |
| 2 | No (Please enter your suggestions for improvement.) | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 1 | 9% |
|  | Total |  | 11 | 100% |

8. Did participation in the scholarship group increase your ability to network with other students?

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| # | Answer | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | Response | % |
| 1 | Yes | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 11 | 100% |
| 2 | No (Please enter your suggestions for improvement.) | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
|  | Total |  | 11 | 100% |

9. Did participation in the scholarship group increase your ability to network with more faculty?

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| # | Answer | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | Response | % |
| 1 | Yes | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 10 | 91% |
| 2 | No (Please enter your suggestions for improvement.) | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 1 | 9% |
|  | Total |  | 11 | 100% |

10. Did you find the monthly meetings improved your motivation to work hard and succeed in your classes?

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| 1 | Yes | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 8 | 73% |
| 2 | No (Please enter your suggestions for improvement.) | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 3 | 27% |
|  | Total |  | 11 | 100% |

11. We value your input to improve the activities organized through the S-COAM program. The result of this survey will be collected anonymously.

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12. Did you find the monthly meetings improved your commitment to continue with your current academic program?

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| # | Answer | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | Response | % |
| 1 | Yes | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 10 | 91% |
| 2 | No (Please enter your suggestions for improvement.) | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 1 | 9% |
|  | Total |  | 11 | 100% |

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| No (Please enter your suggestions for improvement.) |
| I was unable to attend most meetings due to class conflicts. |

13. Did you find MentorNet to be beneficial? (scale of satisfaction)

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| # | Answer | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | Response | % |
| 1 | Very Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 2 | Dissatisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 2 | 18% |
| 3 | Neutral | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 2 | 18% |
| 4 | Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 4 | 36% |
| 5 | Very Satisfied | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 3 | 27% |
|  | Total |  | 11 | 100% |

14. If you were not part of the S-COAM program, how likely is it that you would have participated in any of the workshops/colloquia/conference activities?

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| 1 | Very Unlikely | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 3 | 27% |
| 2 | Unlikely | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 3 | 27% |
| 3 | Possibly | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 5 | 45% |
| 4 | Likely | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
| 5 | Very Likely | |  |  | | --- | --- | |  |  | | 0 | 0% |
|  | Total |  | 11 | 100% |

15. What other services on MentorNet did you find beneficial?

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| Text Response |
| I only used MentorNet to communicate with my mentor via email. It was beneficial being able to talk to a woman who works hard to give herself a good life. My mentor gave a lot of tips for interviews and for choosing a job. |
| MentorNet provided a good resource for obtaining opinions from outside the typical 4-year university setting. |
| My mentor is very helpful and can give me a lot of advice since she is a female in engineering. |
| I did not use any of the other services. |
| Honestly, I had used MentorNet but very slightly. I had difficulty obtaining a mentor, and then the mentor I had been assigned had very limited responses and took an increasingly long amount of time between each message. I believe the service can be extremely useful, and this semester I am going to be requesting a new mentor. |
| Career advice, resume help, graduate school advice |
| I found MentorNet to be somewhat beneficial to me. My mentor and I only communicate about once a month and it is pretty much just to say "hello". It is nice to have someone to turn to with questions, but for me personally, I do not think it is worth the money that is spent on it. |
| I found the emails on tips on how to succeed helpful, such as managing your time as well as topic suggestions for emails. |
| I like the idea of MentorNet but the website could definitely use some improvements. Updating profiles and navigating the page was very inefficient. The matching of mentor to student could also use some adjustments. I found that there were mentors that did not meet any of the suggestions on my profile. |
| Periodic emails with advice regarding networking,resumes, etc. |
| N/A |

16. What is the most beneficial activity you have participated in during Fall 2010?

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| Text Response |
| I enjoyed the informal meeting with Dr. Ross. I'm interested in getting advice about applying for jobs and choosing the right job for you, especially when the advice is coming from someone in the same field who has been through the whole process already. |
| The most beneficial activity that I participated in was likely the meeting with Dr. Ross. The fact that he had spent much time working in industry as well as in acadamia caused me to really value his input/suggestions. Also, the difficulty and uniqueness of the information that he shared during his talk that evening added even more to the value of his thoughts. |
| Monthly meetings |
| MentorNet was definitely the most beneficial. |
| This whole scholarship program has been extremely beneficial to both my networking and my educational background. It influenced me to become more involved with the events within both Stright and Weyandt and increased my awareness of possible job opportunities with a science and math background. |
| Mentornet |
| I think that the mock interviews were very beneficial because it helped me realize that I am not very prepared for an interview at this time. It also gave me a list of questions to practice. |
| I found the workshop with the career center to be very beneficial. It helped me to think about what I should be doing at this point in my degree progress and meeting with the director made me feel more comfortable about setting up a one-on-one meeting with the career center. |
| Listening to Dr. Ross's informal meeting was probably most informative, since we discussed what people are looking for in HR. But I also enjoyed the mock interviews. I felt that it prepared me a bit better for when the real situation arises. |
| Dr. David Ross' discussion with students |
| Meetings |

17. If you would like us to organize certain activities in preparing for your career and/or advanced study, please provide your suggestions below.

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| Text Response |
| I would have enjoyed the meeting where everyone brought their resume to review, however, I was unable to attend due to class. As a senior who is graduating in May, I am in the midst of applying for jobs and making sure that my resume is everything it can be is very important to me right now. |
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| No suggestions |
| I can not think of any. |
| I can not think of any additional activities. I think the program is very well-organized and informative. |
| More math computer software workshops, continued career advice and resume help |
| I do not have any suggestions at this time. |
| The process for applying for a PhD program upon completion of this program. |
| I would like a trip as a group to a career fair geared towards mathematics in the industry. |
| More discussions with people working in the mathematics field |
| N/A |