

College of Engineering

University of Nevada, Reno

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Dean's Message

In May the College of Engineering at the University of Nevada, Reno celebrated the graduation of over 108 undergraduate and 28 graduate students, who joined the 92 graduates of last December for one of the biggest graduating years in the College's history. It was an important day for students, their families, friends and the faculty and staff. It was a privilege to be able to acknowledge these vital participants in the education of the Class of 2010. As these newest alumni are starting off in an uncertain and highly competitive market, we remind ourselves of our strategic commitment to offer our students a state-of-the-art education that will enable them to compete regionally, nationally and globally and prepare them to become national and world leaders in their fields. The College encourages them to move ahead by continuing to take pride in their high quality work, using the knowledge and experiences they gained during their studies and showing the high level of dedication necessary to be a world leading engineer or computer scientist.



Dean Maragakis

The College is moving ahead as well in its quest for national and international recognition. Despite the serious fiscal crisis we are preparing an ambitious strategic plan of excellence and growth as we advance programs and projects. These times make the support and gifts we receive from our alumni especially important. I am grateful for your support and I am looking forward to expanding the College's relations with its alumni in the future.

As part of this effort, I am proud to present you with our first issue of our quarterly e-Newsletter. This newsletter intends to share with you important college news, present the success of our students, faculty and staff and make you aware of our initiatives. Through our initiatives we intend to increase the quality of the College, the extent of its visibility and to contribute to the economic diversification of our state and the nation. I hope that through this publication, as well as through the other College publications such as "*Nevada Engineering*," the annual college publication, you will keep in close contact with the College and help us with our efforts to become global leaders in engineering education by offering us your advice and support.

Emmanuel "Manos" Maragakis, Dean, College of Engineering

Featured News:

[College announces Corporate Partners program](#)

More News:

- [Nevada's concrete canoe team places 2nd at National Competition](#)
- [Students shine in the annual Governor's Cup Competition](#)
- [Best-ever showing for grad programs in U.S. News](#)
- [Structures Lab highlighted by national media. \(Video Link\)](#)
- [Interested in mentoring a student?](#)



Nevada's Concrete Canoe Team

Featured Events:

- [Could not attend the 16th Annual College of Engineering Spring Celebration? The program is now online for you to share the accomplishments of our students and](#)

[faculty.](#)



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