

IEEE Dayton Chapter Hosts Second Annual Mini S-PAC

After months of preparation and planning, the University of Dayton (UD) IEEE Student Dayton Chapter proudly hosted their second annual Student Professional Awareness Conference (S-PAC) on Monday, September 8, 2014. The main focus of the event was to inform students of the opportunities that an Electrical/Computer Engineering education can create for them during college and after graduation. Ted Tracy, Regional Sales Manager at Phillips, stood in as the featured key note speaker. He shared his experiences as a professional and advice on how students ought to prepare for their future careers as engineers by joining career-related organizations on campus, attending professional and career events, and researching potential co-op and internship opportunities. Lastly, the S-PAC featured a small panel of professionals in the Electrical/Computer Engineering field: PEAL Treasurer Kevin Yost, General Electric Engineer Michael Blair, and UD Alumnus Matthew Nevou. The panel participated in a forty-five minute Q & A session with all who attended. Overall, the event was a success for the student-run organization and the group plans to host similar professional events in the near future.

