



# Orientation Committee

## Application Form 2018

### McMaster Engineering Society

Please fill out this application and drop it off at 154 Arkell st. (on the front porch) or hand deliver it to us when/if you see us on campus! Also, send an email with an electronic copy of your application to [coocs@macengsociety.ca](mailto:coocs@macengsociety.ca). If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to speak with us in person, or email us at the address above. Your answers do not need to be confined to the spaces below, but please try to be **concise**.

**APPLICATION DUE: Wednesday, December 6th, 2017, by 11:11pm**

*In addition to this application, please attach an easily identifiable picture of yourself featuring your favourite street sign or Willy dog topping.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

No, your real name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Program and year: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Years as an Engineering WW Rep: (i.e. 2016, 2017):

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1) Why do you want to be on our Orientation Committee? What do you plan on gaining from this experience?

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2) What unique quality would you bring to the Orientation Committee team? What differentiates you from other applicants?

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3) What is the difference between an effective WW Rep and committee member? What qualifies you to take on that committee member role?

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4) Pick two aspects of Welcome Week that require improvement and provide detailed feedback as to how you would improve them. Ideas for new events during the week are also welcome!

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5) Where will you be in the summer (May – August 2018) and will you be able to attend meetings in Hamilton if necessary? Do you own/have access to a mode of transportation with more than 2 wheels?

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6) Name an event that you have been a part of planning and list some successes and failures that came out of it. How would you use what you learned from these experiences when planning future events?

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7) Do you plan on running for an MES Executive position, or have other substantial time commitments in the upcoming year? If so what specific steps do you plan on taking to balance those responsibilities, your academics and your responsibilities as a Committee member? If not, tell us a fact about wildebeests or wild beets. Or do both, I'm not a cop.

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8) Design a BuzzFeed style quiz (attach the quiz to the application) to help someone figure out ONE of the following, very important, life questions:

1. Which flavour of tropical skittle are you?
2. Are you more like a radian or a degree?
3. If you were a 1st year engineering, B-tech, iBioMed or compsci class, which one would you be?

9) If you were a spider, what would you do to pass the time while waiting for a fly to enter your webby lair so you can feed your spider family?

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10) It is a myth that Engineers can't spell. Bust this myth by designing a crossword puzzle that Hannah and Marc could solve. Please include an answer key at the end of your application.

**Please have one of the following people send a reference letter on your behalf to [coocs@macengsociety.ca](mailto:coocs@macengsociety.ca): Taylor "Boonz" de Vet, Jenn "Truthanasia" Janssen, Becca "Drycula" Weatherall, any other recently graduated Orientation Committee members, a chair of an MES Committee that you have been on, or your Mom or Dad.**

**We are all going to be attending a hat convention. Please design a hat to wear to this convention that is unique to you, so you can be easily recognized just by your hat. Please deliver this hat with your application, so that we can bring them with us to the convention.**

**Questions? Comments? Concerns? Want pictures of our toenails? Want to know how rarely is too rarely to shower? Contact Hannah and Marc at [coocs@macengsociety.ca](mailto:coocs@macengsociety.ca), and we'll help you out. We look forward to reading your application! Our first read through of applications will be blind, and we will contact all applicants by January 2nd, 2018.**