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# "Engineer Your Career" Workshop
# Speaker: Danielle Forget Shield, PE

Technical savvy isn't enough in today's fast paced business community. Being aware of trends and analyzing your career data will give you an edge. More data improves any trend analysis. The earlier you start gathering data about your career, the better your plan will be. Start today! Join this activity based session to strengthen your career.

Saturday, January 21, 2012, from 9 am-11 am
Golden Corral
9115 Broadway Street, Pearland, Texas 77584
(281)412-4546
http://goldencorral.com/

There is a $10 cost for this meeting and each person is responsible for the cost of his/her own food and gratuity. You do not have to be a SWE member or an engineer to attend.

**The workshop is a $175 value and is discounted for this meeting only.**

Bring a guest and receive an extra door prize chance.
RSVP to paypal link on www.swehouston.org or to Irene Chan at irene.chan@swe.org) by Jan. 19. Walk-ins are always welcomed.

# ENGINEER YOUR CAREER

Career paths are often bombarded with advice and suggestions on which direction should be taken or which opportunities are not to be missed. All of this advice can be overwhelming and lead to confusion rather than a clear career direction. Engineer your career to recognize which career opportunities are right for you and build a foundation for career and life decisions.

In this program participants will:
■ Create a personal action plan for career decisions
■ Gain an enhanced understanding of interests, values and goals and their tie to personal career satisfaction and success
■ Build a foundation for career planning, performance review preparation, career advancement, and future career and life decisions

Key Learning Tools:
■ What does your introduction say about you? Learn the 4 key pieces of information to include.
■ Understand yourself through role model identification and an interactive “fake job” exercise.
■ Decipher the skills others see in you by examining comments and compliments.
■ Align individual core values with future career decisions using the core values wheel.

# DANIELLE FORGET SHIELD, PE

**President, CEO**

Author, professional speaker and President and Co-Founder of 825 Basics (www.825basics.com), Danielle Forget Shield, has been engaging audiences with career success techniques for over 1o years. Through 825 Basics, a career enhancement company, she provides strategies that can be immediately applied for workplace success. Her excitement comes from experience in implementing the methods she shares and seeing those she has mentored successfully navigate their careers. With many years of experience developing and delivering career education to professionals and college students, she has helped thousands of individuals improve their career direction and growth.

Prior to 825 Basics, Danielle spent 15 years in corporate roles, holding senior positions in engineering, environmental compliance and project development. She earned a civil engineering degree from Washington University in St. Louis and an MBA in finance from the University of St. Thomas.