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2014 FALL REGION VI SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ZONE SUMMIT

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October 11th 2014

National Society of Black Engineers
NSBE’s Founding & History

• In the late 60’s, 80% of black freshman entering engineering dropped out
• In 1971, Edward Barnette and Fred Cooper formed the Black Society of Engineers with Arthur Bond as their advisor
• In 1972, Shirley Chisholm was the first African American to gather major support running for the presidential election
• In 1974, the group gained momentum with the help of Bond and six students, “The Chicago Six”
NSBE’s Founding & History

• In 1975, the first national meeting was held with 48 students from 32 schools
• At this meeting, six critical motions passed: the name, symbol, constitution, headquarters, national chair, & regional division
• In 1976, Black History Month formally Negro History Week was recognized by the federal government
State of the Zone

National Society of Black Engineers
Regional Leadership Conference Recap

- Chair’s Goal: 50% Chapter Attendance
- Collegiate Chapters: 7/13; 53%
- Collegiate Members: 25
- REACHED OUR GOAL
Fall Regional Conference

- Attendance Goal: 700 Members
- Charter Bus
- Registration will reopen on Monday
- Volunteer Sign up is still open
Spring Zone Summit

- Cal State Fullerton
- Tentatively January 24th from 12PM-5PM
Senators in the SIX

Region VI Parliamentarian
Danielle Miller
Agenda

- NSBE Structure
- Region VI Structure
- Senator Position
- Relevance and Importance
- Questions
Region VI - The SIX HOUSE

- Largest Region Geographically
- 13 States
- 5 Zones
  - Nor Cal Zone
  - So Cal Zone
  - Northwest Zone
  - Southwest Zone
  - Rocky Mountain Zone
- 20 Regional Executive Board Members
Importance of SIXY Senators

- Commonly Asked Questions
- What do they really do?
- Why do they matter?
- What are the benefits?
- How do I sign up?
Senator Relevance

- Highest Ranking Body in the Society
- Voice of YOUR Chapter
- Regional & National Elections
- National Constitution Changes
- Regional By-Law Amendments
Senator Benefits

- Discounted Registration
- Extra Time at the Career Fairs
- Special Workshops
- Recognition at General Sessions
- Exclusive Badge Ribbon at National Convention
Questions?

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