



Newsletter

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Welcome Back to ADVANCE at Tech!

We are excited about our second year of **ADVANCEing Faculty** programs. We will continue monthly **Faculty Lunches at the Ropp** with some guest speakers. We have **NSF Day** (see below), the **COES Mentoring Program**, **Grant Writing Assistance**, **Executive Coaching**, **Career Networking**, and training modules for all faculty and administrators. The first will be an **IDEAS Break** on Sept. 28 from 12:30 – 2:00 p.m. in BH 301 entitled: “**Gender Differences in the Workplace: Causes, Costs and Consequences**” and presented by Linda Ramsey.

Through the Labyrinth: The Truth About How Women Become Leaders

You’ve heard of the glass ceiling? This book by Eagly & Carli uses the metaphor of a labyrinth to describe women & leadership. They distill scientific research across a number of disciplines to determine what barriers still exist, how women can navigate the labyrinth, and what we can do to eliminate barriers. Find this and other great books at the **OWISE Library in BH 201**. For a complete list of books and summaries, check out the OWISE Library link on the **ADVANCEing Faculty** website at: <http://www.advance.latech.edu>

Save the Date—Tues., Nov. 30, 2010 is Louisiana NSF Day!

This workshop, held in Tech’s Student Center, will provide an overview of the NSF and its mission, priorities, and budget. It will cover the **NSF proposal and merit review process** and **NSF programs that cut across disciplines**. Additionally, **representatives from the 7 NSF directorates and the Office of International Science and Engineering** will make presentations on their programs and will also be available informally and in breakout sessions for discussions of potential research proposals. Registration information will be available soon at: <http://www.nsf.gov/events/>



Our next **Faculty Lunch at the Ropp** will be Tuesday, October 19 from 12:30–1:30 p.m. The topic will be **Negotiation**. Guest Speaker will be Linda Ramsey., retired Biology faculty member/Director of the Center for Educational Excellence.

Questions? Want more information about the **ADVANCEing Faculty Program**? Contact the Office for Women in Science and Engineering (OWISE) at:

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