

the TIGER CHARGES

PHYSICS DEPARTMENT ALUMNI NEWSLETTER



NASA

PhysCon attendees were first treated to a tour of Kennedy Space Center. Dr. Williams loved seeing shuttle Endeavor, NASA and the ocean. Below is the clock you probably watched tick down before the launches.



✧ PhysCon ✧

The Sigma Pi Sigma Quadrennial Congress was held in Orlando, FL in November. PhysCon is the physics meeting for undergraduates.

4 FROM ECU ATTENDED PHYSCON

The photo shows Dr Rutledge listening to Freeman Dyson during a plenary dinner session. An ECU senior, Jared Klingler was to the right of Dr. Rutledge. Alumni should really consider attending in 2016.



ECU Produces Most Physics BS Graduates in Oklahoma

The American Institute of Physics Statistics Division released their survey information for 2010-2011. ECU produced 7 physics BS graduates while OU and TU trailed with 4 graduates; Cameron University, OBU, OSU, SNU had 2 graduates.

<http://www.aip.org/statistics/trends/reports/physrost11.pdf>



Scholarship Students from April 2012

I want to give a HUGE thank you to all that have donated money for student scholarships. I can tell you that each and every recipient needs the money and appreciates your financial

support. You are making a difference in students' lives. If you want to donate **any** amount...contact Phyllis Danley at the ECU Foundation, or contact Dr. Carl Rutledge 580.559.5392.

ECU HOSTS OKLAHOMA STATE SCIENCE & ENGINEERING FAIR

MARCH 7-9, 2013

If any of you would like to judge on the 8th, please contact Dr. Rutledge. This year the OK Research Day is scheduled for the same time and judges will be split between the two events, so your expertise could be really needed.

If you would like to donate prizes please contact fair director, Dr. Rahmonna Thompson.

ECU SOCIETY OF PHYSICS STUDENTS OUTSTANDING

Once more, ECU chapter was selected by the National SPS as one of 3 outstanding chapters in our zone (OK-KS-MO) for our local, zone and national involvement.



ECU ONLINE ENROLLMENT

ECU now has online enrollment. Students must see their advisor and be granted approval to enroll. Students then have a window during which they are allowed to enroll from any computer.

ALUMNI PAGE

When Apple eliminated my ".homepage", our faculty website had to move. The site is now located at <http://ecuphysics.com/>

The alumni site is located at: http://ecuphysics.com/Alumni_Page.html.

Perhaps this year will be less hectic and I can put more alumni related tidbits in the newsletter.

Send updates to Dr. Karen Williams, kwillims@ecok.edu or kwillims@mac.com or call me 580.559.5394.

Looking forward to hearing from you.