



**ENGINEERS
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RE: EXHIBIT BOOTH SPACE

The Kansas City Engineers Week Committee is extending to your company or organization the opportunity to support and participate in the Engineers Week Luncheon on **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2009** in the Imperial Ballroom, Muehlebach Tower, Kansas City Downtown Marriott, located at 200 W. 12th Street, Kansas City, MO. This event typically draws close to 1,000 Engineers from the Greater Kansas City area. Please consider including the announcement in your February newsletter.

The featured speaker this year will be Mr. Richard "Dick" Blais, the Vice President for the State & Corporate Relations of Project Lead the Way. Richard developed the systems of leadership and support enabling Project Lead the Way to be adopted by 50 states as a successful model for improving academic performance of all secondary school students and developing the nation's workforce at the same time.

As an exhibitor at the Engineers Week Luncheon for 2009, your company or organization will have the opportunity to exhibit in a booth space at the luncheon. We are asking each organization for a \$100.00 contribution to offset such expenses as complimentary lunches for MATHCOUNTS, Bridge Building, and Future City student award winners and invited dignitaries. Those organizations wishing to exhibit should contact Alysen Abel at (913) 895-6009 or alysen.abel@opkansas.org. Please make your checks payable to "Western Chapter MSPE" and mail to:

Alysen Abel
12805 Slater Street
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Upon receiving your request to be a sponsor, a confirmation letter and instructions will be sent to you.

If you do not wish to reserve a booth but would like to help support the event, a donation of any amount would be appreciated. Also, if someone other than you will be coordinating the booth, please provide the contact information to Alysen for further correspondence.

The Kansas City Engineers Week Committee is requesting articles from area firms, organizations, and individuals for publication consideration in the Engineers Week supplement of the Kansas City Business Journal. The supplement will be published in the February 13, 2009 Business Journal edition. If you would like to submit an article or advertisement, contact Cindy McCann at (913) 491-9333 or cmccann@hntb.com for article submission and Stacie Prosser at (816) 777-2225 or sprosser@bizjournals.com for advertising. The due date for submitting articles is **Wednesday, January 14, 2009**. Advertising space reservations are due by **Friday, January 23, 2009**.

We look forward to another successful Engineers Week in 2009. Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

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