TRANSFER STUDENT VISIT DAYS

We know you might like to visit campus for either the first time or one more time before you make your decision. While we are unable to host visitors on campus at this time, we have created a virtual campus visit experience just for transfer students. Check out the opportunities to connect with other incoming students and register today...

REGISTER:  [https://www.admissions.iastate.edu/visit/virtual_visit.php](https://www.admissions.iastate.edu/visit/virtual_visit.php)

For more information visit:  [http://www.admissions.iastate.edu/visit/](http://www.admissions.iastate.edu/visit/)

TRANSFER STUDENT ORIENTATION

Orientation is NOT the same thing as a visit day - it is a vital part of getting ready to be an ISU engineering student. When you attend orientation, you will have a meeting with your academic advisor where you register for your first semester’s classes. After you accept your offer of admission, orientation information and registration details are sent to you. Be prepared to attend orientation by...

1) Knowing which engineering major you want to pursue.
2) Taking the online ALEKS math assessment prior to orientation, if required.

Orientation programs are currently being held online. You will receive additional information from New Student Programs about orientation options once you accept your offer of admission.

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**Iowa State Student Organization Highlight:**

**Theme Park Engineering Group**

The Theme Park Engineering Group at ISU was created last year by two students after completing co-ops at a Roller Coaster Engineering firm to help students of all majors celebrate, learn about, and seek professional opportunities in the Attractions industry. We have industry speakers and will be traveling to parks and industry events. Our variety of students from creatives to engineers have opportunities for every aspect of the Themed Entertainment industry!

We meet on Mondays at 6:30pm and Saturdays at 10am in our workspace and on our Discord: [https://discord.gg/zNHC6du](https://discord.gg/zNHC6du)

TPEG at ISU is hosting the first-ever Ride Engineering Competition where teams at 11 Universities have designed and built small scale amusement rides using real industry practices and standards. We will be kicking off the IGNITE Innovation Showcase on April 16th with our Keynote and Industry Panel, and will be streaming the competition live all day on April 17th as each team is challenged to run their ride models for 8 hours non-stop! If you have ever wondered what it takes to be a ride engineer, tune in to the stream on April 17th through the Ignite Innovation Showcase or join our committee today!

The event stream will be available in April from the IGNITE Innovation Showcase site: [regcytes.extension.iastate.edu/innovate/](http://regcytes.extension.iastate.edu/innovate/)
Company Highlight:

Gallagher Asphalt

Overview of Gallagher Asphalt

Gallagher is a 92-year-old values-based, family-owned company currently in its third generation of leadership, with the fourth generation already working at the company. We have four asphalt plants in the Chicagoland area (Chicago, Thornton, Joliet, Bourbonnais) and work all over the south suburbs and in Indiana. During our paving season we employ up to 200 people. We are known for our innovation in the asphalt industry. We are most recently the Quality in Construction award recipients for two of our projects from the National Asphalt Pavement Association (NAPA).

What engineering divisions does Gallagher Asphalt hire?

We recruit construction management/engineering, civil engineering, and mechanical engineering disciplines. There are many opportunities for team members with engineering experience to contribute to heavy civil construction projects that Gallagher Asphalt performs.

What is unique about Gallagher Asphalt?

Gallagher is unique in our approach to success. We believe in the limitless potential of employees and serving our community. Our mission, Moving Families Forward, really defines all the ways we touch people’s lives through our work. Whether it’s paving roads for a better quality of life, improving transportation and mobility for those in our communities, providing steady work for our employees, or giving back to the community. We help people move forward in life through our work.
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What engineering challenges does Gallagher Asphalt face?
We are constantly looking for the best way to perform our work and apply the engineering principles when we approach a problem. Our engineers have been able to make improvements to our equipment, our plant, and construction practices.

Additional information you would like to share?
Gallagher is a technology-focused company and leaning into innovation. We are currently looking to redefine how our people work by giving them the right tools and technology for the job while improving the work-life balance for our employees.

What is Gallagher Asphalt looking for when hiring an engineering intern or full-time employee?
We recruit construction management/engineering, civil engineering, and mechanical engineering disciplines. There are many opportunities for team members with engineering experience to contribute to heavy civil construction projects that Gallagher Asphalt performs.

ON FACEBOOK?
Join our E-APP Facebook group to stay connected to what’s going on in the College of Engineering and across the Iowa State University campus. Highlights include events, awards, class projects, and competitions. We’ll try to post new items at least once each week.

TRANSFER ADMISSION PROCESS CHECKLIST
Keep up on important deadlines – stay on track by following the guidelines recommended on the transfer application checklist. As an E-APP member, you are one step closer to being admitted to Iowa State, but you must still officially apply for admission. You can complete that first step as early as one year in advance of your intended ISU start date.

https://www.admissions.iastate.edu/transfer/checklist.php