

SIUE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING  
**9<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET**  
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2015

**PROGRAM**

6:00	Reception - Cash Bar	7:45	AWARDS PRESENTATION
6:30	Welcoming Remarks		Outstanding Students, Faculty, and
6:45	Dinner		Alumni
7:15	Engineering FIC video		Outstanding Researcher
7:20	Dean Sevim's Address		Outstanding Service
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7:30	GUEST SPEAKER		<i>Environmental Research Training</i>
	Kip Polley		<i>Center</i>
	<i>Pale Night Productions</i>		Outstanding Adjunct Instructor
	<i>BS '05 Manufacturing Engineering</i>		

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**KIP POLLEY**



In 2005, shortly before graduating with his bachelor's in manufacturing engineering, Kip Polley started Pale Night Productions (PNP). "We engineer fear." A fitting tagline for a company run by an engineer with a scary sort of creativity. The company specializes in the creation of unique props, effects and haunted attractions. Polley and his team pioneered the concept of video integrated animatronics (VIA). VIA technology combines high definition video content with traditional elements of animatronics giving participants the performance of a live actor, with the interactivity and 3-dimensionality that they would not get from a video. Pale Night Productions is located in St. Louis and produces turn-key attractions for domestic and international clients.

# OUTSTANDING STUDENT, ALUMNI, AND TEACHING EXCELLENCE

## CIVIL ENGINEERING

Outstanding Junior	Joel Klimas
Outstanding Senior	Cory Koltveit
Outstanding Graduate Student	Siavash Zamiran
Outstanding Teacher	Dr. Jianwei Huang
Outstanding Alumnus	John Woolschlager

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## CONSTRUCTION

Outstanding Junior	Christopher Johnson
Outstanding Senior	Andrea Horn
Outstanding Teacher	Dr. Marcelo Azambuja
Outstanding Alumnus	Matt Pfund

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## COMPUTER SCIENCE

Outstanding Junior	Jeffrey Borwey
Outstanding Senior	Jacob Vezzoli
Outstanding Graduate Student	Darla Ahlert
Outstanding Teacher	Dr. Mark McKenney
Outstanding Alumna	Colleen Miller

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## ELECTRICAL & COMPUTER

### ENGINEERING

Outstanding Junior	Amanda Buschor
Outstanding Senior	Benjamin Hanley
Outstanding Graduate Student	Jacob Hostettler
Outstanding Teacher	Dr. George Engel
Outstanding Alumna	Cathleen Gotsch

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## INDUSTRIAL & MANUFACTURING

### ENGINEERING

Outstanding Junior	Matthew Reitz
Outstanding Senior	Brandon Alvis
Outstanding Graduate Student	Burak Onal
Outstanding Teacher	Dr. Xin Chen
Outstanding Alumnus	Chris Rigdon

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## MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Outstanding Junior	Nichole Schackmann
Outstanding Senior	Jared Swanberg
Outstanding Graduate Student	Mert Yucetepe
Outstanding Teacher	Dr. Jenna Gorlewicz
Outstanding Alumnus	Jamison Bloebaum

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## OUTSTANDING RESEARCHER

Dr. Abdolreza Osouli

## OUTSTANDING SERVICE

Dr. Anne Werner

## OUTSTANDING SERVICE - ERTC

Paul Shetley

## OUTSTANDING ADJUNCT INSTRUCTOR

Dr. Kiyong Kim

