

Monday, February 22, 2016
San Diego Section Life Member Meeting/Luncheon

'Filtering a Major Full of Noise, Extracting a Love of Electrical Engineering'

Keynote Speaker: Ryan Collins, UCSD IEEE Student Chapter President

You won't want to miss this exciting presentation on **Monday, February 22nd at 11:30AM** and learn what is happening in our Universities today in the education of our Future Electrical Engineers.

Presentation:

At UCSD, as one of the largest student branches in the world (630+ members), we have to facilitate a large volume of students all with a wide range of interests. Our goal is to keep students interested in engineering while they are being bombarded from all sides by information and noise which leads to confusion and detachment from their major. We accomplish this by guiding students through technically cutting-edge projects, providing them with the hard skills they need to be competent in their field, forging an active community through IEEE involvement, developing a professional image in this fast-paced age of the internet, and more.

We want students to love Electrical Engineering, so we try to focus on the students' interests in order to develop a plan of action. By using an agile organizational structure, our team can adapt to changing interests and facilitate innovative ideas, while utilizing the framework of previous officers to guide them. We also expand our network to other schools through the University Partnership Program, and by attending IEEE conferences as well as regional meetings. In the end, students walk away with the confidence gained through personal and professional accomplishment.

Keynote Speaker:

Ryan Collins is the President of the UCSD IEEE Student Chapter. He is pursuing an indepth knowledge of Machine Intelligence and Control Systems, and has a strong interest in robotics. Ryan transferred from the San Franando Valley where he attended Pierce College. His favorite subject is Physics, and his favorite person is Elon Musk. He hopes to one day work in a career that will impact humanity and a grand scale for the betterment of society. Ryan leeds one of the Top Student Chapters in the United States.

Luncheon/Meeting:

This Life Member Luncheon/Meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 22, 2016 at 11:30AM at Vittorio's located at 7875 Highland Village Place just off of Route 56 in San Diego. It is located about a block north of the Camino Del Sur exit. Highland Village Place is the 1st light from Route 56. Turn left onto Highland Village Place and turn immediately left (next light) into the shopping center and then immediately left and all the way to the end.

We have set up a special menu and room at 11:30AM. To help defray the cost of this Luncheon, we have set the cost to attend at \$15 cash per person at the door. Please **RVSP by email to Bill Denke, wdenke1@san.rr.com by Friday, February 19th** so that we can make sure we have room for all. Please retract you RSVP if you find out that you cannot honor your

RSVP, ASAP, so that we can honor our waiting list. Keep in mind that this is a Life Member Event and therefore we have limited room for regular San Diego Section Members.