Alumni Banquet awards to honor excellence

By Peter C. Benedict Editor

As Stevens' annual Alumni Banquet is a time to reflect on accomplishments and look to the future of continued success for Stevens, it is a fitting venue to honor Stevens alumni who have excelled in their professional careers and in dedication to the Institute.

This year's group of achievers consists of alumni, through and through: Our Stevens Honor Award recipients are leaders in their fields, from Edwin Vandenberg '39, renowned polymer chemist, to entrepreneurs James Mersfelder '64 and Greg Gianforte'83. The Stevens Alumni Award this year will be presented to Frederic Guggenheim '39 for his longstanding dedication to Stevens. (See story below.)

The gala event—at which Stevens President Harold J. Raveché will give his annual "State of the Stute" address—will be held on Saturday, Oct. Four alumni the focus of enjoyable evening planned







The 2003 Stevens Honor Award recipients are, from left, Greg Gianforte '83, Edwin Vandenberg '39 and James Mersfelder '64.

11, in the Pierce Room of the campus's Wesley J. Howe Center. The pre-dinner reception will be at 6 p.m.; a full-course dinner, and dancing to the sounds of Channel Three Music, will begin at 7 p.m. Reservations for the banquet, at \$40 per person, may be made by mailing

in the reply form enclosed with this issue. For more information, call the Alumni Office at (201) 216-5163.

Classes that will be celebrating special anniversaries next spring (those classes with graduation years ending in a "4" or "9") will have the opportunity to meet with their classmates to begin discussing plans for their reunions on Alumni Day, June 4 to 6, 2004.

Guggenheim to receive Alumni Award

Alumnus will be 5th from Class of '39 to receive award

S. Frederic Guggenheim '39, M.S. '46, praised for the longevity of his dedication and spirit of volunteerism in serving the Alumni Association in many capacities over the years, will receive the 2003 Stevens Alumni Award.



Frederic Guggenheim '39

Currently representative for the Old Guard on the SAA's Executive Committee, Mr. Guggenheim's breadth and depth of volunteer service goes back over 20 years, starting when he served on the Machine Systems Group, an advisory committee to the Stevens Department of Mechanical Engineering, in the early 1980s.

A retired senior engineer for the U.S. Department of Energy, he was one of the founding members of the Stevens Alumni Environmental Professionals in 1990, along with Robert Fiocco '58, Richard Magee '63, Peter Astor '64, Lenore Schupak '74 and others. He worked with

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Honor Award recipients

Edwin J. Vandenberg '39, Hon. D.Eng. '65, is perhaps best known for his discovery of a rigid, durable form of plastic (isotactic polypropylene) and the catalysts for its manufacture.

During a 43-year career at Hercules, Inc., the Wilmington, Delaware-based manufacturer of specialty chemicals for home, business and industry, he helped produce numerous products of scientific and commercial importance, driving the success of the corporation.

Now a research scientist in bioengineering at Arizona State University, Vandenberg has been developing biocompatible plastics for biomedical applications. He is helping to create mate-

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rials that minimize the body's immune system response, a primary aim in the development of next-generation implants, and researching materials that could facilitate the delivery of drugs.

For his groundbreaking discoveries in the field of polymer chemistry, the American Chemical Society honored him with its prestigious Priestley Medal this past March.

When Vandenberg invented isotactic polypropylene in the '50s, polypropylene was a soft, rubbery substance not suited for many applications; today, the plastic that Vandenberg invented can be found in a variety of consumer products, from carpeting to diapers.

The discoveries of Vandenberg—holder of 116 patents—also include the hydrogen-chain-transfer method of controlling the molecular weight of polyolefins made with Ziegler catalysts; alkylaluminoxane catalysts useful for ring-opening polymerization of epoxides and oxetanes to form polyether elastomers, known as "Vandenberg cat-

alysts"; and a route to phenol based on the air oxidation and acid cleavage of cumene, the preferred manufacturing method

Vandenberg was born in 1918 and grew up in Hawthorne, N.J., just outside of New York City. On the suggestion of his father, Vandenberg decided to attend Stevens, he recalled. "Stevens was a good choice, an excellent school that provided a broad-based, interdisciplinary engineering background, which was unique at the time," he told *Chemical & Engineering News* before receiving the Priestley Medal.

Vandenberg excelled at Stevens and graduated with distinction. On a recommendation from former Stevens chemistry professor Francis J. Pond, Hon. Sc.D. '29, who mentored him, Vandenberg was hired as a researcher at Hercules, where he worked for the next four decades in a fruitful relationship with the corporation. Following retirement in 1982, he forged a similar relationship with Arizona State University, where he went to pursue his ideas.

James L. Mersfelder '64 has been both a highly successful entrepreneur and a top executive with some of the country's most prestigious financial services companies—and has generously shared secrets of his success with Stevens-incubated companies.

Mersfelder has more than 30 years of experience in conceptualizing and developing new business lines, controlling costs and building strong management teams. He has been a manager and executive in the electronics and financial services industries, and has a proven track record in starting and growing profitable high-tech companies in both corporate ventures and free market environments.

He is currently president and founder of Le Pecq, a financial services company based in Pennington, N.J., that provides stable low-volatility returns to private investors using hedge fund investments by selecting and monitoring a mix of diverse investment categories. Prior to Le Pecq, he worked for over 25 years as a provider of financial services (Continued on Page 4)

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The SAA Congratulates its New Officers and Representatives for 2003-2004

The following alumni were elected to serve terms of one year (officers) and two years (decade reps) as of July 1, 2003.

Officers

PRESIDENT. Marty P. Valerio '68, P.E., River Edge, NJ. Consultant.

FIRST VICE PRESIDENT. Enrique L. Blanco '72, M.M.S. '76, New Milford, NJ. Africa/Middle East Division engineer, Colgate-Palmolive Company, Piscataway, NJ.

SECOND VICE PRESIDENT. Edward C. Eichhorn '69, Dumont, NJ. Senior vice president, Development, Medical Resources, Inc., Bloomfield, NJ.

TREASURER. Thomas P. Bentey '63, M.M.S. '69, West New York, NJ. President, Atlantic Computer Services, West New York, NJ.

Decade Representatives

OLD GUARD. S. Frederic Guggenheim '39, M.S. '46, Teaneck, NJ. Retired senior engineer, Environmental Measurements Laboratory, U.S. Department of Energy.

'50s DECADE. Herbert L. Kimmich '57, M.S. '64, P.E. Morristown, NJ. Retired vice president, Foster Wheeler USA Corp., Clinton, NJ.

'60s DECADE. Ronald F. Parisi '67, P.E., Wayne, NJ. Principal, Capital Project Management, Inc., Fairfield, NJ.

'70s DECADE. Robert L. Steiger '71, Belle Mead, NJ. Vice president, RPMS Consulting Engineers, Monroe Township, NJ.

'80s DECADE. Carol A. Donohue '84, M.Eng. '87, Roselle, NJ. Consultant.

'90s DECADE. A. Anthony Garaguso '95, Metuchen, NJ. Manager, Packaging Development, Revlon, New York, NY.

'00s DECADE. Kristina Rose Henkler '01, M.S. '02, Mahwah, NJ. Team adviser, Operations, Colgate-Palmolive Company, Morristown, NJ.

GRADUATE SCHOOL. Deborah Ehrlich, M.T.M. '99, Linden, NJ. Network inventory and routing manager, AT&T Laboratories, Dayton, NJ.

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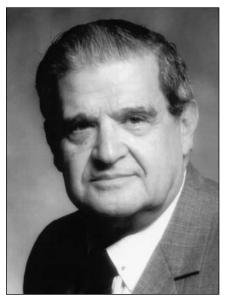
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Michael F.X. Gigliotti '42 was inducted into the Plastics Hall of Fame in June 2003 at the triennial National Plastics Exposition, for making significant contributions toward the advancement of the plastics industry. Mr. Gigliotti held a number of management positions during a 35-year career at Monsanto (now



Michael F.X. Gigliotti '42

Solutia), where he was involved in key industry efforts in market development and commercialization, pioneering plastics development programs for automotive, pipe, construction, housing and furniture applications. He created and managed Monsanto's LOPAC (low-oxygen permeation packaging) program, which introduced Coca-Cola's first plastic soda bottle. Mr. Gigliotti founded MGA, Inc., an international consultancy. He was a founding director of the National Plastics Center & Museum, in Leominster, MA; serves on an advisory board of the Plastics Institute of America (PIA), formerly at Stevens; and helped establish the Valyi Institute for Plastics Forming at the University of Massachusetts Lowell.

Gerard P. Canevari '47, M.S. '50, Hon. M.E. '87, has been selected as a member of the editorial advisory board of the fifth edition of the *Encyclopedia of Environmental Science and Engineering*. He is also writing a chapter for the encyclopedia, titled "Oil Spillage into Water—Treatment." The two-volume encyclopedia will be published by Taylor and Francis Books Ltd. of London in 2005. Mr. Canevari, who formulated a cleaner that

minimizes damage caused by oil spills, is a consultant in the areas of oil pollution, surface chemistry and environmental issues and has received 35 U.S. patents for his work in the field. He retired as an engineering adviser from Exxon in 1986, after a 33-year career there.

Joseph M. Lynch '48 has been selected as a member of the editorial advisory board of the fifth edition of the *Encyclopedia of Environmental Science and Engineering*. He is the owner of Mayo, Lynch & Associates, a general consulting engineering firm marking its 50th anniversary this year. Mr. Lynch founded the firm with **Leonard D. Mayo '41, M.S. '61**, in 1953.

Marine Corps Col. Kevin J. Delmour '78 was on a six-month deployment to the U.S. Marines Forces Central Command on the island kingdom of Bahrain in the Persian Gulf in December 2002, while assigned to Marine Forces Pacific, Camp Smith, Hawaii, according to Fleet Hometown News Center, Norfolk, VA. During his tour, Delmour's task was to support the Marine Corps' mission in the command's area of responsibility.

David F. Donohue '01 was promoted to Navy petty officer 3rd class while serving at Naval Nuclear Power Training Command, Goose Creek, SC. Mr. Donohue was promoted based on "sustained superior job performance and proficiency in his designated specialty," said officials.

Thomas H. Kean, Hon. D.Eng. '82, the former governor of New Jersey, was named by President Bush in December 2002 as chairman of the independent commission investigating the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks in New York and Washington. Kean, New Jersey's governor from 1982 to 1990, is president of Drew University, Madison, NJ. On the commission, he replaced former Secretary of State Henry Kissinger, who resigned because of potential conflicts of interest. Bush described Kean as "a leader respected for integrity, fairness and good judgment." The 10-member bipartisan commission that he is leading is charged with conducting a comprehensive probe into why the United States was unable to prevent the terrorist attacks.

James D. Adams, M.S. '94, was appointed engineering director for the city of Newark, NJ, in January 2003. Newark Mayor Sharpe James praised him as very knowledgeable about Newark public works matters and "the the impact of modern technology on the engineering and management process." A proposed professional sports complex, waterfront development along the Passaic River and a light rail link are among the city projects that lie ahead for Mr. Adams. He worked with the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey for 10 years, where he was a senior engineer with Newark International Airport and in charge of all PA construction at the Hoboken waterfront and Ports Elizabeth and Newark. Mr. Adams earned a bachelor's in civil engineering from Villanova University.

Dr. Kelly L. Rankin, M.Eng. '97, Ph.D. '97, Hon. M.Eng. '02, research assistant professor of Civil, Environmental and Ocean Engineering at Stevens, will contribute a chapter on oceanography for the fifth edition of the Encyclopedia of Environmental Science and Engineering, to be published in 2005.

Robert Zotti, M.S. '00, has been appointed associate director of online learning at Stevens, the Institute announced in January. Mr. Zotti is doing both marketing and public relations work for the school's distance learning program, online at www.WebCampus.Stevens.edu, which offers courses from IEEE and other partners. He worked with Prudential as a project manager, software developer, systems administrator, trainer, end-user support analyst and auditor. A licensed pilot, Mr. Zotti lives in Livingston, NJ, with his wife and two children.

Howard Olah-Reiken, M.S. 01, appeared in an acting and singing role in a recent production of *Joseph and The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* at Stevens' Center for the Performing Arts at the Grace E. and Kenneth W. DeBaun Auditorium in February. The role represented for him a return to acting after a long absence. Mr. Olah-Reiken also plays guitar, writes music and has performed in cabaret shows. He works as a software architect and lives in Hoboken with his wife, Donna, and two children.

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to banks and brokerage firms.

Le Pecq is one of several successful companies Mersfelder has founded. He was co-founder, president and CEO of OMR Systems of Princeton, N.J., a financial trading services company that Automatic Data Processing acquired in 1999. The acquisition helped ADP increase its processing capabilities in the global financial markets. Today, ADP/OMR provides market-leading treasury processing solutions to banks around the world. Mersfelder played a key role in integrating OMR into ADP's brokerage services group.

Before starting OMR, Mersfelder was a senior executive at Citibank, where he launched and ran a highly profitable nationwide banking venture, and was responsible for providing back-office services to all of Citibank's domestic banking clients.

During the prior nine years, he held technical management positions in the then-emerging computer industry, first at Singer Business Machines, in California, which began the electronic calculator industry revolution. There, he started an integrated circuit fabrication facility and a thin-film deposition facility—both cutting-edge at the time. He was also division vice president of a Litton company responsible for North American and European development, manufacture and deployment of integrated electronic point-of-sale systems to department and retail stores.

In addition to his busy professional life, the Wharton School of Business graduate was very active at Stevens as chairman of the Advisory Board at Stevens Technology Ventures Incubator; he mentored companies incubated at Stevens through TVI. He is a board member of Training Inc., an inner-city technology job development program.

Mersfelder has been a strong supporter of the Institute as a member of the Edwin A. Stevens Society and a telethon volunteer. He received the Harold R. Fee '20 Alumni Achievement Award in 1989 for contributions to Stevens and the Alumni Association.

With his professional success and commitment to Stevens, Jim continues in the tradition of his father, the late Lester A. Mersfelder '30, a Stevens Alumni Award recipient in 1995.

Guggenheim to receive Alumni Award

(Continued from Page 1) Professor George P. Korfiatis, Hon. M.Eng. '95, now dean of Stevens' Charles V. Schaefer School of Engineering, to form this club for professionals in environmental engineering to network and stay informed.

Mr. Guggenheim worked for the Environmental Measurements Laboratory of the Department of Energy in New York City since 1967, when it was known as the Health and Safety Laboratory of the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission. The American Society of Mechanical Engineers awarded him the Dedicated Service Award; he has served on various committees and is a Life Fellow of ASME. He holds 15 patents in environmental instrumentation and control.

While at Stevens, Mr. Guggenheim founded the Astronomy Club, worked on *The Stute* and participated in the endowment fund drive.

In his continuing volunteer work for the Alumni Association, he has also served as a decade representative since 1988 and has been a class agent and telethon worker for the Stevens Fund drive. He is also a member of the Stevens Metropolitan Club and the Edwin A. Stevens Society.

He has been a dedicated secretary for the Class of 1939 for more than 10 years, taking over for the late Henry J. Barchi '39, and has submitted interesting and informative class logs on a regular basis ever since.

Mr. Guggenheim will be the fifth alumnus from the Class of 1939 to receive the Stevens Alumni Award, joining a distinguished group that includes three past president of the Alumni Association—Albertus Schmidlin, John Podolsky and Harvey Flynn—and former Stevens professor and registrar Ed Backer.

Greg R. Gianforte '83, M.S. '83, stands out as a top entrepreneur in the computer networking and software industries.

From his high school years running his own software company to his current chairmanship at RightNow Technologies, Inc.—a customer relationship management (CRM) software company he founded that has seen 18 consecutive quarters of growth in a tough economy—Gianforte has achieved much as a young entrepreneur.

Gianforte has been an innovator in the CRM market. A number of significant ideas he initiated have now been embraced by his peers, including the use of customer-driven knowledge bases to transform company Web sites into highly effective self-service resources, and the integration of incident management across call centers, e-mail, Web and Internet chat channels.

Early on, Gianforte realized that with the right architecture, hosted applications could offer a significant alternative to conventional, internally deployed CRM software—which requires customers to make costly upfront investments in infrastructure, database licenses and implementation, and then shoulder the ownership costs associated with the ongoing management of systems and software. Gianforte has championed a Web-based hosting model that eliminates these heavy costs.

After founding Brightwork Development Inc., a developer of network management applications in 1986, he built the company to 75 employees with software installed on 150,000 Novell network systems nationwide, and then sold it to McAfee Associates in 1994 for more than \$10 million.

Retained by McAfee, Gianforte grew the company's North American sales operation from \$25 million to more than \$60 million in revenues in less than a year. During his tenure at McAfee, the firm was selected by *Fortune* magazine as one of the "10 Coolest Companies in America," based primarily on the Internet selling approach that he fostered there.

Before Brightwork, Gianforte was manager of product acquisitions at Bell Labs' computer systems division, and was one of the engineers who helped lead AT&T's Starian Network project.

Gianforte has authored several books and is completing his latest, which will be devoted to teaching entrepreneurs how to bootstrap start-ups.

As president and CEO of RightNow Technologies, in Bozeman, Mont., Gianforte continues to advance his vision of entrepreneurial achievement. RightNow's more than 1,000 clients include British Airways, Cisco and Sprint.

Earlier this year, Gianforte was named Pacific Northwest Entrepreneur of the Year by Ernst & Young.

Save the Date!

September

- 1 Monday, Labor Day.
- 2 Tuesday, first day of classes.
- 7 Sunday, 3 p.m., Spoken Word Series, open mic, with featured poet Diane Lockwood, at Symposia Bookstore, 511 Willow Ave., Hoboken. Suggested donation \$3.*
- **8** Monday, Stevens Alumni Association Executive Committee meeting, 5:45 p.m. dinner in Faculty Club, Howe Center, then 7:30 p.m. meeting, 9th floor, Howe Center.
- **10** Wednesday, 10 a.m., Stevens Convocation, Canavan Arena.
- 10 Wednesday, 1 p.m., Stevens Club of North Carolina (Raleigh-Durham) luncheon, Sal's Ristorante, Durham, NC.
- 13 Saturday, 11 a.m., *The Reluctant Dragon* puppet show, DeBaun Auditorium, all seats \$5.*
- 13 Saturday, 2 p.m., Jersey Shore & Philadelphia clubs, winery tour.
- 17 Wednesday, 6 p.m., Middlesex-Somerset alumni club meeting seminar, "Positioning Your Career," Marriott, Somerset, NJ.
- 18 Thursday, 11:45 a.m., Old Guard Club of Southern California luncheon, University Athletic Club, Newport Beach, CA. For details, call Thurston LeVay '43, (626) 792-7348.
- 18 Thursday, noon, Stevens Metropolitan Club luncheon. 19-20 Friday-Saturday, 8 p.m., SWEAT-Modern Dance Series, DeBaun Auditorium, \$12 adults, \$8 students/seniors. Friday discussion and Saturday reception with choreographers follow performances.*

For more information, call (201) 216-5163, or visit http://alumni.stevens.edu.

- **20** Saturday, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., CNet careers club, with Gerald T. Crispin '69 speaking on job search techniques, Howe Center. Free and open to all alumni.
- **20** Saturday, 2:30 p.m., Connecticut Club, Litchfield Winery tour.
- 23 Tuesday, 6 p.m., IT Club seminar meeting, "Wireless Advances" with Dr. Paul Kolodzy, of Stevens' WiNSeC, Ramada Inn, Somerset, NJ.
- **24** Wednesday, Manhattan Club mixer. Venue TBA.
- **24** Wednesday, Cape Cod Club, Scargo Café, Dennis, MA.
- 25 Thursday, noon, Old Guard Luncheon, Howe Center, Bissinger Room, fourth floor, Howe Center. Jerry MacArthur Hultin, dean of the Howe School, will be guest speaker.
- **26** Friday, 8 p.m., "Hollywood on the Hudson" jazz concert, DeBaun Aud., \$12 (\$8 students/seniors).*
- **28** Sunday, noon, Stevens Central Florida Club luncheon, Fleet Landing, Atlantic Beach, FL. Military guest speaker; tour of naval station.
- **30** Tuesday, Stevens Alumni Environmental Professionals.

October

- **4-5** Saturday-Sunday, 2 to 6 p.m., Visual Arts Series presents watercolor artist Elaine Reed, DeBaun Auditorium lobby, free. Talk with the artist Sunday at 4 p.m.*
- 5 Sunday, 3 p.m., Spoken Word Series, open mic, with featured poet Sander Zulauf, Symposia Bookstore, 511 Willow Ave., Hoboken. Suggested donation \$3.*

- **7** Wednesday, EMTM Club meeting, Howe Center.
- **8** Wednesday, 1 p.m., Stevens Club of North Carolina (Raleigh-Durham) luncheon, Sal's Ristorante, Durham, NC.
- **10-12** Friday & Saturday, 8 p.m.; Sunday, 3 p.m. Theater Series presents *Smokey Joe's Cafe*, DeBaun Auditorium, \$18 adults, \$12 students and seniors, \$8 children under 12.*
- 11 Saturday, 6 p.m., **Stevens Alumni Banquet**, Howe Center.
- 13 Monday, Columbus Day.
- 15 Wednesday, 5:30 p.m., Medical Products Club seminar meeting, "Stevens' Biomedical Engineering Program," with Dr. Arthur Ritter, Holiday Inn, Saddle Brook, NJ.
- **17-19** Friday & Saturday, 8 p.m.; Sunday, 3 p.m. Theater Series presents *Smokey Joe's Cafe*, DeBaun Auditorium, \$18 adults, \$12 students and seniors, \$8 children under 12.*
- 18 Saturday, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., CNet careers club, with Gerald T. Crispin '69, an international consultant, speaking on job search techniques, Howe Center. Free to alumni. 21-25 Tuesday-Saturday, Techfest, Student Government-sponsored campus celebration.
- 23 Thursday, noon, Stevens Metropolitan Club luncheon.
- 25 Saturday, Stevens Homecoming. Stevens varsity athletic games, food, refreshments and family fun!
- 25 Saturday, 11 a.m., Treehouse Shakers present "Animal Rhythms" Children's Series, DeBaun Auditorium, \$7 adults, \$5 children.*

*A production of The Center for the Performing Arts at the Grace E. and Kenneth W. DeBaun Auditorium, www.DeBaun.org.

Stevens Athletics

Here's a partial list of Stevens home games. For the entire Stevens athletics calendar, visit www.StevensDucks.com.

September

- **3** Wednesday, 7 p.m., Women's Volleyball vs. SUNY-New Paltz.
- **10** Wednesday, 7 p.m., Men's Soccer vs. Kean.
- 13 Saturday, 1 p.m., Men's Soccer vs. New York Maritime.
- 13 Saturday, 10 a.m. and noon, Women's Volleyball vs. St. Elizabeth and St. Joseph's–Patchogue.
- 17 Wednesday, 3:30 p.m., Women's Tennis vs. Fairleigh Dickinson University–Florham.

- **20** Saturday, 4 p.m., Men's Soccer vs. Messiah.
- **20** Saturday, 1 p.m., Women's Tennis vs. St. Joseph's—Patchogue.
- **24** Wednesday, 4 p.m., Women's Tennis vs. Yeshiva.
- **24** Wednesday, 7 p.m., Women's Soccer vs. St. Joseph's—Patchogue.
- 27 Saturday, 1 p.m., Women's Soccer vs. Drew, Family Day.
- **27** Saturday, 1 p.m., Women's Tennis vs. Hunter.
- 30 Tuesday, 7 p.m., Women's

Volleyball vs. SUNY–Old Westbury. *October*

- 4 Saturday, 10:30 a.m., Men's & Women's Cross Country, at the Stevens Invitational.
- 4 Saturday, 1 p.m., Women's Soccer vs. Widener.
- 6 Monday, 7 p.m., Men's Soccer vs. Richard Stockton.
- 8 Wednesday, 7 p.m., Women's Volleyball vs. Fairleigh Dickinson University–Florham.

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SAA elections nominees sought

The Stevens Alumni Association's Nominating Committee is seeking suggestions for officers and decade representatives for next year's elections to terms beginning July 1, 2004.

The president, first vice president, second vice president and treasurer are elected for one-year terms. These positions require an intimate knowledge of the activities and finances of the Association and are usually filled by alumni or alumnae with previous service and experience. Decade representatives are elected to serve a two-year term on the Executive Committee and should attend monthly meetings in Hoboken.

Alumni may submit either suggestions of members willing to serve as officers or decade representatives, or a petition to place a person on the ballot. If by petition, the Association's constitution (Article VI, Section 3) requires that a petition for officers be signed by at least 50 active members, and that a petition for decade representatives or Graduate School representative be signed by at least 25 active members.

Nominations are due by Feb. 1, 2004. Mail nominations or suggestions to: Stevens Alumni Association, Nominating Committee, Castle Point, Hoboken, NJ 07030.

Alumni seeking jobs

M-444 M.Eng. '97, senior network engineering manager with over 15 years of telecom experience—with significant technical contributions that grew both subscriber base and revenues in wireless and wireline services—looking for opportunities in northern and central NJ. Strong team leader. Very knowledgeable of network elements, protocols (e.g., SS7, GSM MAP, IS 41) and regulatory processes.

Introducing 2 New Alumni Professional Clubs

There are a couple of new Stevens alumni clubs in town—the <u>Information Technology Club</u>, and the <u>Medical Products Club</u>—both designed to help professionals in those fields advance their careers.

Meetings will focus on networking among your peers and hearing from experts in your field. Here are some upcoming seminars that are planned:

"Wireless Advances," with Dr. Paul Kolodzy, Director, Stevens' Wireless Network Security Center

> IT Club event on Sept. 23, 2003 Ramada Inn, Somerset, NJ

"Stevens' Biomedical Engineering Program,"
with Stevens Professor Arthur Ritter,
Program Director (and alumni club adviser)
Medical Products Club event on Oct. 15, 2003
Holiday Inn, Saddle Brook, NJ

The Stevens Alumni Association is planning to start additional clubs for professionals. But we need your input. What kinds of professional clubs do you want the SAA to develop?

To make suggestions, visit the Stevens Alumni Online Community page at: http://alumni.stevens-tech.edu/clubs

For more information on these events, e-mail Ken DeGraw '57, SAA Clubs Director, at kendegraw@alumni.stevens-tech.edu

STEVENS ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME 2004 NOMINATION FORM

Categories

- **1.** A varsity athlete who excelled in intercollegiate athletics at Stevens.
- 2. A special contributor to Stevens athletics as a student, coach, trainer or athletic administrator.
- **3.** A Stevens alumnus or alumna who excelled in sports after graduation.
 - The nomination deadline is Dec. 1, 2003. Inductees will be honored on Feb. 14, 2004.
 - Nominees are eligible for induction five years after graduation. (For 2004, Class of 1999 or earlier.)
 - Awards may be given posthumously.
 - Nominator or self-nominee must supply evidence and documentation.

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In support of th	is nomination, I offer the following informati	on:
Date	Your Name	Class
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NOTE: Candidate	s need not be renominated each year, but additional doc	umentation may be submitted