



August Newsletter

Welcome to FY 2025!

The SWE-CT section is excited to welcome everyone into fiscal year 2025! With a new year comes new officers, please welcome our new board members!

President: Stephanie Gillespie

Vice President: Lorraine Piccorelli

Treasurer: Emily Panco

Data Officer: Sarah Horbury

We are excited to plan a year of events that will include networking, professional development, and community support. If you have not yet renewed your membership, you can do so [here!](#)

FY24 Recap

We had a great crowd at our June happy hour at Stony Creek Brewing, and even had a few winners in the "loser" round of Music Bingo! Didn't get a chance to join us? We will plan a similar event again this upcoming year, so keep practicing your name-that-tune and unofficial karaoke abilities!



SWE-CT enjoyed connecting with you throughout FY24, here is a look back at all of the events we hosted:

August Kick-off Happy Hour @ Two Roads Brewing

September Hike @ Sleeping Giant State Park

October Happy Hour @ Hogan's Cider Mill

WE23 Conference in Los Angeles

November Laser cut a coaster event @ University of New Haven

January Wellness Seminar for Heart Health

February Galentine's Day Resume Review @ Two Roads Brewing

April Happy Hour with SWE Hartford @ Twelve Percent Beer Project

April Scholarship Celebration @ Atelier Florian

SWE Hartford Tour of the US Coast Guard Vessel

June End of Year Celebration and Music Bingo @ Stony Creek Brewery

If you have ideas for events you would like to see this year, please reach out to us at sweconnecticut@gmail.com - we would like to host events

throughout the geographic area of our section and plan events that YOU want to attend!

August Event

Save the date for our August Event! Power on those brains and review your state capitals before you join us for Trivia at Dockside Brewery!

Wednesday, August 21st

Dockside Brewery: 40 Bridgeport Ave, Milford, CT 06460

Join us starting at 6pm, Trivia starts at 7pm and will likely run until 9pm.

Please RSVP by accepting the google calendar invite that will follow this email to ensure we get enough seats!

SWE-CT Scholarship Endowed!

Thank you to everyone for your support in helping our section reach our goal of being able to endow our Jean R. Beers SWE-CT scholarship through the SWE Board of Trustees. This endowment will provide a minimum \$1,000 scholarship each year in perpetuity. If you would like to make donations directly to our scholarship fund, you can continue to email checks to SWE-CT, or donate online through the SWE BoT website (visit <https://swe.org/donate-to-endowed-scholarships/>, click "Donate to scholarships Endowed by Sections", click the radio button for "Select Funds", and use the drop down to find Connecticut Section - Jean R. Beers

Scholarship). Our section will continue to manage the scholarship review application. Stay tuned for a call for scholarship reviewers in Spring!

Donate to Scholarships Endowed by Sections or Former Regions

Directions: 1. Enter a donation amount. 2. Enter donation type (one time or monthly). 3. Select a scholarship from the list. 4. If you would like to make this in honor or memory of someone, select that option and enter the tribute person to notify and their email.

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Save the dates: We24 and WeLocal25!

Looking to grow and connect with other professionals? Join us at the various SWE conferences this upcoming year.

[We24](#): Chicago, IL, October 24-26, 2024. If you are presenting as a part of this event, let us know so we can support you!

[WeLocal 25 Events](#): multiple locations, our closest will be Cherry Hill, NJ March 7-8, 2025

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