Pre-College Engineering Education:

Engineering education that occurs prior to typical college or university age (i.e., for preschool through high school learners) in either formal or informal learning environments.

Conference highlights:

- 2017 Saturday Workshop on PreK-12 Engineering Education:
  - 28 regular and 4 sponsored sessions
  - 25 Curriculum Showcase presenters
- Commit to P12 Effort:
  - Taste of Columbus & Flavors of P12 (Sat)
  - Exposition Hall Main Booth! (Sun – Tue)
- PCEE at the 2017 ASEE Annual Conference & Exposition:
  - Submissions: 155 abstracts and 106 finalized papers
  - Paper Categories (each with refined rubrics): Research to Practice, Fundamental, Evaluation, Work in Progress and Resource Exchange
  - 17 technical sessions for 74 orally presented papers
  - 6 Resource and Curriculum Exchange presentations
  - 26 posters
  - Events: Mixer (Sun), Business Meeting (Tue), Reception (Tue)
  - PCEE Division Distinguished Lecture (Wed)
  - Co-Sponsored Session: P12 Education: Learning through Guided Discovery Panel Session (Mon); Round Table Conversation on Diversity & Inclusivity (Wed)
  - A new Wednesday Annual Workshop: Learn How to Get your P12 Outreach to Take Flight: From Design, to Build, to Assessment All in One Afternoon

Division Mission:

To grow and sustain a community whose members collectively build expertise and capacity in pre-college engineering education knowledge and practice.

Vision -

Every child engages in high-quality pre-college engineering education facilitated by effective educators.

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Accomplishments in 2016-2017

- Bylaws approved February 2017 with:
  - Vision, Mission & Core Beliefs
  - Awards Committee Structure, Descriptions and Process
- Five new financial incentives (* = travel reimbursement):
  - For 8 educators to attend PreK-12 workshop*
  - For 3 non-PCEE members to attend Wednesday Workshop*
  - For 6-8 teachers to present at NSTA Regional ASEE sessions*
  - For the Inclusive Engineering Media Challenge winner*
  - PCEE Dropbox Business Account for Executive Committee.
- Conference Best Papers in JPEER
- PreK-12 Workshop Submission in Monolith

Looking ahead to 2017-2018

- New committees: Social Media, Supportive Spending
- Salt Lake City, UT:
  - Sat, June 23, 2018: PreK-12 Teacher Workshop
  - Sun, June 24 - 27, 2018: ASEE Annual Conference
- Nominations for elected positions: February, 2018

Core Beliefs

- **Being a part of a community** of thought leaders in pre-college engineering education;
- **Research** that continually improves our collective understanding of pre-college engineering teaching and learning;
- **Professional learning experiences** for our members and for educators through conferences and professional workshops;
- **Educational resources** that support high-quality pre-college engineering education;
- **Diversity** within our membership and the engineering workforce, and among the children who ultimately benefit from the work that we do;
- **Dedicated and responsible service to the division and ASEE’s other pre-college engineering education efforts through elected leadership and volunteerism;**
- **The development of leaders and advocates for pre-college engineering education within and beyond the division;** and
- **Policies and standards within and beyond ASEE that support our mission and vision.**