

# TBP Projects

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# 1 General Body Meeting

## Wisconsin Beta

### 1. Project Information

- i. Date(s): 09/20/23 - 04/24/24
- ii. New/Recurring Project: Recurring
- iii. Project Areas:
  - Custom
  - Community/Liberal Culture
  - University/College
  - Profession/Engineering
  - Chapter/Social
  - Education/Professional Development
  - K-12 STEM
- iv. Number of persons who participated:

Category	Count
Members	25
Electees	0

- v. Average number of hours per person spent:

Participating	Organizing
6.0	6.0

### 2. Project Evaluation

#### i. General Description

Once a month the chapter gets together, and the president presents updates and informs the chapter of upcoming events. This is also an opportunity for members to inform the E-Board of events they would be interested in. Frequently, but not always, our university advisors will also attend to see what the chapter has been up to.

#### ii. Purpose and Relationship to Objectives of Tau Beta Pi

These meetings help with membership cooperation and engagement in the organization, and also is an opportunity for those who present to grow their leadership and professional skills. These meetings also help to keep the organization organized and the members informed on what is going on with our chapter, the Milwaukee alumni chapter, and the national chapter. Lastly, these meetings are also a social event and often pizza or a snack is provided for the chapter to share once the presentation concludes.

#### iii. Organization and Administration

The project is led by the president and assisted by the vice president. The president gathers all information from the school and the national board that the members of the chapter might benefit from knowing. These are put into a presentation that is made by the president and vice president. The president then presents the presentation at the meeting and if they are absent the VP presents. It usually takes 1 hour per GBM to plan. The meetings tend to last between 30 minutes to an hour depending on the number of updates.

iv. **Total Cost**

\$249.52

v. **Cost Breakdown**

9/19/2023 - Pizza \$59.01

10/16/2023- Pizza \$53.74

10/26/2023- Dessert \$26.00

1/31/2024- Pizza \$57.97

4/24/2024- Pizza \$52.80

vi. **Special Problems Encountered**

The only problem that we ran into was learning the necessity to finding out how many members could attend the meeting prior to ordering food. The first meeting we had a lot of extra pizza due to not getting an accurate enough head count. This was adjusted for the following meetings by using a point system for attendance and allowing members to earn half the points for communicating they would be absent in advance.

vii. **Overall Evaluation**

Overall, the general body meetings are a staple for communication and member engagement for our chapter. It keeps everyone informed on upcoming events and information, as well as offers time for members to socialize with one another.

# 2 Discovery Day/Admitted Student Day Tabling

## Wisconsin Beta

### 1. Project Information

- i. Date(s): 10/14/23 - 04/14/24
- ii. New/Recurring Project: Recurring
- iii. Project Areas:
  - Custom
  - Community/Liberal Culture
  - University/College
  - Profession/Engineering
  - Chapter/Social
  - Education/Professional Development
  - K-12 STEM
- iv. Number of persons who participated:

Category	Count
Members	2
Electees	0

- v. Average number of hours per person spent:

Participating	Organizing
1.0	12.0

### 2. Project Evaluation

#### i. General Description

The Dean's office asks student organizations to volunteer to table during Marquette's Discovery Days and Admitted Students Days so that there are students present in the engineering college to answer questions about extracurricular involvement as well as just general questions about the college of engineering and Marquette.

#### ii. Purpose and Relationship to Objectives of Tau Beta Pi

This helps us strengthen our relationship with the engineering admiration as well as engineering faculty and professors. It gives the leaders in our organizations the chance to network with members in the Dean's office and by helping them out on these days it makes them more likely to help out TBP when asking for room reservations, funds, or advertising. It also helps us build our image up in the college.

#### iii. Organization and Administration

It takes minimal effort to plan these events, typically about an hour per day of volunteering. The task includes gathering tabling decoration, printing our flyers and brochures to hand out, organizing which members of the chapter can be present, and then just tabling the event.

#### iv. In Conjunction With

College of Engineering

v. **Total Cost**

\$0.0

vi. **Cost Breakdown**

N/A

vii. **Special Problems Encountered**

None.

viii. **Overall Evaluation**

This is an easy way for TBP to spread our image throughout the college of engineering and is very easy to plan and carry out. One of the biggest benefits to participating is that the Assistant Dean of the college gets to be on a first name basis with your organizations leadership and knows that TBP is willing to help out the college when needed.

3. **Additional Attachments**

Figure 1: 2/18 Discovery Day Tabling



# 3 Fall Alumni Panel Event

## Wisconsin Beta

### 1. Project Information

- i. Date(s): 11/16/23
- ii. New/Recurring Project: New
- iii. Project Areas:
  - Custom
  - Community/Liberal Culture
  - University/College
  - Profession/Engineering
  - Chapter/Social
  - Education/Professional Development
  - K-12 STEM
- iv. Number of persons who participated:

Category	Count
TBP Alumni	4
Members	16
Electees	0

- v. Average number of hours per person spent:

Participating	Organizing
3.0	2.0

### 2. Project Evaluation

- i. **General Description**

Every semester we do an event with the TBP Milwaukee Alumni Association. In Fall 2023 we did an alumni panel which is a typical event with the alumni because of its popularity. Four members of the alumni chapter came in and shared their industry experience and advice for career development.
- ii. **Purpose and Relationship to Objectives of Tau Beta Pi**

Foster a strong relationship with the alumni chapter and host a profession development event for the members of our chapter where they can learn from engineers who are in industry.
- iii. **Organization and Administration**

Took roughly 3 hours of planning to organize the room reservation, make a welcome presentation, and organize which alumni members were participating.
- iv. **In Conjunction With**

Milwaukee Alumni Chapter
- v. **Total Cost**

\$0.0

vi. **Cost Breakdown**

N/A

vii. **Special Problems Encountered**

None.

viii. **Overall Evaluation**

This was a very successful event that was enjoyed by both the alumni and the current student members. It doesn't have any costs and was not strenuous to plan. It is one of the routine professional events that TBP does each semester, and it was great to learn from the alumni members present.

3. **Additional Attachments**

Figure 2: Fall Alumni Panel



# 4 Cards 4 Kids Event

## Wisconsin Beta

### 1. Project Information

i. Date(s): 11/29/23

ii. New/Recurring Project: New

iii. Project Areas:

Custom

Community/Liberal Culture

University/College

Profession/Engineering

Chapter/Social

Education/Professional Development

K-12 STEM

iv. Number of persons who participated:

Category	Count
Members	17
Electees	0

v. Average number of hours per person spent:

Participating	Organizing
2.0	2.0

### 2. Project Evaluation

#### i. General Description

This was our Fall community service event. We made uplifting cards for children in hospitals through an organization called Cards 4 Kids. This was a great way for our members to give back and also socialize with one another as the decorated cards.

#### ii. Purpose and Relationship to Objectives of Tau Beta Pi

The purpose of this event was to give back to the community while building relationships among chapter members. It was a fun activity that also made a positive impact on the community.

#### iii. Organization and Administration

To plan this event it took roughly 2 hours to make the presentation, gather supplies, and then send the cards out to the organization afterwards.

#### iv. Total Cost

\$0.0

#### v. Cost Breakdown

N/A

#### vi. Special Problems Encountered

None.

vii. **Overall Evaluation**

This was a really fun event for our members, and we were able to give back to the community. However, we did decide for future events to try to plan our community service events to be more locally focused as well as STEM related. Looking into the K-12 program was discussed for the school year of 2024-2025.

# 5 TBP Faculty Breakfast

## Wisconsin Beta

### 1. Project Information

- i. Date(s): 12/05/23
- ii. New/Recurring Project: New
- iii. Project Areas:
  - Custom
  - Community/Liberal Culture
  - University/College
  - Profession/Engineering
  - Chapter/Social
  - Education/Professional Development
  - K-12 STEM
- iv. Number of persons who participated:

Category	Count
TBP Faculty	10
Members	16
Electees	0

- v. Average number of hours per person spent:

Participating	Organizing
3.0	1.0

### 2. Project Evaluation

#### i. General Description

We hosted a TBP student, faculty breakfast where the TBP student members could network and interact with the Marquette faculty who are alumni of TBP. We also used this as an opportunity to give out posters and other TBP materials to faculty to display in their offices and labs to help promote our image.

#### ii. Purpose and Relationship to Objectives of Tau Beta Pi

The purpose of this was to rekindle and foster a relationship between the TBP student organization and the TBP faculty alumni. The purpose of this was so that the students and faculty were aware of one another and could potentially help each other out in the future whether it be by advising or helping professors out when they ask.

#### iii. Organization and Administration

The planning of this event took about 3 hours that was mostly focused on gaging attendance so that breakfast could then be ordered. Some other logistics included reserving a room and setting it up prior to the event.

#### iv. In Conjunction With

TBP Faculty Alumni

v. **Total Cost**

\$142.19

vi. **Cost Breakdown**

Panera Bread Breakfast- \$142.29

vii. **Special Problems Encountered**

None.

viii. **Overall Evaluation**

This was a really successful event that was enjoyed by both students and staff. As the president and main contact with faculty for this event it gave them a face to the organization which allowed them to reach out to me afterwards with to see how they could further assist or just to say they would enjoy attending events with the student chapter in the future.

# 6 Engineering Week Industry Panel

## Wisconsin Beta

### 1. Project Information

- i. Date(s): 02/22/24
- ii. New/Recurring Project: New
- iii. Project Areas:
  - Custom
  - Community/Liberal Culture
  - University/College
  - Profession/Engineering
  - Chapter/Social
  - Education/Professional Development
  - K-12 STEM
- iv. Number of persons who participated:

Category	Count
College of Engineering Students	2
Industry Professional	2
TBP Alumni	4
Members	15
Electees	1

- v. Average number of hours per person spent:

Participating	Organizing
5.0	2.0

### 2. Project Evaluation

#### i. General Description

Each spring semester the college host a week long celebration called E-Week (Engineering Week) where different events, both professional and social, are offered to all students at Marquette for the whole week. TBP was asked to plan and host the Industry Panel which was one of the professional events.

#### ii. Purpose and Relationship to Objectives of Tau Beta Pi

This was a really important event for our organization because it not only upholds the professional values of TBP but it was also really good for spreading our image and awareness about the student chapter.

#### iii. Organization and Administration

This was event was a little more planning intensive as it required that industry professionals were found to be panelist. The TBP Milwaukee alumni chapter was a huge help with this. It also required a presentation to be made and other logistics so the event could run smoothly.

iv. **In Conjunction With**

The college, TBP Alumni Chapter, A.O.E.

v. **Total Cost**

\$0.0

vi. **Cost Breakdown**

N/A.

vii. **Special Problems Encountered**

We had some panelist back out last minute and then had to scramble to fill their spots. My only suggestion to handle this would be to have alternates if possible, otherwise it is just something you deal with as it comes up.

viii. **Overall Evaluation**

This was a very successful event for our student chapter and really helped to bring more awareness to our chapter as a student organization in the college of engineering. It also allowed us to work more closely with the engineering student council who oversaw planning and the assistant dean to the college.

3. **Additional Attachments**

Figure 3: Industry Panel Group Photo



Figure 4: Industry Panelist



Figure 5: Industry Panel Presentation



Figure 6: Industry Panel Candid

