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Dear Friends:

The Society of Women Engineers Central New Mexico Section (SWE-CNM) announces Golf for Grads, a mini-golf tournament and silent auction fundraising event for our scholarship fund. This event will be held at the Hinkle Family Fun Center on Sunday, April 27th, 2014 at 3pm. All local companies and professional societies are invited to participate in this event along with their families and friends.

In 1999, SWE-CNM started an endowed scholarship fund. This past year we endowed our <u>fourth</u> annual scholarship, the Ellen Hippeli Memorial Scholarship, which will be awarded for the first time in fall of 2015. We are continuing to raise funds so we can support as many students as possible while they work towards degrees in engineering, math, and science. As we work towards our goal of raising the **\$25,000** needed for the 5<sup>th</sup> annual scholarship endowment we need your help!

We hope you will consider sponsoring a hole to support engineering education through the SWE-CNM Scholarship Fund. The sponsorship fee for other professional societies is \$50. The mini-golf tournament will provide a fun atmosphere for your organization to recruit new members, socialize, and network with other local engineers. By sponsoring a hole, your organization logo will be placed at your hole and on any printed materials distributed at the event. If you chose to do so, you may place additional obstacles on the course that are specific to your organization, distribute informational materials, or donate prizes for a Hole-In-One contest at your hole.

Thank you for your consideration. Keep in mind, SWE is a 501 (c)(3) organization and your contribution will be tax-deductible. Please feel free to contact me with any questions about the event or the scholarship fund. To sponsor a hole or find more information about the tournament, go to sweenm.org or contact me directly.

Sincerely,

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