

MIE Alumni Event

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IAB Meeting

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Pre-Alumni Event

- MIE Database – New England
- 3000 Invitations were sent
- All IAB Members were invited
- Talking point draft from Paige Thayer
- List of Target Companies based on Alum number

Target Companies List

ABB/Combustion Engineers	20	Alstom Power	11
AT&T	10	Bose	9
Boston Scientific	6	Compaq	6
Digital	13	EMC	6
Fidelity Investments	10	Foster Miller	5
GE (various divisions)	37	General Dynamics	21
General Electric	23	Gillette	12
Hamilton Sunstrand	41	IBM	17
Kolmorgen	6	Lockheed Martin	6
Lucent Technologies	16	Mercury Computer Systems	5
Morgan Construction	6	Naval Undersea Warfare	8
Northeast Utilities	7	Norton	7
PTC	6	Polaroid	13
Pratt and Whitney	65	RG Vanderweil	6
Raytheon	79	Sikorsky	6
Stone & Webster	11	Teradyne	19
TI	15	UTC	25
Verizon	8		

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- Event was held on February 27
- Nearly 100 MIE faculty & alumni attended the event
 - Including alums from early graduation classes.
- Theme was "Where We Are and Where We Are Going."
 - Highlight was Jim Rinderle's photo presentation
- Overall, attendees enjoyed the chance to interact with faculty and each other.
- Lot of work, but well worth it!
 - Could not have done it without help from the faculty, the development office, the board, and our staff.

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Post-Alumni Event

- A website with photos and attendees names
- Survey:
 - Would you attend another MIE department alumni gathering?
 - “Sure.”
 - Would you be interested in speaking to students (about career opportunities, your career experiences, about a topic of special interest, etc.)?
 - “YES.”
 - What did you think of it?
 - “The location was great and the event was very well planned. The question is, from the department perspective, did you achieve the desired goal.”