Greetings from WPI!

It’s that time of year when students and their parents are searching for something new and exciting to do over their summer break. Do you know a few students who would like to explore options in science, technology, or engineering? Well, WPI may have the perfect solution: WPI Frontiers and Launch programs!

WPI Frontiers (Session I: July 8-20, 2012; Session II: July 22- July 31, 2012) is an on-campus, residential, research, and learning experience for soon-to-be high school juniors and seniors. Frontiers blends science, technology, and engineering programs with humanities and arts workshops and a full schedule of social activities. Two separate sessions of Frontiers are offered, allowing participants the flexibility to choose one of the 12 academic programs including Biomedical Engineering which is new this year and a humanities and arts workshop offered in Session I, immerse themselves in Robotics or new this year-Global Sustainability- in Session II, or attend both sessions! This program is a great way for pre-college students from around the globe to test their interest in these areas and get a closer look at what college life is all about. Additional information is available at wpi.edu/+frontiers.

WPI Launch (August 6-10, 2012) is a learning and research opportunity designed for students entering their freshman and sophomore years in high school. Launch is a five-day program offering workshops in biology, chemistry/biochemistry, computer science, interactive media and game development, or robotics. Additional information is available at wpi.edu/+launch.

Participants in either of these WPI summer programs will learn from a dedicated team of outstanding WPI faculty and students, while having the opportunity to use state-of-the-art experimental, analytical, and computer technology and facilities. Enclosed is some detailed information on the WPI Frontiers and Launch programs. We hope that you will share this information with your students and colleagues. Other WPI summer opportunities are available at wpi.edu/+summer. Should you have any questions about these programs or about WPI, please feel free to contact us at admissions@wpi.edu.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures: WPI Frontiers & Launch brochure and poster