Transatlantic Summer Academy on Sustainability

Christina Stewart, a Spring 2016 CCEE graduate, participated in the Transatlantic Summer Academy on Sustainability (TSA for short), a 3 week program at Jacobs University in Bremen, Germany. The program consisted of lectures, workshops and excursions on topics in sustainability. The program focused an intercultural learning experience to encourage an exchange of discussion between U.S. and German students on sustainability within their own countries and lives. Excursions included a trip to a windmill farm in Bremen and a vessel that researches oceanic climate change. Her travel was fully funded by the Transatlantic Program of the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany through the European Recovery Program (ERP) and the Federal Ministry of Economics and Energy (BMWi). More information can be found here: [http://summeracademy-bremen.org](http://summeracademy-bremen.org)

Grants of the Month

- Professor Thomas Zink, Dr. Natalie Mladenov, & Dr. Alicia Kinoshita were awarded a grant in the amount of $108,650 from San Diego State University for the “Restoration of Alvarado Creek Upper Reach 1”. Keep up the great work and congratulations on your continued success!
- Dr. Temesgen Garoma was awarded $10,000 for his project “A Novel Water and Energy Saving Strategy - The Use of Secondary Effluent for Algal Biomass Cultivation” from the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California! Congrats!

Notable Lectures

- On June 27, 2016, Dr. V.M. Ponce lectured at the National Hydraulics Laboratory, in Lima, Peru, where 50 years ago he started his career in hydraulic engineering. The lecture was attended by 30 students and practicing engineers.
- On July 4-5, 2016, Dr. V.M. Ponce lectured at the 10th Anniversary Celebration Week, of the Professional School of Hydraulic Engineering, National University of Cajamarca, Peru. The lectures were attended by 250 students and practicing engineers.