



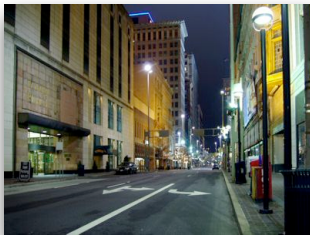
Pre-Departure Meetings:

There will be two pre-departure meetings held before MS&T. Here, you will receive further information about the trip and have a chance to ask any questions you may have.

*Note: It is mandatory that you attend ONE of these.

- Dates and Times:
 - October 11 at 8pm | 3355 Hoover
 - October 12 at 8pm | 3355 Hoover

Please email Josh Haroldson with any concerns about this.



Code of Conduct:

Welcome to the professional world! While attending MS&T it is important to remember that YOU are representing Iowa State University and the MSE department to the global materials community. More importantly however, you are representing yourself as a professional. Please be aware that it has been brought to the attention of MA that future improprieties can greatly affect our ability to attend these conferences at minimal cost.

Cost of Attending:

This year, the total cost of attending MS&T* will be \$40.00 per student. This amount is due by October 12 at 9pm and can be given to any MA officer or placed in the student room.

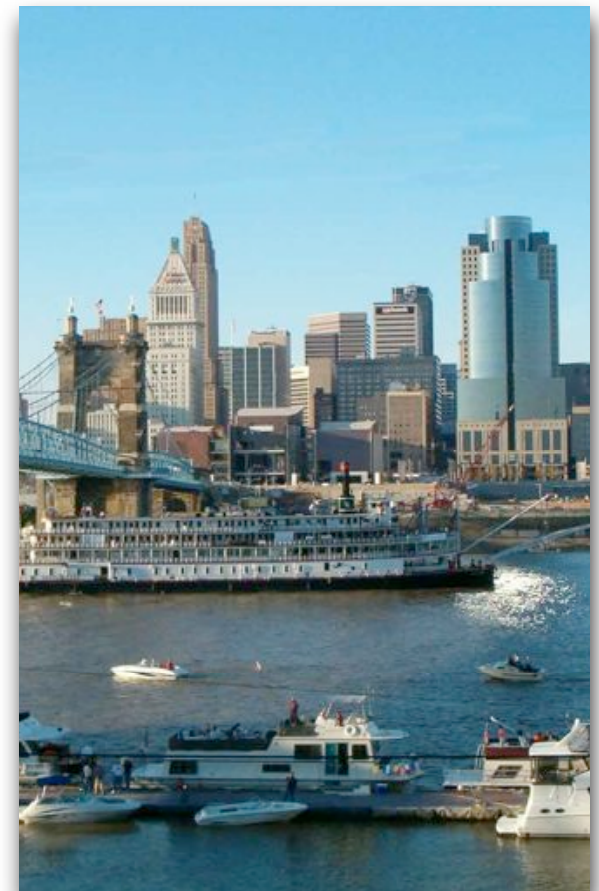
Each year, MA receives funding from various sources (such as the MSE department, Engineering Student Council, professors and weekly pizza sales) so that our members can attend events such as MS&T at a minimal personal cost. However, it still costs a great deal of money to bring 40+ students to a national conference. In the chart below, we hope that you can see what a great deal you are getting by attending MS&T with us!

*Includes transportation and lodging ONLY. Excludes incidental costs such as meals.

MS&T Expense Breakdown		
Item	Cost	% Total Cost
Van Rental	\$2362.32	29.59
Hotel Costs	\$5621.85	70.41
Total Cost \$7984.17		
Tentative MS&T Funding by Source		
Source	Amount	% Total Fund
MSE Grant	\$1500.00	18.70
Professors	\$2300.00	28.68
MA Account	\$2000.00	24.94
MA Travel Grant	\$500.00	6.23
Students	\$1720.00	21.45

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WHAT YOU NEED FOR MS&T

Thank you for attending MS&T 2006 with Material Advantage!

Material Advantage (MA) would like to thank you for attending MS&T 2006 in Cincinnati, Ohio with us! This year's trip is looking to be a HUGE success and we hope that you can learn, network, connect and most importantly, HAVE FUN!

Before you can go however, there are a small number of tasks that you must complete. Please read through the rest of this brochure and note the 'MS&T To-Do List' in order to get a better idea of what those are. Plus, don't forget to keep checking your email, as MA will be sending you updates up until the departure date.

If you have ANY questions, please contact Josh Haroldson at joshuamh@iastate.edu or 651+442+1344. Thanks again for going and together we can make this the most successful trip that we have ever had!

Thanks

Josh Haroldson

VP Events and Programming

MS&T To-Do List		
Task	Due	Completed
Attendance Fee	October 12 by 9pm	
Van Certification	October 12 by 9pm	
Pre-Departure Meeting I	October 11 8pm	
Pre-Departure Meeting II	October 12 8pm	
Conduct Form/ Liability Form	October 12 by 9pm	
Leave for MS&T	October 15 at 5am	
GE Plant Tour	October 16 2pm	
Return from MS&T	October 19 10pm	

Van Certification:

This year we are taking three 12-passenger vans to Cincinnati. If you would like to drive, you MUST do the following:

- Complete a driving permission request. Available in in the student room
- Have a MAXIMUM of one moving violation or accident within the last 12 months.
- Have a valid and current driver's license.
 - Other conditions do exist. Please see www.transportation.iastate.edu for further information and exact details.

ISU Transportation Services Alcohol Policy:

It is the policy of Iowa State University that NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTAINERS (EMPTY OR FULL) are allowed in University-owned vehicles. The policy is intended to encourage driving safety and limit the liability of the University and the driver should an accident occur.

*MA reserves the right to refuse van entry, upon its discretion and without refund, to any student violating this policy and/or arriving intoxicated or otherwise impaired.