



Rensselaer

Dr. Martin A. Schmidt
President

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The Rensselaer Society of Engineers
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Dear New Members of RSE:

Please let me take this moment to congratulate you on your induction into the Rensselaer Society of Engineers. The Rensselaer Society of Engineers and the student organization, RSEi, are embarking on a bold transformation to create a student-run residential facility, focused on promoting entrepreneurship and innovation. This direction has the promise of fulfilling a need of the RPI student body to provide an environment that fosters entrepreneurship, innovation and professional development at RPI. I applaud the creativity and dedication you and the alumni are taking to take this new direction. One of my initiatives for RPI is to promote entrepreneurship and RSEi is consistent with this mission.

Starting a new venture like RSEi is always difficult, but I am sure with your perseverance and the support from the alumni of RSE, you will find this very rewarding. I want you to know that you have my support and the support of the administration in this endeavor. RSEi has the promise to be a strong student-run, mission-focused way to re-imagine traditional fraternities and sororities and can be an example for universities around the country.

Again, congratulations!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Martin A. Schmidt".

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