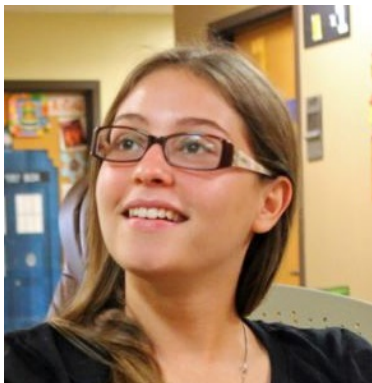


## ASME FWCS Announces Engineer of the Year and Student of the Year Awards for 2014-15



**Stephen D. Elting**, the Florida West Coast Section of ASME's **Engineer of the Year**, is Director of Technical Services for Elting Mechanical Enterprises, and has over 20 years of machine design and engineering experience. From beginning as a draftsman for Greiner Inc. in the late 1980's, Steve worked his way through college to earn a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from the University of South Florida (1999). He has held the positions of chief design engineer to engineering manager for Black & Decker, Calgon Carbon Corp, ABC Packaging Machine Corp, and Universal Labeling. He currently mentors two FIRST Robotics teams from H.B. Plant H.S., in 3D CAD design. As a member of ASME for 16 Years, he has served as section Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Secretary. The Florida West Coast Section of ASME is proud to honor Stephen Elting as their Engineer of the Year.



**Katie Hart**, the Florida West Coast Section of ASME's **Student Engineer of the Year**, is currently an undergraduate studying Mechanical Engineering at the University of South Florida. She is the Vice Chairman for the ASME Student Section at USF and has served previously as the Treasurer, and Internal Fund Raising Officer. Her commitment to volunteerism does not stop there, as she is also a mentor for freshmen engineers living in the Engineering Living Learning Community or ELLC. In addition to her studies, she is also an Undergraduate Research Assistant in the Rehabilitation Engineering and Electromechanical Design (REED) lab performing cutting edge multidisciplinary research building, designing, and testing passive dynamic walker systems. Her work ethic, dedication, and commitment, to her chosen field make her an outstanding recipient of the Florida West Coast Section of ASME "Student Engineer of the Year" Award.