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**Introductions:**

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- Faculty Advisors: Dr. Hossain  
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Sam Hegarty  
Lauren Winnen
- Steel Bridge Chairs: Matt Arnold  
John Handke  
Tyler Ummel
- Concrete Canoe Chairs: Jessica Hennes  
Brianna Krysztof
- 2011 Regionals Chairs: Rob Murphy  
Rachel Spicer

**Agenda:**

- Announcements: Josh Sommerfeld
- Officer Elections
- Speakers: Seniors

# ASCE Building Profile



The Colosseum, or the Coliseum, originally the Flavian Amphitheatre (Latin: *Amphitheatrum Flavium*, Italian *Anfiteatro Flavio* or *Colosseo*), is an elliptical amphitheatre in the centre of the city of Rome, Italy, the largest ever built in the Roman Empire. It is considered one of the greatest works of Roman architecture and Roman engineering.

Occupying a site just east of the Roman Forum, its construction started in 72 AD under the emperor Vespasian and was completed in 80 AD under Titus with further modifications being made during Domitian's reign (81–96). The name "*Amphitheatrum Flavium*" derives from both Vespasian's and Titus's family name (*Flavius*, from the *gens Flavia*).

Capable of seating 50,000 spectators, the Colosseum was used for gladiatorial contests and public spectacles such as mock sea battles, animal hunts, executions, re-enactments of famous battles, and dramas based on Classical mythology. The building ceased to be used for entertainment in the early medieval era. It was later reused for such purposes as housing, workshops, quarters for a religious order, a fortress, a quarry, and a Christian shrine.

Although in the 21st century it stays partially ruined because of damage caused by devastating earthquakes and stone-robbers, the Colosseum is an iconic symbol of Imperial Rome. It is one of Rome's most popular tourist attractions and still has close connections with the Roman Catholic Church, as each Good Friday the Pope leads a torch lit "Way of the Cross" procession that starts in the area around the Colosseum

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# Important Information

A special thanks goes out from the officers of the ASCE to all those who offered their free time to help with Homecoming and the Regionals Competition. We appreciate all the help that helped us run these events as smooth as possible.

If you didn't get to help out this year, Homecoming is just one short year away.

# Schedule

**May 9: Finals Start**

**May 13: Finals End**

**June 16-18: KSU Steel Bridge at Nationals**

**Sept 3: KSU Football Starts vs Eastern Kentucky**