SPIE Students Slack Workspace: What’s in it for you?
Check out the Slack channels available at your fingertips.

1. Welcome
   The first channel people see when they arrive in the workspace. Contains a message on the intention of the space, how to get started, and group rules.

2. News
   This channel will inform you of upcoming SPIE events, grant and scholarship opportunities, and deadlines. You will want your notifications on for this one!

3. Chapters
   SPIE Student Chapter-dedicated space for discussion, collaboration, and networking. Brainstorm ways chapters can work together on regional events, or perhaps ask for suggestions on challenges your group is facing.

4. Community
   Is your university, student chapter or regional group hosting an event or interested in sharing a useful resource? From technical talks to equity and diversity workshops, let the group know what’s happening in the community.

5. Mentorship
   Find your mentorship resources and connections here by posting a specific question for an expert or connect with SPIE networks for potential longer-term mentors. Not sure if you should go for your PhD? Need help deciding on which program to choose? Ask your questions here!

6. Resources
   This channel contains links to mission-critical resources for your career advancement.

7. Random
   This channel is for anything fun to uplift the community. It’s a place for pet photos, celebrating recent accomplishments, spur-of-the-moment ideas, and funny GIFs. The world is your oyster!