



Suzanne Boxman

Two Graduate Students in the Civil and Environmental Engineering Dept. Awarded Prestigious Awards

Erin Morrison, master's student in environmental engineering, has been selected by the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) to receive that 2015 Trent R. Dames and William W. Moore Fellowships. The scholarship is presented annually to two practicing engineers or earth scientists, professors or graduate students, who will use the fellowship for graduate study.

Suzanne Boxman, doctoral student in engineering science received the US-Israel BARD (Binational Agricultural Research and Development) Fund Post-Doctoral Fellowship. She will continue her multi-trophic aquaculture systems research at the National Center for Mariculture in Eilat, Israel. The BARD fellowship will allow Suzanne to continue learning about integrated multi-trophic aquaculture systems while working with top professionals in the industry to help solve some of the major issues concerning aquaculture production.

While in Israel, Suzanne will visit the diverse landscapes spread across the country—from desert ecosystems in the south to mountains in the north, and a Mediterranean climate in the west. More specifically, Suzanne will be able to learn more about how the arid country of Israel manages its water resources. She hopes to bring back that information to the U.S. to help deal with water scarcity issues that are becoming more prominent in the United States.