



Alex Savachkin

Alex Savachkin Receives 2013 Annual Award for Excellence in Teaching Operations Research from Institute of Industrial Engineers

TAMPA, Fla (May 14, 2013) – **Alex Savachkin**, associate professor in the Industrial and Management Systems Engineering Department, received this national award that recognizes excellence in teaching operations research at the Institute of Industrial Engineers (IIE) Annual IE Conference and Expo held May 18-22 in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

To be considered for such a highly competitive national award, the candidate must be a member of IIE and teach an undergraduate operations research course within an industrial engineering program as well as develop the course materials. Savachkin was nominated for this award by industrial engineering colleague Professor Jose Zayas-Castro who also serves as the college's associate dean of research.

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