## **Contributors**

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**Morgan Collado** is the latest in a long line of fierce warriors. She is walking in the footsteps of Audre Lorde, Sylvia Rivera and her own mother to achieve the collective liberation of all peoples. She graduates with a bachelors in philosophy and religious studies with a minor in psychology. Morgan hopes to go on to graduate school for writing and to use her poems, essays and stories to challenge, inspire and incite radical action.

Will Goth is a Junior Mechanical Engineer with a focus in biomechanics. He has worked as a research assistant in Northeastern's Optical Science Laboratory for the past three years to get a hands-on experience using non-invasive methods to study tissue. He is specifically interested in using these methods to understand the fundamental aspects of tissue mechanics and plans to continue this research in graduate studies in Biomedical Engineering.

**Xenia Ferraro** studies Industrial Engineering and graduates in 2013. She is a sister of Delta Phi Epsilon Sorority where she currently holds the position of Member at Large. Although her major is engineering, she really enjoys writing and feels that it is one of her strengths. Being exposed to different applications of engineering through co-op has allowed her to find passion in healthcare and the many ways industrial engineers can improve such a complex system. "The Emerging Roles of Industrial Engineers in Preventing Pollution and Creating a Sustainable Environment," published here, allowed her to research a completely new application which is also of great interest to her.

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**Sage Witham** is a sophomore Business Administration Major dual concentrating in Marketing and Management Information Systems. She is from Portland, Maine and absolutely loves the city of Boston. Growing up, she developed a passion for writing, and this passion has followed her throughout her collegiate endeavors. She hopes to one day work in the field of sports, doing community relations or marketing and PR. She hopes her passion for writing can be incorporated into her future as well.