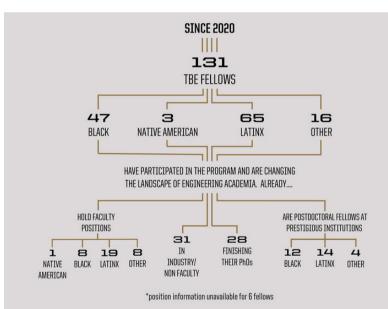


# WANT TO BE A PROFESSOR IN ENGINEERING?

Purdue Engineering is aiming for maximum impact outcomes in our mission areas by 2030, one of them being the development of the largest, best-prepared, and most diverse engineering talent pool in the nation. Casting our view even beyond our campus, Trailblazers in Engineering (TBE) is an initiative intended to increase the number and success of engineering faculty in the US, who, in turn, will blaze new trails with new discoveries, innovations, and social impact and serve as role models for the next generation of engineers.

The goal of the TBE program at Purdue Engineering is to prepare future trailblazing faculty in engineering. TBE Fellows are selected not only for their outstanding scholarly achievements but also for their potential impact in broadening participation in engineering. These exceptional individuals will attend an in-person three-day workshop that will provide opportunities for scientific interactions, career-oriented discussions, and networking.



"One of the most informative workshops I have ever attended"

"This workshop rekindled my lost motivation and passion for becoming a professor."

"The best thing about the workshop is the diverse cohort that you identified and gathered"

"The TBE workshop was a profound experience and I was so honored to be a part of it"

"Remarkable experience I will never forget"

"Incredibly inspiring and beneficial"

## W O R K S H O P JULY 22-25, 2024

## **REASONS TO PARTICIPATE**

- Network with leading trailblazing faculty in engineering, thought leaders, program managers at key federal funding agencies, Purdue Engineering school heads, and scientists who will present keynote speeches and talks throughout the program.
- Participate in panel discussions.
  - Why choose an academic career?
  - Key components of a strong application package
  - Preparing to interview, negotiating your best salary and start up package
  - Securing early career research funding
- Meet and collaborate with program managers from the National Science Foundation, Office of Naval Research, Air Force Office of Scientific Research, National Institutes of Health and others.
- Participate in a poster session to pitch your research and teaching plans and get feedback from would-be employers.
- Attend a session for early career teaching and success strategies presented by recognized experts in faculty development.
- Proudly list TBE Fellow in your credentials.

## **NO COST TO ATTEND**

### For all Fellows:

All lodging and meals will be provided during the workshop dates July 22-25, as well as per diem for travel days of July 22 (with a 3:00 PM (EDT) expected arrival time) & July 25 (with an 3:00 PM (EDT) departure time). Additional details will be provided.

#### For non-Purdue Fellows:

Reimbursement up to \$800.00 per economy flight plus transportation (cab fare, shuttle, mileage, and/or parking to/from Purdue).





### APPLICATION DEADLINE, INCLUDING REFERENCE LETTERS: May 15, 2024