



**Center for Engineering Diversity** 

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## Goal & Mission



"The Center for Engineering Diversity (CED) exists to support the recruitment, retention and graduation of underrepresented students (African-American, Latino, Native American and female) in engineering.

Our goal is to foster a community of scholars focused on professional and academic excellence."



## Roles & Responsibilities



- MS Diversity Recruitment
  - Strategic outreach
- Undergraduate recruitment support
- Student support programs for undergraduate and graduate students traditionally underrepresented in engineering
- Manage and maintain "THE CENTER"
  - RTH 210
  - 24 hour access to facilitate community, study groups, etc



## **Student Programs**



- Summer Research Institute TBD
- CED Circles mentorship program
- Student Chapter Advisement
  - NSBE, SHPE, SWE, MEGA, QUEST
- Boeing Design Competition
- CED Open House SEPTEMBER 8, 2-4 p.m. Undergrads
  - GRAD Student Welcome
     AUGUST 26, 2-5 p.m.
- Annual CED Banquet for graduating students & parents
- Academic & Professional Workshops
- Counseling support
- Connecting students and employers
- Industry Advisory Board
- Faculty Advisory Board



## Faculty Partnerships



- Provide research opportunities for Summer Institute Program and continuing students during the academic year
- Attend events to increase faculty/student interaction outside the classroom
- Serve as a mentor
- Attend Diversity related recruitment and conversion events
- Serve as a judge for Boeing Design Competition
- Attend or Present at a SHPE, NSBE, SWE, MEGA, or QUEST meeting
- Volunteer to judge academic competitions at regional or national conferences (SHPE, NSBE, SWE)
- Participate on the Faculty or Industry Advisory Board
- Visit THE CENTER!

