Starting a NOBCChE Chapter
About NOBCChE…

Our Mission
To build an eminent cadre of people of color in science and technology

Benefits of NOBCChE
Leadership & Professional Development Opportunities
Networking
Access to Internships, Colleges, Graduate schools & Careers
Mentoring & Outreach
Starting a NOBCChE Chapter

1. Contact NOBCChE regional chair & membership chair - discuss interest in forming chapter

2. Identify potential members

3. Identify a supportive Faculty advisor (Chem, ChemE, Bio etc.)

4. Host an on campus NOBCChE kickoff meeting

5. Register with your student activities office and NOBCChE

6. Attend National or Regional Meeting
1) Contact NOBCChE Regional Chair To Discuss Interest in Forming Chapter

- West: westregion@nobcche.org
- Midwest: mwregion@nobcche.org
- Southwest: swregion@nobcche.org
- Southeast: seregion@nobcche.org
- Northeast: neregion@nobcche.org
(2) Identify potential members

In good standing Majoring in...

1. Chemistry
2. Chemical Engineering
3. Biology
4. Pre-Med
5. Engineering
6. Business
7. Other students committed to the mission of NOBCChE
(3) Identify a supportive Faculty advisor

1. Ideally a Chem, ChemE, Bio professor (not required)
2. Advisor will need to provide letter of support
(4) Host an on campus NOBCChE kickoff meeting

a. Explain history and benefits of NOBCChE

b. Brainstorm activities and events your chapter will host over the upcoming year

c. Develop Budget (examples available)

d. Identify Fundraising Sources

Chapter Program to include:

- **Professional Development** - via career aids and workshops, etc.
- **Technical Development** - via technical seminars/poster sessions
(5) Register your chapter with student activities office and NOBCChE

Online application for NOBCChE

(5) Member minimum – Student dues are $20

Review Student Chapter procedures

Chapters are reviewed at each NOBCChE board meeting

NOBCChE chapter charter will be conveyed during the NOBCChE National Conference
Attend NOBCChE National or Regional Meeting

NOBCChE chapter charter will be conveyed during the NOBCChE National Convention

Begin enjoying the benefits of being a NOBCChE member
What will you and your school gain from starting a chapter?

1. Building a personal brand of leadership, taking initiative, & developing others
2. Professional development for yourself and others
3. Leverage to get black scientific leaders to come visit your campus
4. Scientific support community
5. STEM Outreach opportunities
6. & many more…
Welcome to the NOBCChE Family!!