

Attend our GREAT Symposium

June 19-21, 2024



You are invited to apply for our Graduate Research in Engineering and Technology (GREAT) Symposium sponsored by Dow's Engineering & Process Science organization in Core R&D. The GREAT Symposium is a three-day virtual event bringing together our team of R&D engineers and technology specialists and a select group of rising graduate students in chemical and mechanical engineering. We are now **accepting applications** to the GREAT Symposium until **May 21, 2024**. To apply, please reply to this email, attaching your résumé and a cover letter that briefly outlines your plans for graduate school. Please share the top one to three outcomes you hope to achieve from this symposium and any additional expectations. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis; therefore, we encourage you to apply early. The symposium will take place virtually, June 19 to June 21, 2024.

GREAT is designed to allow participants to:

- Be better prepared for graduate school by learning key skills from experienced researchers such as selecting an impactful research project and advisor, handling large volumes of relevant literature, and engaging in successful collaborations.
- Learn strategies for tackling difficult research problems and dealing with unexpected challenges.
- Build awareness of the key differences between careers in academia, industry, national laboratories, and non-traditional paths.
- Gain insight into industrial research applications in a broad range of disciplines, illustrated through in-depth information about key initiatives in Dow.
- Learn about the skills necessary for a successful career in any large and/or global organization.
- Find a mentor from a pool of researchers based on interests and mutual connection and begin building a network within the scientific community.

We look forward to receiving your application. **The submission deadline is May 21, 2024. Please send your application materials to Alexa Hausbeck at AHausbeck@dow.com.**