

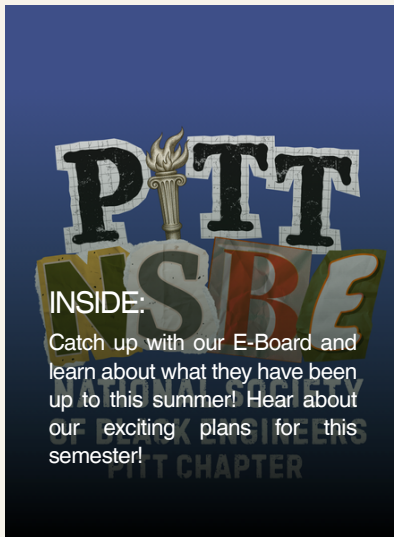
FALL SEMESTER INCOMING!

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PITT NSBE NEWS

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BRAND NEW

A New Way to Connect With Us: Our Website

Over the summer, our E-Board worked hard to restore our Pitt NSBE website! Our website has information all about our chapter and the initiatives we have planned for the semester. Check out our website for more information on our history, achievements, programs, volunteering opportunities, archived newsletters, and more!

In addition, any alumni interested in learning more about how to get involved and/or support our chapter should check out our "Membership" page on the website for more information! Check out our website at the link: pittnsbe.org

COMMUNITY UPDATES

Welcome In and Welcome Back!

To all incoming students, welcome into your first year at the University of Pittsburgh! We at the National Society of Black Engineers - Pitt Chapter (Pitt NSBE) are here to provide community, mentorship, professional development opportunities, and support as you progress through your first year here. And to all of our returning members, welcome back! We hope to continue to be a space that you can trust and rely on. Be sure to stick with us to see all of the exciting things we have planned for this year!

NSBE x SHPE x SASE Welcome Cookout August 22, 3-7 p.m. Benedum Patio

Join us on Saturday, August 22 on the Benedum Patio from 3-7 p.m. for our Welcome Back Cookout!

NSBE, SHPE, & SASE will be hosting a cookout to welcome incoming freshmen and welcome back returning members. This is a great opportunity to meet new people, eat great food, and learn how to get involved in our chapters! Make sure to be there!

Sign up form coming soon to our Instagram: @PITT_NSBE!





Upcoming Events & Programs Calendar

Here is a detailed look at our upcoming schedule.

**AUG
23**

Involvement Fair

Come meet some of our E-Board at the Involvement Fair in the Petersen Events Center from 1-4 p.m.! Feel free to ask us any questions that you may have! See you there!



TBD

First General-Body Meeting

Join us for our first General-Body Meeting (GBM) of the Fall 2026 Semester! GBM's will be a great way to get to know more about our chapter, meet other members of NSBE, and have tons of fun. Be sure to keep an eye out for our first meeting!

**NOV
6-8**

Fall Regional Conference

November 6-8 marks this year's Fall Regional Conference. This year, the regional conference takes place in Pittsburgh, PA! Stay tuned to our website and Instagram as more information becomes available!



View our calendar on the next page for a look ahead at August!

AUGUST

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23 INVOLVEMENT FAIR	24 CLASSES BEGIN	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

DATE: 2026

NOTES:
Be sure to keep a watch on our Instagram and website for more information on future events

TO-DO LIST:

- Check out our wesbite
- Follow our Instagram
- Come to the Cookout
- Find us at the Involvement Fair
- Go to our first GBM
- Pay chapter dues

HANDLES:

- Instagram: @Pitt_NSBE
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- LinkedIn: @Pitt NSBE
- Website: pittnsbe.org



COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

What Was Our E-Board Up to This Summer?

Learn more about what some of our E-Board was up to this summer below:

Austin Moody

VICE PRESIDENT

This summer, Vice President, Austin Moody, had the opportunity to pursue research creating 3D models of the shoulder rotator cuff complex from CT scans using Ansys Simpleware to improve orthopedic approaches to medicine. In addition to his research, Austin continued his passion for music through listening to live indie bands and learning James Tillman's "And Then" on the saxophone. Austin also strengthened his rock-climbing abilities at the Pitt Rec Center!



Jasmine Horton

TORCH CO-CHAIR

TORCH Co-Chair, Jasmine Horton, took this summer as a chance to take some additional classes due to her passion for animatronics: Electromagnetics, Linear Controls, and Junior Design. In addition, Jasmine volunteered with her church to help teach younger children how to jump rope. She also had the opportunity to go on a study abroad trip to Brazil, where she was able to stand over one of the largest hydroelectric dams in the world.

Temi Ogundare

FUNDRAISING CHAIR

Our Fundraising Chair, Temi Ogundare, worked with Amazon to help develop an internal AI Agent this summer. She also used the summer as an opportunity to prepare for the new semester by taking Calculus 2. In addition, Temi took time to travel and explored Vancouver. She also went hiking and got to see Don Toliver and ASAP Rocky in concert!





LOOKING TO GET INVOLVED?

New Committees

This year, we plan on having more ways for students to get involved in our chapter. As a result, we now have three new committees for students to get involved in: Membership Committee, Fundraising Committee, and Communications Committee!

Students wanting to get involved with planning events and general meetings for our chapter should look to the Membership Committee led by our Vice President, Austin Moody.

Students wanting to get involved in planning and organizing fundraising events should look to the Fundraising Committee led by our Treasurer, Preston Gardener.

Students wanting to get involved in our chapter's social media and website should look to the Communications Committee led by our Secretary, Khylee Hollins-Greene.

More information on how to join these committees will come out at a later time, so be sure to keep an eye on our website and Instagram to learn more!



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