

## *National Organization for the Professional Advancement of Black Chemists and Chemical Engineers*

### **Spring 2007 Undergraduate Book Scholarship**

The members of the Purdue University Chapter of the National Organization for the Professional Advancement of Black Chemists and Chemical Engineers (NOBCChE) is pleased to announce the availability of a book scholarship for the upcoming semester. NOBCChE was established to develop and carry out programs to assist ethnic minorities in realizing their full potential in the fields of Chemistry, Chemical Engineering, and other related sciences. NOBCChE's objectives are (1) recruitment and retention of minorities in science and engineering-related university programs; (2) continued professional development of minority scientists, and (3) community involvement for professionals to provide essential role models within our community. This scholarship was implemented for the benefit of under-represented minorities in the fields of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering. The purpose of this scholarship is to recognize and reward undergraduate minority students for their academic performance, and pre-professional and extra-curricular activities. The scholarship will be awarded through the Purdue University Financial Aid office to one student per semester in the amount of \$350.00. Students that are past award recipients should not apply for the scholarship again.

Although membership is not required to apply for this scholarship, we, the Purdue University Chapter of NOBCChE, would like to extend its membership to you. We encourage the participation of undergraduate students in our organization. Becoming a member of NOBCChE will allow you to establish a professional and social network with other scientists and engineers (students, graduate student, and professionals), as well as aid you in your search for scholarships, internships and jobs upon graduation. Our chapter meetings are twice a month every semester and dues are \$10.00/year. Again, we welcome you into our organization.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Please complete the application form and attach the following items: (1) An official transcript. (2) A 1 page typed 1.5 line spaced essay detailing why you chose your major and your future career goals. **Please place all materials in one envelope and mail to the address below or return to the drop off location. The package must be received by *Monday, February 19th, 2007 by 5:00 p.m.* for consideration.**

#### **Drop Off Location**

The drop off location is located in the Brown Chemistry Bldg. You can place your envelope in the mail slot (Inter-campus mail) located on the first floor of the Brown Chemistry Bldg. Make sure NOBCChE's mailing address is on the envelope.

#### **Mailing Address**

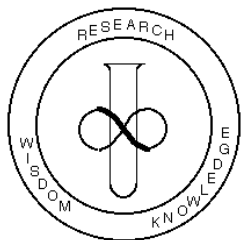
Attention: NOBCChE Executive Board  
560 Oval Dr. Box #206  
Purdue University  
West Lafayette, Indiana 47907

The recipient of the scholarship will be notified by Thursday, March 1st, 2007. If you have any questions regarding the scholarship and/or about the organization, please visit our chapter website at [www.chem.purdue.edu/nobcche](http://www.chem.purdue.edu/nobcche). You can also obtain more information about the national organization at [www.nobcche.org](http://www.nobcche.org).

We are looking forward to your response.

Regards,

Purdue University NOBCChE Chapter



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APPLICATION FORM**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Campus/Off Campus Address:**

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**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ (Home)

\_\_\_\_\_ (School)

**Major:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Classification:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Minor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**G.P.A.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Work/Research Experience:**

**Awards/Honors:**

**Professional/Student Organization Involvement:**

**Essay:** Please do not forget to attach the 1 page typed (1.5 line spacing) essay detailing your career goals and your reason for choosing your major.