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Dear Participant,

DuPont will be hosting a one-day seminar series and oral presentation competition at the 46th National Organization for the Professional Advancement of Black Chemists and Chemical Engineers (NOBCChE) Annual Conference in St. Louis, MO on November 19, 2019. This collaborative initiative supports DuPont’s commitment to a diverse work force and is the first installment of DuPont’s GOLD (Growth Opportunities Leading in Diversity) program, a new platform geared towards exposing doctoral and post-doctoral scientists from underrepresented groups to the wide range of career opportunities in industrial research at DuPont.

The theme of this year’s sponsored conference session will be “Your Science in 2035”. Participants will give an oral presentation on their research, competing to win $1000 and a guaranteed interview with a DuPont recruiter. Each participant will be invited to an all-expense paid dinner on the evening of the competition for an opportunity to network with DuPont recruiters and learn more about life in industry. Interested applicants should submit a one-page resume, one to two-page research summary and a 500-word seminar talk abstract to GOLD@dupont.com. The seminar abstract should focus on your research accomplishments and their potential for technological impact in 2035.

Applications will be accepted through July 31st, 2019. Applicants must be pursuing a doctoral degree in chemistry, chemical engineering, materials science or closely related fields. Participation in this conference session neither obligates the participant to apply for employment or guarantees future consideration for employment by DuPont.

Sincerely,
The DuPont GOLD Planning Committee