# Grant Recipient

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## Proposal

- **Dates/location of the meeting**
  - Oct. 28 – Nov. 2, 2018/Pittsburgh, PA  
    - 2018 AIChE Annual Meeting

- **Itemized budget request**
  - $1000 to partially support airfare and conference registration fees

- **Why did you choose this trip, meeting, etc.?**
  - To network with potential collaborators from academia and industry, chair two sessions, and meet with NSF-CBET program directors

## Activities

- **What did you do?**
  - Met with three NSF program directors
  - Chaired two sessions
  - Initiated two potential collaborative projects

- **Who did you meet with or network with?**
  - Researchers from both academia and industry
  - Potential Ph.D. students to join my group

## Outcomes

- **Anticipated benefits of the trip.**
  - New collaboration with two industry partners for obtaining preliminary data
  - Invitation to give seminar talks
  - Pitch ideas to be reviewed by NSF program directors

- **Expected follow-on activities.**
  - Two collaborative proposals to be submitted in the next few months
  - Submission of two white papers to NSF and an industry partner