### Grant Recipient

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### Activities

- **What did you do?**
  - Attended MIT Professional Education Short Program on Leadership Skills for Engineering and Science Faculty

- **Who did you meet with or network with?**
  - Charles Leiserson, Chuck McVinney, and ~20 other attendees.

### Proposal

- Boston, June 11~12, 2018
- Itemized budget request  
  - Registration Fee (Partial) $1,000
- Why did you choose this trip, meeting, etc.

To develop and be equipped with human-centered strategies for addressing issues that commonly arise within engineering/science research groups.

### Outcomes

- Recognized my brain-dominance profile and how it affects leadership style and effectiveness
- Learned how to apply situational-leadership concepts to the challenges encountered when developing a research group
- Became more creative for conflict management and for handling interpersonal dynamics
- Opened a door to me in studying how leadership styles affect research, education and the learning process