

Center for Advancing Faculty Excellence

Professional
Development Travel
Grants Reports

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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

Grant Recipient

Outcomes

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

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

- 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