



You're invited! It is my pleasure to warmly invite you to our [Alumni and Friends Reception](#) at the 2022 Annual Meeting of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers in Phoenix where we will celebrate our growing department and [distinguished faculty members](#). Join us from 8:00 - 10:00 p.m. on November 14, 2022, at the Phoenix Convention Center in room N-131BC.

We are seeking candidates for an open-area faculty position to join our supportive community that values diversity and inclusion, academic excellence, and service to society. Learn more and apply by Nov. 23 at go.chbe.illinois.edu/Careers.

This year, we welcomed teaching assistant professor [Ryan Mullen](#) in addition to [Tepora Su'a](#) as the assistant director of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion to focus on DEI initiatives in support of our graduate students. [Alexa S. Kuenstler](#) will join our faculty as an assistant professor in 2023.

I hope very much to see you at our reception to learn more about our department and how your expertise can be an asset to our [top-ranked programs](#).

Paul J. A. Kenis
Elio E. Tarika Chair
Department Head

