

I have served as Department Chair at the New Jersey Institute of Technology for the past 7 years and have been active in attendance and participation in the BME Council of Chairs. I am interested in expanding my service by serving as the next CoC treasurer and helping the council achieve its goals.

I have been very active in university, professional society and community service. I have served as session chair, abstract reviewer, the Neural Engineering track chair for the 2019 BMES meeting and organized a 2009 BMES meeting workshop to discuss different viewpoints between neuroscientists, clinicians and engineers. I co-chaired a session at the 2019 Biomedical Engineering Education Summit. As chair, our department hosted the 2017 Northeast Bioengineering Conference which at the time had its highest attendance and required extensive budgeting and fundraising. I regularly participate in review panels, advocate for fair and unbiased review, and enjoy special emphasis panels including NSF CAREER, NSF RAPID and NIH EPSCoR. I have made focused effort at NJIT to expand and enhance BME student experiences including a NSF-REU site, enhancing the capstone design program and a clinical observership program.