

# PROJECT PARTNER INFO HANDOUT SPRING 2025



## **PROJECT PARTNERSHIPS WITH NOBE ILLINOIS**

The Illinois Chapter of the National Organization for Business and Engineering (NOBE) at UIUC offers **free** technical consulting and product delivery services. Project teams work to prepare value-added deliverables for our industry partners in **12-week sessions**.

# **PROJECT TEAM TYPES**

Project partners can choose to work with **one or both** types of project teams:

**Technology Teams -** Create technical product deliverable(s) (e.g. software tools, automation hardware, CAD Designs, etc.)

Consulting Teams - Analyze and present strategic plan(s) for engineering business functions (e.g. feasibility study report, process improvement plan, opposition analysis, etc.)

### **PHASE 1: INITIAL COORDINATION**

Weeks of 1/20 & 1/27

Project chairs meet with partners to discuss project goals, prepare a 12-week plan, and then meet again with partners for approval.

## **PHASE 2: PROJECT EXECUTION**

Weeks of 2/3 - 5/5

**Project Teams** (6-10 members) meet twice a week to collaborate and check-in on project status. Each member also usually spends 1-2 hours per week asynchronously on the project.

**Project Partners** meet with project chairs and representatives from the Executive Team to touch base on project status and present sub-deliverables, if applicable.

#### **PHASE 3: DELIVERY**

Week of 5/5

Project teams present and handoff final deliverable(s) to project partners. The Executive Team gathers final feedback from partners to verify all proposed goals were satisfied.

#### **CONTINUED PARTNERSHIPS**

If your company is interested in working with us again, enjoy priority access to our project committees for **Fall 2025**. Choose to continue the current project or start something new!