



Happy MLK Day!

Hope you are able to take advantage of the many special events happening today on campus and around town. We have a brief-ish edition for you today, the highlight of which is welcoming and introducing six new students who have joined our graduate program this semester.

The next edition of TeamMSE will be published Monday, Jan. 30. If you have anything you'd like to submit, please send it to Kristen Freshley at krisfres@umich.edu by Sunday, Jan. 29.

Upcoming Events

Next two Friday seminar speakers

Friday, January 20:



Fiorenzo Omenetto of Tufts will present *"Living materials - future applications with forms of the past?"* **10:15 a.m.** in **1013 Dow**.

Zoom: <https://umich.zoom.us/j/98899169074>

Passcode: [mse890](#)

Friday, January 27:

David Flannigan of the University of Minnesota will present *"High-Resolution Ultrafast Electron Microscopy for Energy, Quantum, and Soft Materials"* **10:15 a.m.** in **1013 Dow**.

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DEI events





January 2023

DEI LECTURE SERIES

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI): An Entrepreneur's View

Wednesday, January 25, 2023 | 12-1pm | Zoom Webinar (Registration Required)

Presented by David Tarver, a lecturer in the Michigan Engineering Center for Entrepreneurship and founder and board president of the Urban Entrepreneurship Initiative

Examining corporate and academic circles' views on DEI efforts, David Tarver will share his perspective as he's witnessed the evolution of DEI up close and personal as a tech entrepreneur.

In this lecture, he will discuss effective DEI strategies that aim to inform the choices organizations make about the communities they choose to engage, the resources they choose to deploy, and the problems they choose to solve, which ultimately lead to higher-performing organizations, communities, and societies.



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Student News

A warm welcome to our new graduate students!

Six students joined our graduate program this semester (in addition to the two members of the Holm group, **Kyle Farmer** and **Meizhong Lyu**, who we introduced you to last month). Our new "January joiners" include PhD students **Daniel Delgado** (Dasgupta) and **Jaime Perez Coronado** (Taub), and master's students **Gabi Grey**, **Melissa Masforroll**, **Krystal Quinn** and **Rohan Somashekara**. Welcome, Daniel, Jaime, Melissa and Rohan - and welcome back, Gabi and Krystal!

PhD



Daniel Delgado
(Dasgupta)
California Institute of Technology



Jaime Perez Coronado
(Taub)
Monterrey Institute of Technology & Higher Education

M.S.E.



Gabi Grey
U-M MSE



Melissa Masforroll
Florida International University

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