

## **Future Leaders Academy**

2025/2026 Theme: Student-Centered Learning

## Call for Participants Nomination Deadline: June 1, 2025

The Future Leaders Academy is a new, nationally recognized engineering education training program led by CEEA-ACÉG. The overarching goal of the Future Leaders Academy is to cultivate an ecosystem to support engineering education excellence that is recognized within Canada and globally, to inspire continual innovation, and elevate engineering education scholarship, through the accelerated training of early-career educators. This innovative year-long training and mentoring program will unite educators, organizations, resources, and initiatives so that all stakeholders can collaboratively work together to effect transformational change in the way we educate engineers.

Throughout the 12-month program, participants will actively engage in the following in person and online activities:

- Launch/Welcome at CEEA-ACÉG conference June 18-21, 2025 (3-5 days) (in person)
- Graduation/Presentation at subsequent CEEA-ACÉG conference in June 2026 (3-5 days) (in person)
- CEEA-ACÉG IET foundations course (8 hours over 2 half-days) (online)
- Monthly online community of practice seminars (at least 7 out of 10 sessions required for program completion) (1-2 hours each)
- Monthly online mentorship meetings (approx. 10 sessions) (1 hour each)
- Culminating institutional project presented at the CEEA-ACÉG conference in June 2026 (in person)

Candidate profile is based on the following selection criteria:

- Early career teaching- or research-stream faculty
- At least one year of teaching experience
- Motivation to improve teaching impact
- Interest in evidence-based practices in engineering education
- Potential to become academic leaders at their institution

The inaugural cohort will be 12 participants. Participant costs are estimated to be \$5500 over the year, to be paid by the HEI and/or the participant as appropriate.

## Required Documentation for Nomination by Engineering Deans:

- Nomination letter highlighting the nominee's profile alignment with the selection criteria (500word limit)
- Curriculum Vitae of Nominee
- Teaching Statement of Nominee (500-word limit)

## Nominations are due to CEEA-ACÉG by email.

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