

Call for Association for Mentoring and Inclusion (AMIE) Mentors for 2023-2024

AMIE's mentoring program is aimed at guiding Ph.D. students, both students currently in the U.S. and elsewhere, in economics/public policy/applied economics/agricultural economics, especially those from underrepresented minorities (URM), LGBTQIA++ community (broadly defined), first-generation college, and international students.

AMIE was co-founded with the vision to identify and address group-based or other outcome disparities for junior scholars in the economics profession. In particular, AMIE aims to address various gaps in the economics profession for Ph.D. students, especially those from underrepresented minorities (URM), LGBTQIA++ community (broadly defined), first-generation college, and international students. The core functions of AMIE include mentorship; equal access to opportunities; inclusion and outreach; and hosting programs and events designed to provide networking opportunities, professional development, and so forth.

AMIE strives to be diverse along all dimensions that may be important for effective mentoring and inclusion. AMIE is proud to be associated with dedicated <u>board members</u> who are passionate about inclusion and diversity.

In 2021-2022, AMIE ran a successful mentoring program for 32 mentees with the help of 25 mentors. In 2022-2023, AMIE ran a successful mentoring program for 53 mentees with the help of 19 mentors. AIME will continue with the mentoring program for the year 2023-2024 and is looking for kind, and generous mentors to help with the mentoring initiative of AMIE.

WHO CAN BE AN AMIE MENTOR?

- Anyone who is a Ph.D. in economics/public policy/applied economics/agricultural economics (for e.g., tenure-track/tenured faculty in an academic institution; economists in research organizations/think tanks; governments, NGOs, private sector; and consulting), and who is excited to support and nurture the next generation of economists.
- A minimum commitment of one year (roughly 12-15 hours in a year).

Once we have the mentoring team for 2023-2024, AMIE will send call for mentees and will match 2 mentors to 2-3 mentees (as a group). If you are willing to serve as a mentor, please fill up the google form https://forms.gle/dq9akALiU4jmcZz97 by May 30, 2023.

If you have questions, email us at: amie.mentoring@gmail.com

AIME Mentoring Team (2023-2024)

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More information on AMIE: http://econmentoring.org/