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#NSBE2026

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# 2026 ANNUAL CONVENTION

NATIONAL SOCIETY OF BLACK ENGINEERS

## Convention Overview

# Agenda

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# Annual Convention Theme Advancing S.T.E.M.



The #NSBE2026 theme reflects a **bold vision and call to action**, empowering members to innovate, champion equity, dismantle barriers, and inspire lasting generational change.

March 18-22, 2026  
Baltimore, MD  
Baltimore Convention Center

## Shaping the Future

Equip members to lead advancements in emerging fields like AI & green engineering.

## Transforming Communities

Advocate for equity and inspire the next generation to pursue STEM.

## Empowering Excellence

Deliver cutting-edge education to help members thrive academically.

## Mobilizing Innovation

Foster a culture of bold ideas and initiatives that leave a lasting legacy.

# WHY #NSBE2026?



Networking

Career  
Fair

Professional  
Development

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**Convention Mobile App**

# NSBE EVENTS

- ✓ **The Convention App is available starting March 5!**
- ✓ **Download the *NSBE Events App* to view everything Convention has to offer! (if you have NSBE Events downloaded, please update it in your app store)**
- ✓ **Attendees must be registered to access mobile app**  
*(attendees will receive an email with instructions to access app)*
- ✓ **Not registered? No problem! Non-Attendees can access the desktop version**
- ✓ **New attendees are added on a rolling basis**



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**Convention Transportation & Housing**

# Airport Route & Shuttle Times

## Route 2

### Green

- DoubleTree BWI
- Westin BWI
- Sheraton BWI
- Hilton Garden Inn
- Maritime Conf. Center

## Route 3

### Red

- Aloft BWI
- Hilton BWI
- Fairfield BWI
- Holiday Inn BWI

## Shuttle Hours

### March 18

12 – 4 PM (5 Coaches)  
4 – 11 PM\*\* (12 Coaches)

### March 19

7 – 10 AM\* (12 Coaches)  
11 AM – 4 PM (5 Coaches)  
4 – 11 PM\*\* (12 Coaches)

### March 20

7 – 10 AM\* (12 Coaches)  
11 AM – 4 PM (5 Coaches)  
4 – 11 PM\*\* (12 Coaches)

### March 21

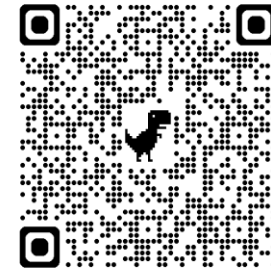
7 – 10 AM\* (12 Coaches)  
11 AM – 4 PM (5 Coaches)  
4 – 11 PM\*\* (12 Coaches)

\* Last coaches depart hotels from Convention Center.

\*\* Last coaches depart Convention Center to return to hotels.

# Downtown Transportation

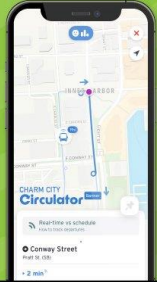
- ✓ Baltimore Convention Center and downtown hotels are walkable and easily accessible
- ✓ Baltimore offers FREE public transportation via the Charm City Circulator
- ✓ NSBE2026 will utilize the Charm City Circulator for convenient downtown access
- ✓ A custom Google Map with routes and hotel locations has been curated for downtown attendees
- ✓ Physical route maps will be available at hotels



**Bus Routes  
via Google Maps**

# Downtown Transportation

TRACK THE ARRIVAL OF YOUR NEXT RIDE!



@CharmCityCirc



CharmCityCirc.com

Feel free to Circulate

Year-Round Operating Hours

**Mon. - Thur.:** 7:00 am - 8:00 pm  
**Friday:** 7:00 am - Midnight  
**Saturday:** 9:00 am - Midnight  
**Sunday:** 9:00 am - 8:00 pm



@CharmCityCirc



CharmCityCirc.com

For more information about the Charm City Circulator, please  
visit [www.waterfrontpartnership.org/transportation](http://www.waterfrontpartnership.org/transportation)

# Need more travel discounts?

For more travel discounts, visit <https://convention.nsbe.org/plan/#brxe-ftnmby>



**We are happy to partner with**

- American Airlines
- Delta Airlines
- United Airlines
- Southwest airlines
- JetBlue Airlines

**To offer discounted group travel**

**We are happy to partner with**

- National Car Rental Enterprise
- Enterprise Car Rental

**To offer discounted car rentals**

# HOUSING REMINDERS



**As of March 3, 2026**

- All changes and cancellations must go through hotels directly

**Hotel Confirmations**

- Hotel Confirmations have been sent to attendees

**Cancellations**

- Cancellation process has been in effect (*Fee: one night's room and tax*)

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**Program Highlights**

# A New Experience!

The 2026 Annual Convention unites every experience into mission-aligned Member Journeys—curated, story-driven paths designed for students and professionals at every stage.

These journeys help you navigate the convention with intention, connecting you to sessions, events, and networking opportunities that match your goals.

# The Member Journeys

## NSBE Jr. Journey (PCI):

STEM skills,  
career  
exploration, &  
leadership for  
grades 3–12

## Collegiate Journey:

Academic  
success,  
leadership,  
career  
readiness, and  
community  
engagement for  
undergraduates

## Master's Scholar Journey:

Advanced  
academics,  
research,  
networking,  
and career  
preparation for  
graduate  
students

## Doctoral Scholar Journey:

Research  
collaboration,  
publication  
strategies, &  
postdoctoral  
planning for  
doctoral  
candidates

## Young Professional Journey (1–5 years):

Career  
acceleration,  
networking,  
certifications,  
and financial  
literacy for  
early  
professionals

## Experienced Professional Journey (6+ years):

Executive  
leadership,  
mentorship,  
legacy building,  
& industry  
influence for  
seasoned  
professionals

Plan your path. Make every moment count. Experience #NSBE2026 your way.

# New Signature Programs

## NEXTGEN INNOVATION EXPO

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Discover  
emerging  
technologies  
and the minds  
driving  
industry.

## ENGINEERING HEALTH & WELLNESS EXPO

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A full wellness  
experience  
designed to  
empower our  
members to  
live healthier!

## NSBE BOP

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An immersive  
end-of-  
convention  
festival to  
celebrate us!

# Workshops & Certifications

## Masterclasses – Crafting the Journey

Dynamic speakers. Purposeful, identity-driven sessions.

## Learning Labs – Learning and Culture

Workshops blending skills with real-world impact.

## Advancing S.T.E.M. Mastery Series - Certifications

Immersive tracks with certifications and growth

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**How to Prepare for Convention**

# Tips To Land A Job At #NSBE2026

1. Sign-up for the NSBE Career Center – many companies pre-screen candidates before the onsite Career Fair
2. Review and Update your LinkedIn profile and resume
3. Research companies & exhibitors
4. Have your suit tailored and dry-cleaned.
5. Bring multiple resumes, pen/paper, and physical or digital business cards.
6. Share your LinkedIn QR code to connect with recruiters!
7. Visit the NSBE Career Fair Prep Center in Baltimore!
8. Network and make connections! It is one of the benefits of attending Convention.

# Who's Attending #NSBE2026?

- Accenture
- Apple
- Bechtel
- Cadence

- FM Global
- Ford Motor Co
- General Motors
- Goldman Sachs

- Pfizer
- Schneider Electric
- Siemens

- Caterpillar
- Cummins
- Delta
- Edwards Lifesciences

- Honeywell
- Jacobs
- Lenovo
- Lockheed Martin
- Microsoft

- Toyota
- Trimble
- UPS
- ...and so much more!

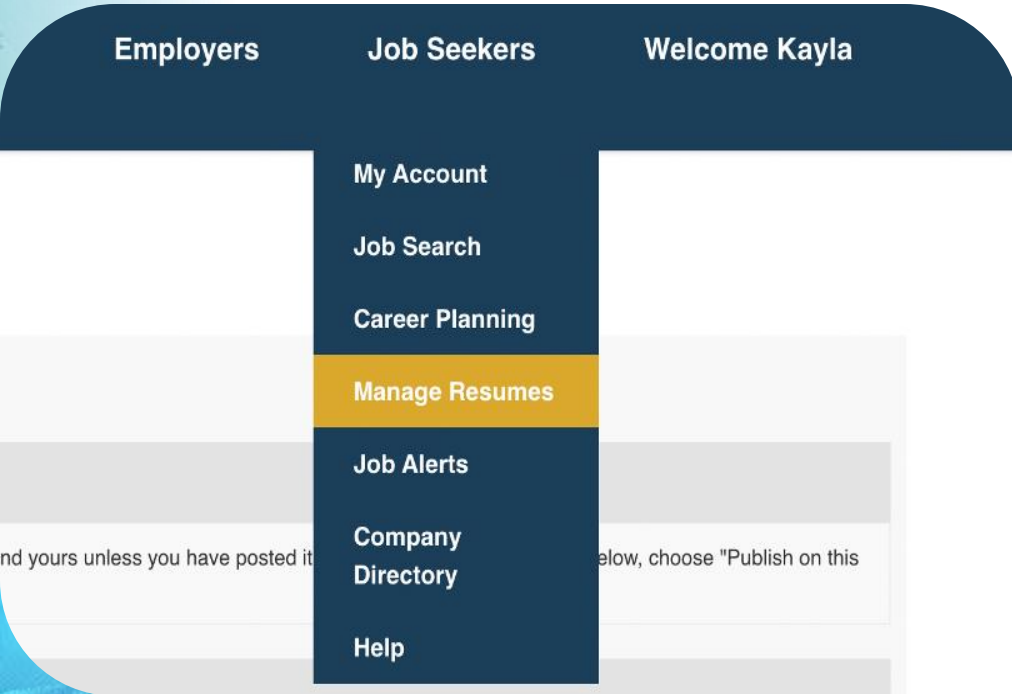
# NSBE Career Center



Upload  
Resume

Job Search

1. Visit NSBE Career Center at <https://careers.nsbe.org/>
2. Sign into your NSBE account
3. Upload your resume under 'Manage Resumes'
4. View job postings on 'Job Search'



# WHAT TO PACK?



- **Typical weather:** 44°F – 60°F
- **Dress code:** business casual for most events and sessions, however, for the career fair & hospitality networking suites, business professional is encouraged
- **Comfortable shoes** (lots of walking)
- **Leisurely clothes** for evening and casual events
- **Accessories and Toiletries:** brush/ combs, watches/ jewelry, medications, cologne/ perfume, lint roller, deodorant, water bottle, portable charger, umbrella
- **Snacks** for downtime
- **Wallet / Identification**

# WHAT TO PACK?

## Men's Attire

Professional | Business Casual

Keep color palette neutral



More colors and textures can be incorporated

Tailored suit or sports jacket

Jacket or vest can be added for a more professional look

Tie

Collared Shirt

Tailored suit pants or nice dress pants

Neck tie is optional

Primary sock color matches pants color

Belt color should match shoes

Dress Shoes

Khaki pants or nice dress pants

## Women's Attire

Professional | Business Casual

Keep color palette neutral



More colors and textures can be incorporated

Tailored suit jacket or blazer

Jacket or cardigan can be added for a more professional look

No more than 5 pieces of simple jewelry

No strapless or spaghetti-strap tops

Tailored suit pants, slacks, knee-length dress or skirt

Khaki pants, nice dress pants, or fingertip-length skirts

Low heels are acceptable

Flats or heels (3.5" or less)

# CAREER FAIR PREP CENTER

## brought to you by Honeywell



Get fully career-ready with on-site support to help you **look, feel, and present your best:**

- **Expert Resume Reviews**
- **Realistic Mock Interviews**
- **Professional Headshots**
- **Hairstylists & Barbers**
- **On-Site Manicurist**

**Pro Tip:** Save your resume on your phone! You'll want to upload or scan it quickly when networking or applying on the spot!

# Become a Convention Volunteer

Volunteers are an integral component of our Convention's success and serve in a variety of roles at Annual Convention such

- Check-in and monitoring session rooms
- Preparing materials for attendees
- Welcoming attendees

If you are interested in volunteering, please indicate interest during the registration process. The CPC will reach out to you in February 2026 with the next steps.

If you have any questions about volunteering, contact Chidera Osaji, CPC Hospitality & Volunteer Coordinator, at [cpchospitality@nsbe.org](mailto:cpchospitality@nsbe.org)

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**Important Reminders**

# Late Registration Rates

<b>Demographic</b>	<b>Late 3/5/26 - 3/25/26</b>
<b>Professional</b>	<b>\$760</b>
<b>Professional Chapter Officer</b>	<b>\$705</b>
<b>Professional Delegate</b>	<b>\$760</b>
<b>Lifetime Member</b>	<b>\$310</b>
<b>International Member</b>	<b>\$500</b>

*See all rates at <https://convention.nsbe.org/register-for-nsbe2026/>*

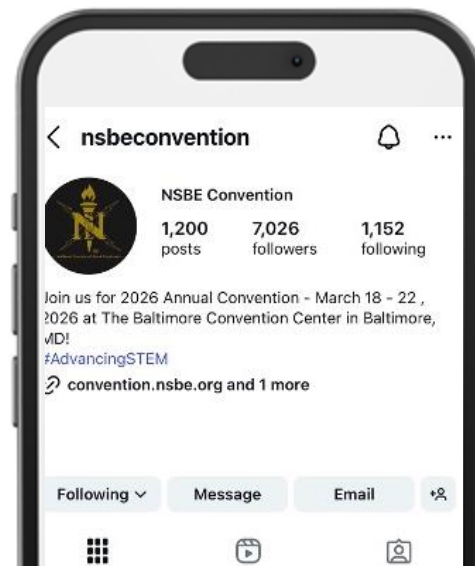
# Membership & Registration Tips

- Members get the best rates. **Join NSBE** and become a member today.
  - *To receive the discounted rate, membership must be purchased before registering for the 2026 Annual Convention.*
- If your membership type is incorrect in the MyNSBE, please contact **membership@nsbe.org** to get it corrected.
  - *NSBE will not offer refunds to individuals who register first, then purchase a membership, and then request an adjusted registration rate.*
- If you are a Chapter Executive Officer (CEO), Senator / Delegate, or APEx member, verify your status in the MyNSBE portal before registering.
  - *If your CEO, Senator, or Delegate status is missing, contact your Chapter President or Advisor*
  - *NSBE will not offer refunds to individuals whose status changes after registering for the Annual Convention*

# CONNECT WITH US ON SOCIAL MEDIA



[CONVENTION.NSBE.ORG](https://CONVENTION.NSBE.ORG)



# FAQs

- **Do I need to be a NSBE member to attend the 2026 Annual Convention?**
  - **No**, the Annual Convention is open to everyone, but members get the best rates. Join NSBE and become a member today.
- **Where do I find the most up to date convention information?**
  - Visit the #NSBE2026 Annual Convention Website, [www.convention.nsbe.org](http://www.convention.nsbe.org)
- **What is the dress code for Annual Convention?**
  - The dress code is business casual for most events and sessions, however, for the career fair, please come dressed in professional attire (men must wear a tie/blazer).
- **Where can I find the most up-to-date convention schedule?**
  - Visit the 'Learn' tab of the Convention website, [www.convention.nsbe.org](http://www.convention.nsbe.org)
- **Who do I contact if I have a membership or registration issues?**
  - Please contact NSBE at [membership@nsbe.org](mailto:membership@nsbe.org) for all inquiries regarding 2026 Annual Convention registration.



# THANK YOU



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