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Indigenous and Black Engineering and Technology

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The Indigenous and Black Engineering and Technology (IBET) fellowship is organized by six Universities: McMaster, Waterloo, Western, Ottawa, Queen's, and Toronto. The IBET fellowship is emplaced, to fill the gap of groups that are unrepresented, in industry leadership roles and academia in Canada. These groups are Blacks and Indigenous, as seen, represents a relatively small fraction of the people in, science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM), and lesser in numbers in leadership roles in the industry and academia.

The six universities listed above, are attempting to make a more inclusive landscape. With beliefs, this attempt can make the youth of these unrepresented groups more inspired toward STEM, and in general, a hope the youth would have an aptitude to learn.

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