

Black Excellence in Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics and Medicine (BE-STEMM)
2026 Conference agenda

Day 1 – Thursday, July 30, 2026

Theme: Interdisciplinary sciences

Time	Event
8am – 8:45 am	Breakfast and registration
9:00 – 10:15 am	Opening plenary
10:15 – 11:00am	Networking and Transition
11:05am – 12:35pm	Concurrent sessions
12:35 – 1:30pm	Lunch and Networking
1:30-3:00 pm	Workshop - Technology Innovation Session
3:00 – 4:00pm	Career session
4:00 – 5:00pm	Poster session

Day 2 – Friday July 31, 2026

Theme: Engineering, mathematics, natural sciences and applied sciences

Time	Event
8am – 8:45 am	Breakfast and registration
9:00 – 10:15 am	Keynote presentation
10:15 – 10:30 am	Networking and Transition
10:30am – 12:10pm	Concurrent sessions
12:10 – 1:30pm	Lunch and Networking
1:30 – 3:00pm	Workshop - Entrepreneurship & Innovation Session
3:00 – 4:00pm	Career fair
4:00 – 5:00pm	Poster session

Day 3 – Saturday August 1, 2026

Theme: Medicine, life sciences, health

Time	Event
8am – 8:45 am	Breakfast and registration
9:00 – 10:15 am	Keynote presentation
10:15 – 10:30 am	Networking and Transition
10:30am – 12:10pm	Concurrent session
12:10 – 1:00pm	Lunch and Networking
1:00 – 2:30pm	Professional development workshop
2:30 – 4:00pm	Poster session
4:00 – 5:00pm	Break
5:00 – 7:00pm	Awards banquet

Day 4 – Sunday August 2, 2026

Social activity (details to be confirmed)