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Who's Shaping Connecticut's Future in Science and Technology? CASE Wants to Know.

Nominations are now open for election to the Connecticut Academy of Science and Engineering

East Hartford, CT — From labs developing next-generation therapies to research teams building tomorrow's quantum technologies, Connecticut is home to people whose work is changing what is possible. The Connecticut Academy of Science and Engineering (CASE) is calling on its members to nominate them to the Academy.

CASE opened its 2027 Call for Nominations on October 1, inviting members to nominate scientists, engineers, innovators, and leaders who have left a lasting mark on their fields. Election to the Academy is one of the state's highest honors in science and technology and connects new members to a network that advises Connecticut's policymakers on the issues that will define its economy and quality of life.

Who is eligible for nomination?
CASE is seeking people who live or work in Connecticut and meet one or both of the nomination criteria:

- achieved scientific distinction through significant original contributions in theory or application, or
- shown unusual accomplishment in pioneering new and emerging fields of applied science and technology.

Strong candidates come from every corner of the state's innovation community: industry, universities, government, and startups. CASE especially encourages nominations that reflect the full diversity of Connecticut's STEMM community, including leaders in emerging fields such as quantum, AI, climate technology, and biotech.

Nominations are due **by 4:00 p.m. on November 12, 2026**. Full details are available on the CASE website: https://ctcase.org/members/member-nominations/.

Questions? Contact Kerry Shea, Assistant Director, at kshea@ctcase.org.

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