

Progress from a Minor towards an Undergraduate Major in Nuclear Engineering Program at Wilberforce and Central State Universities

Executive Summary

Wilberforce University (WU), the first Historically Black College or University (HBCU) established in the United States (in 1856) and Central State University (CSU), actually a spin-off from Wilberforce University (in 1947), began Undergraduate Minor in Nuclear Engineering (MINE) programs in 2005 with help from The Ohio State University. The objective of this proposal is to improve the infrastructure at WU and CSU, as well as to develop additional courses and laboratory experiments in order to progress from the Undergraduate Minor to an Undergraduate Major in Nuclear Engineering program, through additional mentoring and close supervision from The Ohio State University.

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