



Siebel Scholars Foundation

Siebel Scholars form an exceptional community of leaders in business, computer science, bioengineering, and energy science. Siebel Scholars join forces with world-renowned experts and authorities to examine today's most pressing issues and explore solutions that will have lasting impact.

“Being named a Siebel Scholar is truly a mark of distinction, held by only a small percentage of the best and brightest among the top business and engineering schools.”

—Michael Spence, Former Dean, Stanford University,
Graduate School of Business, 2001 Nobel Laureate in Economics

Siebel Scholars Universities

BUSINESS

HARVARD UNIVERSITY
Harvard Business School

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
Sloan School of Management

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY
Kellogg School of Management

STANFORD UNIVERSITY
Graduate School of Business

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO
Booth School of Business

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
The Wharton School

ENERGY SCIENCE

CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY
School of Computer Science

ÉCOLE POLYTECHNIQUE
Graduate School

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
School of Engineering

POLITECNICO DI TORINO
Doctoral School

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY
School of Engineering and Applied Science

STANFORD UNIVERSITY
School of Earth, Energy & Environmental Sciences

TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY
Laboratory of Low Carbon Energy

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY
College of Engineering

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA-CHAMPAIGN
College of Engineering

THE UNIVERSITY OF TOKYO
School of Engineering

BIOENGINEERING

JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY
Whiting School of Engineering

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
School of Engineering

STANFORD UNIVERSITY
School of Engineering

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY
College of Engineering

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO
Jacobs School of Engineering

COMPUTER SCIENCE

CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY
School of Computer Science

HARVARD UNIVERSITY
John A. Paulson School of Engineering and Applied Sciences

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
School of Engineering

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY
School of Engineering and Applied Science

STANFORD UNIVERSITY
School of Engineering

TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY
School of Information Science and Technology

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY
College of Engineering

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA-CHAMPAIGN
College of Engineering



Empowering a community of leaders

Siebel Scholars

The Siebel Scholars program was founded in 2000 to recognize the most talented students at the world’s leading graduate schools of business, computer science, bioengineering, and energy science and to form an active, lifelong community among an ever-growing group of leaders. Each year, over 90 outstanding graduate students are selected as Siebel Scholars based on academic excellence and leadership and receive a \$35,000 award toward their final year of studies.

Today, more than 1,000 of the world’s brightest minds are Siebel Scholars. This exceptional group has the unique opportunity to directly influence the technologies, policies, and economic and social decisions that shape the future. Siebel Scholars serve as key advisors to the Siebel Foundation, guiding the development of innovative programs the Foundation initiates. The Siebel Scholars

community is also integral to a highly outcome-driven Siebel Scholars conference held each year to explore critical social issues.

The Siebel Scholars program is funded with grants totaling more than \$45 million to Carnegie Mellon University; École Polytechnique; Harvard University; Johns Hopkins University; Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Northwestern University; Politecnico di Torino; Princeton University; Stanford University; Tsinghua University; University of California, Berkeley; University of California, San Diego; University of Chicago; University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; University of Pennsylvania; and The University of Tokyo.

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Joining forces for a lasting impact

An Exceptional Community

Siebel Scholars comprise a vibrant community of accomplished business, computer science, bioengineering, and energy science leaders. Each year, the dean of each participating school selects Siebel Scholars from among the top students, based upon outstanding academic achievement and demonstrated leadership. Representing the best and brightest from around the globe, this distinguished group forms a unique professional and personal network—bringing together diverse insights and perspectives from business and engineering disciplines at the forefront of solutions to world-changing social issues.

At the Siebel Scholars conference and at regional events, Siebel Scholars convene with eminent authorities on pressing global challenges to discuss breakthrough discoveries and ideas. The Siebel Scholars community actively fosters leadership, collaboration,

and increased potential for Siebel Scholars to achieve through their work with an incomparable group of equally talented peers.

Siebel Scholars are instrumental in the development and operation of projects undertaken by the Siebel Foundation. From large-scale initiatives to address global energy usage to community-based activities that help answer the need for public health solutions, Siebel Scholars actively advise the Siebel Foundation as it establishes strategies and programs to deliver meaningful social change.

“The Siebel Scholars community is more than a professional network because of its capacity to make a big difference in the world, thanks to the group’s diverse talent, the challenges to which we apply ourselves, and the opportunities we have to drive change through our own work and that of the Siebel Foundation.”

—Matthew Denny, University of California, Berkeley, College of Engineering, Class of 2006





Examining today's tough issues

“When I became a Siebel Scholar, I joined a group of remarkable people who aspire and work to accomplish great things, individually and collectively. Through this network we have opportunities to challenge each other, help one another, and achieve more together.”

—Minit Gupta, Northwestern University, Kellogg School of Management, Class of 2008

The Siebel Scholars Conference

Current Siebel Scholars and Siebel Scholars alumni convene for an extraordinary opportunity to examine global issues with heads of state, scientists, lawmakers, and experts in search of solutions to some of the world's most urgent problems.

Participants in past Siebel Scholars conferences have included British Prime Minister John Major, Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services Mike Leavitt, U.S. Secretary of Energy Spencer Abraham, and U.S. Secretaries of State Alexander Haig and Condoleezza Rice.

The Siebel Scholars conference program is highly outcome-oriented, and Siebel Scholars play a key role in transforming discussion into action. The 2007 conference on “The Economics of Alternative Energy,” and the 2010 conference on “Energy and Climate,” led to

the creation of several initiatives to significantly advance energy efficiency and security. “Justice in America,” the focus in 2004, gave rise to the Meth Project. Since the Project's inception in Montana in 2005, teen Meth use in the state has declined 63% and has since been adopted by seven additional states, prompting *Barron's* to place the Meth Project third in its worldwide ranking of the most effective philanthropies.

The 2002 conference, “Stem Cell Research and the Role of the State in Regulating the Economy,” gave rise to the Siebel Stem Cell Institute—a joint stem cell research institute between the University of California Berkeley, Stem Cell Center and Stanford Institute for Stem Cell Biology and Regenerative Medicine—to investigate the root causes of diseases and prospective therapies.

Vision and Core Values

Siebel Scholars are examining some of today's most pressing problems and advancing on solutions. The principles underlying Siebel Scholars' efforts are social responsibility, entrepreneurship, and lifelong community.

Social Responsibility: Siebel Scholars collaborate on solutions to critical social issues—with a focus on areas that are underserved and have the highest impact on society—through open, non-partisan exploration of ideas.

Entrepreneurship: Siebel Scholars apply business, computer science, bioengineering, and energy science expertise to drive breakthrough discoveries and fuel innovation.

Lifelong Community: Siebel Scholars form relationships with their peers and seek opportunities to provide community support through professional and social connections.

Siebel Scholars Conferences

2000 CONFERENCE

Global Security and the Human Genome Project

University of Chicago

2001 CONFERENCE

Crisis Management and Global Terrorism

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

2002 CONFERENCE

Stem Cell Research and the Role of the State in Regulating the Economy

Stanford University

2004 CONFERENCE

A Discussion of Justice in America

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

2005 CONFERENCE

The Methamphetamine Crisis in America

University of Chicago

2007 CONFERENCE

The Economics of Alternative Energy

University of California, Berkeley

2008 CONFERENCE

Water: The Next Global Crisis?

Northwestern University

2010 CONFERENCE

Energy and Climate

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

2011 CONFERENCE

Synthetic Biology

Howard Hughes Medical Institute

2012 CONFERENCE

Class Warfare

University of California, Berkeley

