DEVELOPING EMERGING LEADERS AND TALENT IN AGRICULTURE (DELTA) SYMPOSIUM, RESEARCH GRANT AND SCHOLARSHIP

About DELTA

<u>Corteva Agriscience</u>, a global pure-play agriculture company focused on enriching the lives of those who produce and those who consume, invites under-represented minority undergraduate and graduate students, as well as postdocs, to register for a new two-phased program called DELTA. Ideal participants are interested in a career in agriculture and want to learn more about sustainable and reliable food production.

DELTA is led by members of Corteva Agriscience Research and Development (R&D). It offers eligible candidates an opportunity to participate in a **virtual** R&D symposium, which will provide a technical overview of the company and a chance to share their research, network and develop soft skills that are essential to any industry career. Register for the symposium <u>here</u>.

This program also includes an opportunity for students and postdocs to secure a research grant (graduate) or scholarship (undergraduate). Awardees will have the opportunity to interact with an industry mentor. Apply for the research <u>grant</u> or <u>scholarship</u> if you meet the requirements.

Participants Requirements

Symposium participants should be a rising undergraduate senior, masters or doctoral student or post-doc within 1 year of completion studying in a technical agriculture related discipline.

Preferred disciplines include biology, biochemistry, biological/agricultural engineering, analytical chemistry, organic chemistry, data and computer sciences, chemical engineering, genomics, material sciences, molecular biology, plant breeding and closely related fields.

Students that do not meet the criteria above should consider applying for the DELTA research grant/ scholarship. Applicants should expect to receive their degree by December 2023.

DELTA is in alignment with Corteva's Inclusion, Diversity and Equity initiatives with a targeted audience of under-represented minorities (Black/African American, American Indian, Alaska Natives, and Hispanic). Non-U.S. citizens are eligible for participation if they meet the targeted audience requirements.

Application and registration deadlines are June 11, 2021 for the symposium and June 15, 2021 for the grant/scholarship.

