As you know, the complexities of biomedical research often require the investigator to collaborate across disciplines. The Center for Biomedical Engineering Systems (CBES) is a multidisciplinary Center founded to provide the added infrastructure that researchers interested in engineering solutions to biomedical problems require to effectively compete. CBES’ emphasis on using a systemic strategy is designed to help its faculty inform themselves of the critical and often multi-scale issues relevant to the biomedical problems their research initiatives seek to solve. The Center’s activities range from helping Charlotte-area researchers and medical practitioners connect with each other to establish successful collaborations—to—ultimately serving as a source of strategic funding and facility equipment for its affiliated faculty. To promote dialogue and exchange between our affiliated researchers and practitioners, the focus areas of our Center have evolved into the following set of 3: Medical Therapies and Technologies (MTT), Molecular Engineering & Design (MED), and Biomechanics and Mobility Research (BMR).

This year’s Center activities are primarily focused on solidifying biomedical partnerships, and helping our CBES affiliated researchers make the research connections they need to achieve their biomedical goals. As such all CBES events, workshops, and Focus Area meetings for the current academic year, were designed with this in mind.

To be considered for affiliation with CBES, simply submit two things:

1. A brief coverletter describing: (a) how your current research or development agenda is aligned with CBES’ mission {see www.cbes.uncc.edu for mission statement}; (b) what you seek to gain from your CBES affiliation; and (c) where you can to contribute CBES (use the focus areas given in the PDF as your guide).

2. A 2-3 page CV clearly listing CBES-relevant publications and scholarly activities.

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We certainly hope to work with you in the near future.

Sincerely,

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