The Department of Agricultural and Biological Engineering (ABE) prepares students, citizens, and industry for the future through innovative education, cutting-edge research, and extension and outreach programs that better our world. Our programs are thriving: record numbers of undergraduate students are pursuing degrees in agricultural engineering, biological engineering, and agricultural systems management.

**STUDENTS:** Our undergraduate programs have been ranked #1 by U.S. News & World Report for the fifth consecutive year. Scholarships are important in recruiting and retaining outstanding undergraduate students, and — given the current size and quality of our programs — we have record numbers of students deserving of scholarships.

Our graduate programs continue to excel as well, with record enrollments and a #1 ranking by U.S. News & World Report for the seventh consecutive year. Graduate students are vital to the cutting-edge research pursued in ABE. Graduate fellowships to attract top students are crucial, as is support for travel so that graduate students can present their work at professional meetings.

Your continued support allows us to offer students life-changing opportunities — investments in experiences and opportunities for our students beyond those provided by University resources. Your gifts will allow us to enhance hands-on laboratory experiences; provide scholarships to students who choose to study abroad; and fund student participation in student clubs and activities.

**FACULTY:** ABE has outstanding professors devoted to learning, discovery, and engagement. As a result of the College of Engineering’s strategic growth initiative, we are hiring new professors who will enhance student opportunities and help us pursue research in new areas.

**FACILITIES:** We are working with a facilities planner to create a vision for facilities that will enhance opportunities for our students and help us grow the impactful research we conduct. The new space will greatly expand student laboratory space in each of our degree areas and provide state-of-the-art research spaces that can leverage synergies across our research program. We look forward to sharing this vision with you in the near future and engaging you in our pursuit of this vision.

**HOW YOU CAN HELP**
The work we do in ABE matters. Support from you — for hands-on learning, student scholarships, graduate fellowships, and professional development; for faculty support; and for transformational new facilities — helps keep us among the best agricultural and biological programs in the country. We invite you to join us, through *Ever True: The Campaign for Purdue University*, in providing life-changing opportunities for our future ABE alumni.