

DR. OGHENETEGA (TEGA) OBEWHERE

Ph.D.

Oghenetega Allen Obewhere is a chemical engineering researcher, STEM leader, and mentor who is passionate about helping graduate students grow academically, professionally, and personally while navigating the challenges of graduate school.

Location:

Rolla, Missouri

Mentoring Strengths:

- Time Management
- Stress or Anxiety Management
- Work-Life Balance
- Career Exploration
- Professional Development
- Networking
- Transitioning Out of Graduate School

What do you hope to contribute as a mentor?

I believe this might be a channel I can use to give back to the community at large. Over the course of my life, I have been blessed with amazing mentors that have helped shaped my life and career to where it is today. While I have not officially mentored anyone, I am open to the opportunity to take up this responsibility and hopefully make a positive difference and lasting impact in someone else's life.

What special experiences do you have to contribute?

Recent Graduate, Navigating Graduate School as an international student.

Linkedin

PROFESSIONAL BIO

Dr. Oghenetega Allen Obewhere is an Applications Engineer at Brewer Science and earned his Ph.D. in Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering from the University of Nebraska–Lincoln in December 2025. During his doctoral studies, he conducted research in advanced materials for clean energy technologies, authored numerous peer-reviewed publications, and was recognized nationally by the National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE) for his leadership and mentorship.

Having successfully navigated graduate school and the transition into industry, Oghenetega enjoys encouraging graduate students as they pursue their academic, professional, and personal goals. Whether you're exploring career opportunities, facing the challenges of graduate school, or seeking to grow as a leader, he is committed to offering practical guidance, thoughtful encouragement, and a supportive perspective along the way.

UNIVERSITIES ATTENDED

University of Nebraska-Lincoln
Ph.D. Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering
M.S. Chemical Engineering

Tallinn University of Technology
M.S. Material and Processesses for Sustainable Energetics

University of Tartu
M.S. Material and Processesses for Sustainable Energetics

University of Port Harcourt
B.S. Biochemistry

CURRENT OCCUPATION

Applications Engineer
Brewer Science