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work with an accomplished cohort.

You will spend one year immersed in a highly collaborative environment with some of the most accomplished mid-career professionals across the globe—professionals who, like you, are preparing for the highest levels of leadership. The members of your MIT Sloan Fellows cohort will represent:

• 30+ nations from every continent but Antarctica
• widely diverse industries and functions in startups, nonprofits, and multinational companies
• an average of 15 years of experience and a high level of professional accomplishment
• a commitment to personal and professional development

What sets this visionary MIT invention apart? Four unrivaled opportunities.

immerse yourself in an extraordinary environment.

MIT Sloan’s integration into the wider MIT community means that you have the ability to tap into the Institute’s vast resources and its renowned innovation ecosystem. You will have the opportunity to:

• reach across the Institute for knowledge and connections
• team with faculty and students throughout MIT to innovate and create
• take classes and attend lectures across MIT and at Harvard

expand your knowledge and your capabilities.

Leverage the latest knowledge. Learn it from the pioneers who are changing the way the world works. In this experiential learning laboratory, you will:

• develop knowledge and skills essential to 21st-century leadership
• expand your confidence, abilities, and global perspective
• transform the way you see yourself, your company, your world
• build your cohort into a lifelong team of global advisors

build a powerful network.

Expand your reach across continents with an extensive network of faculty and industry leaders whom you’ll meet during your year at MIT as well as a powerful alumni network that includes:

• 100+ program peers—your lifetime global support system
• 3,600+ MIT Sloan Fellows alumni
• 20,000+ MIT Sloan alumni in 90+ countries
• 125,000+ MIT alumni in 163+ countries

“For more than 80 years, the MIT Sloan Fellows Program has been a rite of passage for the world’s preeminent leaders. In these pages, you’ll discover what differentiates it from any other program in the world and how you can leverage its unparalleled value to achieve your highest goals. It’s time to take the lid off your world.”

STEPHEN SACCA, SF ’90
Director, MIT Sloan Fellows Program in Innovation and Global Leadership

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"I think of transformation as a complete change of mindset. And transformational is what this year has been for me. It has reshaped my perspectives about life—professional and personal—helped me overcome my inhibitions, and made me realize the need for change and how to bring it about."

Parvathesam Kanchinadham, SF ’13 / India
Company Secretary and Compliance Officer, Infosys Ltd.

"I've always had an unquenchable desire to grow. Throughout my career, that urge has propelled me to top positions—and to this program, which has been absolutely instrumental in helping me build the future I’ve always envisioned."

Patricia Winand, SF ’13 / Belgium/Brazil
Head of European Sales Operations, Lonza

"After so many years in one job, I decided to take a quasi-sabbatical at MIT. It has given me precious time to ponder what I have accomplished so far, how I might have done things differently given what I know now, and how I can do things better in the coming years."

Marcio Paulino Neto, SF ’13 / Brazil
CEO, Siderpa Siderúrgica Paulino Ltda.

"The full immersion of the program allowed me to dedicate 100% of my time and energy to learning and building relationships with the fellows and with the MIT community. I was able to reflect on my career and prepare for what I want to do next. Most important, I came to understand the power of we—the power of the collective mind. I feel I am now more aware of the impact I have on people and how I can best use my skills to make a real difference."

Snezhina Zacharia, SF ’13 / United States/Bulgaria
Channel Director—Global Sales, Gartner

"Coming from the military, where everything was done in teams, I was very familiar with the ‘no fellow left behind’ ethos. There is a time when every fellow struggles. It could be with an academic subject or a major life event, but there is great peace and confidence in the fact that roughly 100 other fellows are behind you, happy to help carry the load when needed. They know well that one day you will carry it for them. The strength of the cohort is simply amazing."

Andrew Sandoe, SF ’13 / United States
Intelligence Officer, United States Marine Corps.
A year of thinking strategically.
The MIT Sloan Fellows Program is a powerful integration of incomparable opportunities designed to make this one intensive year at MIT a turning point in your career and your life.
Scott Gutz, SF ’08
United States
President and CEO
Amadeus North America, Inc.
Scott Gutz heads the North American operations of Amadeus, the leading provider of IT solutions to the global tourism and travel industry. Amadeus serves more than 195 countries and processes 3.7+ million travel bookings per day.

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Julian Ho, SF ’12
Singapore
Assistant Managing Director,
Cluster Group Engineering
Singapore Economic Development Board (EDB)
In his 17-year EDB career, Julian Ho has overseen the growth of the engineering clusters in Singapore and now heads several industries, including electronics, building and infrastructure solutions, clean technologies, energy, and transport engineering.

“No other program offered this dimension. It was critical for me to be immersed in the forefront of emerging business and engineering. To dive deep into the role of government and the development of public policy. It was a year of incredible self-discovery—and the best year of my life.”

“This is not an American program. It’s truly global. You work closely with faculty and fellows from every corner of the Earth. You learn about the global marketplace from the inside out. And you get a panoramic view of the way business is conducted around the world.”

Xoli Kakana, SF ’08
South Africa
Executive Chairperson and Group CEO
ICTworks
Xoli Kakana founded ICTworks in 2000 to tackle African challenges using technology—and to prove that women are major players in IT. Now ICT holds multimillion-dollar contracts and has successfully implemented an EMV-based automated fare collection system for the City of Cape Town—a world first.

“The significance is still unfolding. Whenever I’m faced with decision points, I realize just how that year as an MIT Sloan Fellow equipped me for so many facets of my career and my life. ‘Ah,’ I often think, ‘so this is what that lesson meant.’”

“Mid-career is when you need this program. Mid-career is when you know how to use it. Mid-career is when you know what to do with the boundless opportunity it offers.”

Tana L. Utley, SF ’07
United States
President, Perkins Engines Company Ltd.
Vice President, Industrial Power Systems and Growth Markets Division, Caterpillar Inc.
Tana L. Utley joined Caterpillar in 1986 straight out of college and steadily climbed to her present executive position. Among her many distinctions, Utley led the team that developed ACERT™ Technology—a breakthrough engine system that has redefined Cat® engine products.

“It’s for people with ideas. The MIT Sloan Fellows Program is designed for those who already have a vision—they just need the tools and the support systems to make it happen.”

“At MIT, I felt a sense of coming home. A powerful feeling of ‘these are my people.’ From the moment you set foot on campus, you are learning all the time—learning in the hallway, at cocktail parties, standing in line for coffee. It’s an exhilarating kind of osmosis, and I miss it...a lot.”

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“I was a landmark year for us all. My family had an MIT Sloan Fellows experience that was as precious to them as mine was to me. They still talk about the get-togethers and the good friends they made from around the world. Even walking down MIT’s legendary ‘infinite corridor’ is a magical memory.”

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Geoservices, Schlumberger Limited

“I had heard from alumni that the MIT Sloan Fellows Program was a profound family experience. For me, that was a pivotal differentiator and a powerful reason for going to the program. It wasn’t just that I wanted to make the year worthwhile for my family. I wanted us to bond and build shared friendships. The year topped all our expectations.”

Ray Leach, SF ’02 / United States
CEO, Jumpstart, Inc.

“I strategized with the world’s top aeronautics scientists, explored pivotal technological innovations at the MIT Media Lab, learned from leading security experts in political science—even tapped the latest thinking on defense policy at Harvard’s Kennedy School of Government. If it was essential to me as a leader, I could reach across the MIT universe and get it.”

Amy Gneser Graban, SF ’10 / United States
Vice President and General Manager of Kelly Aviation Center
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