Welcome to the Whiting School of Engineering’s Engineering Innovation program.

I’m Megan Barrett, Assistant Dean of Engineering Student Affairs, and I’m looking forward to working with you this summer.

Students will be working with summer discovery for all aspects of student life if they are on campus, but we want you to know that you have student-centered contact on site throughout your program.

Engineering Student Affairs works with EI students in two primary areas, one community building and student engagement. We will train summer Discovery, staff support, engagement efforts, and serve as a resource to and connection to campus resources, two student support and advocacy or nonacademic support.

Essentially, we are here to help students connect the dots and find the resources and support that they need. Even though EI students are only on campus or in an online program for a few weeks, they may need support or to be connected to resources outside of the classroom.

Our Engineering Student Support and Advocacy team (ESSA): Alison, Chase, and Hannah are here to connect students if they are struggling or have issues that are getting in the way of their academic success. Some areas ESSA can help with include physical or mental health issues, family emergencies, interpersonal issues with faculty, and referrals to student disability services.

The student affairs team is here and ready to work with EI this summer. Please contact us with any questions. We are happy to help.

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