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Dear all,

As Provost Schmidt noted in the fall, we are currently accepting [nominations](#) for the 2021–22 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Visiting Professor Program. Established to honor the life and legacy of Dr. King by increasing the presence of minority scholars at MIT, this program has never been more important to the Institute. Please take a moment to review your network and consider submitting a nomination.

Appointments as MLK Scholars are available in any of MIT's five schools and the College of Computing; they will also be considered in medicine, law, and public service, where distinguished individuals can add to the intellectual life of the Institute. MLK Scholars can be current faculty at colleges and universities, or they can come from non-academic public and private organizations. We encourage applications from individuals of any underrepresented minority group, with an emphasis on African Americans.

MLK Scholar candidates must be nominated, and they must have a faculty host. Nominations are [submitted online](#) by the administrative officer or program manager of the host's primary DLC. Completed nominations, including all letters of endorsement, must be received by February 14. Decisions will follow by mid-March.

Please contact program director [Beatriz Cantada](#) if you have questions, or to discuss ways to help prepare for a successful visit.

Sincerely,

John Dozier and Tim Jamison