

**UC San Diego**  
**JACOBS SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING**  
Corporate Affiliates Program

**Agenda**

**CAP Executive Board Meeting**

**February 5, 2026 – 4:00-6:30 PM**

**4:00 – 5:00p Networking Hour – Student Organizations**

American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChE) & Chem-E-Car	Data Science Student Society
American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME)	Engineering World Health
CSForEach	Human Powered Submarine

**5:00 – 5:10p Welcome: John Black, Chief Technology Officer, Brain Corporation**

**Cayley Rice, Chief Technology Officer – Space Business, Leidos**

- Opening remarks
- Virtual attendee & safety protocols
- New CAP Executive Board leadership
- Welcome back Idaho National Labs
- Welcome Guests

**5:10 – 5:30p Dean's Report: Al Pisano, Dean, Jacobs School of Engineering**

**Special Adviser to the Chancellor**

Getting Ready to Pivot

- Top rankings in 2025
- Emerging Industries
- Education & Research highlights
- Looking ahead to 2026
- Strategic Pivot

**5:30 – 5:50p Faculty Presentation: Steve Swanson, Professor & Chair, Computer Science & Engineering**

Computer Science & Engineering AI Strategy

**5:50 – 6:20p CAP Executive Input**

**6:20 – 6:30p CAP Business – Wil Dyer, Director, Corporate Affiliates Program**

- CAP Talent Programming
- Research Expo
- Key Engagements for CAP Partners

**6:30p Adjournment**

*Jacobs School CAP Mission: Drive the corporate affiliate strategy and build productive, substantive relationships between companies, faculty and students to achieve goals in research, recruitment and education in the interest of enhancing the reputation of the Jacobs School.*

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### Important Dates

February 8-13, 2026	Information Theory & Applications Workshop
March 11, 2026	Center for Microbiome Innovation International Microbiome Meeting
March 12, 2026	Kyoto Prize Symposium: Bridging the Future Series with Stefano Soatto
April 15, 2026	43rd Annual Jacobs School Research Expo
May 27, 2026	Center for Visual Computing Research Retreat
<b>June 4, 2026</b>	<b>Spring CAP Executive Board Meeting</b>
June 17, 2026	Sustainable Power & Energy Center Research Summit
June 22-23, 2026	Power Management Integration Center Research Review

### Notes