

Resolution No. 2025.07/29
Authorization to Name the
ADM Lecture Hall

## Resolution

Whereas, the Board of Trustees, as authorized by the Board of Trustees Governing Document, Section C, Policies, Subsection IV-C, Naming of Facilities, shall approve the naming of all facilities at the University, and

Whereas, the lecture hall at 1709 GE Road is located inside the College of Engineering, and

Whereas, Archer Daniels Midland (ADM) has committed financial resources to Illinois State University, and

Whereas, the University Naming Committee has recommended, and President Tarhule has endorsed, the recommendation as described herein:

Therefore, be it resolved that the Board of Trustees in regular meeting assembled, approves the naming of the lecture hall in the College of Engineering the "ADM Lecture Hall" in recognition of financial support to Illinois State University.

Board Action on: Motion by:	:			ne:	
Second by:		Disapprove:			
Vote:	Yeas:	Nays:	Approve:		
			ATTEST:	Board Action,	July 25, 2025
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					Secretary / Chairperson

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The College of Engineering respectfully requests naming the lecture hall at 1709 GE Road as the ADM Lecture Hall. This naming reflects and recognizes the generous financial commitment by ADM for the College of Engineering.

Archer Daniels Midland (ADM) has been a strong, highly engaged supporter of Illinois State University since 1982. ADM has established numerous funds for facilities, programs, faculty fellowships, undergraduate research, registered student organizations, and scholarships. They are a top twenty employer for Illinois State University graduates and have several alumni in leadership positions within the organization, including three senior regional leaders.

Representatives from ADM serve on both the College of Engineering and College of Business Advisory Boards. ADM also participates in Career Services programs as a corporate partner and has consulted on a workforce analysis for the College of Engineering. ADM currently has one named space on campus, a classroom in the State Farm Hall of Business.

ADM's financial commitment to the College of Engineering will allow faculty to provide state-of-the-art lecture experiences. As a result, we propose naming the lecture hall the ADM Lecture Hall.