Become a BCAP Advisor!

**BCAP Advisor** - A BCAP Advisor is an experienced MIT Black alum or a MIT alum of color who provides advice, support, and encouragement to a BCAP Fellow. A BCAP Fellow is a MIT undergraduate or graduate student who has received BCAP funding for a community or social justice project to be completed over IAP or over the summer.

Students have ideas and drive. They need your support, wisdom and guidance in order to bring their projects to fruition. You can make a substantive difference in the life of a BCAP Fellow and in our communities.

**Directions on becoming a BCAP Advisor/Mentor**

First: Go to [alumniadvisors.mit.edu](http://alumniadvisors.mit.edu)

Then: Set up your account and complete your ADVISOR profile creation process

After completing this process you will note:

1. Along the top of the screen you will see a navigation bar indicated with a dark band.
2. On the right you should see your name and your profile photo in a small circle.
3. Click on the arrow next to your name.

Second: Select Edit Profile
**Third:** Click on the “About Me” Section along the left side

**Fourth:** In the section “Short Professional Bio” add the words, **BCAP Advisor** and any other relevant services or specialties you would like to share with students. See example below. Advisees will be able to locate your profile using the keyword search **BCAP Advisor**.

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Finally – Remember to select **SAVE**