

Virtual Early Career Appointee at CBI Anne “Liz” Ware

What is the objective?

- CBI offers **Early Career Assignments** to junior CBI scientists to work at ORNL for at least a three-month period. The Leadership team evaluates the proposal and the CV of the candidate to assess the suitability for this position.
- The main goals of this assignment are:
 - **Career development - Work within the CBI management team and engage on the administrative side of a large multi-institutional project (this time as a virtual assignment).** For instance, Liz will be involved in the planning of the CBI Annual Science meeting and will help compose monthly highlights to DOE-BER.



Liz's background

- Liz has been a **Research Scientist** at the **National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL)** in Golden (CO, USA) **since 2016**. Her research is focused on understanding lignocellulosic biomass cell wall composition and thermochemical conversion of biomass. Additionally, she specializes in the development of high-throughput analytical platforms. She has 30 publications.
- Liz has a **Bachelor's Degree in Chemistry** from Concord University (Athens, West Virginia) and a **Ph.D. in Chemistry** from the University of Kentucky (Lexington, KY). Her Ph.D. research was conducted at the Center for Applied Energy Research in the Biofuels and Environmental Catalysis group.



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