Boosting Girls’ Interest in STEM:
Louisiana STEM Girls Collaborative Project Kick-Off Conference
with the Emmy award-winning PBS’ Design Squad Nation

Saturday, October 27, 2012
9:00 am – 4:00 pm

9:00-9:30 am  Registration and Breakfast
9:30-9:40 am  Welcome
9:40-10:00 am Speed Networking
10:00-10:20 am Keynote Speaker: To Be Announced
10:20-10:50 am Introduction to the LaSTEM GCP
10:50-11:50 am Louisiana Women Leaders in STEM Panel & Discussion
11:50-12:30 pm Lunch/Break
12:30-1:00 pm Welcome and Introductions from WGBH’s Design Squad Nation
1:00-1:30 pm  Activity #1
1:30-1:45 pm  Talking to Kids About Engineering
1:45-2:00 pm  Leading Hands-on Activities
2:00-2:30 pm  Activity #2
2:30-3:00 pm  How to make a lasting impact in the community through outreach collaborations
3:00-3:45 pm  Closing Comments from Design Squad Nation
3:45-4:00 pm  Planning the Collaboration
4:00-4:30 pm  Evaluation and Wrap-Up from LaSTEM GCP