NY STEAM Kick Off Conference
Saturday, October 25, 2014

Agenda

9:30 am
Registration & Breakfast with Networking
Location: Atrium Area

10:00 am
Welcome & Overview of NY STEAM
Location: Auditorium
- Penny Hill, Associate Dean TEC-SMART — Hudson Valley Community College (HVCC) & NY STEAM Girls Collaborative Leadership Team
- Jennifer Goodall, Director, Informatics Undergraduate Program — University at Albany & NY STEAM Girls Collaborative Co-Lead
- Karen Peterson, Principal Investigator — Chief Executive Officer – National Girls Collaborative and Principal Investigator (PI) & National Girls Collaborative Project (NGCP)

10:30 am
Speed Networking
Location: Atrium Area

11:00 am
In Their Own Words: “What Girls Say About STEM”
Location: Auditorium
Moderator: Jeff Oskin, President and CEO — Jolt Consulting Group & NY STEAM Girls Collaborative Champions Board Member
Panelists from the following programs:
- Schenectady County Community College — Aviation Science Program
- Girls Inc. Eureka Program & Guilderland High School
- Project Lead the Way & Saratoga High School
- FIRST (For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology) Robotics Competition (FRC) & Shaker High School
- Clarkson University
- Cornell Cooperative Extension of Broome County & Binghamton High School — Citizen U
- Questar III BOCES & Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI)
- Clean Technologies & Sustainable Industries Early College High School, NYS PTECH
12:30 pm
Lunch & Keynote: “Mainstreaming STEM”
Location: Atrium Area
Speaker: Dr. Francine Berman, Hamilton Distinguished Professor of Computer Science — Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

1:30 pm
The Power of Collaboration
Location: Auditorium
Moderator: Renee Walrath, President and CEO — Walrath Recruiting, Inc.
Panelists:
- Heather Briccetti, President and CEO — The Business Council of New York State & NY STEAM Girls Collaborative
  Champions Board Member
- Luticha Andre Doucette, Fellow — University at Rochester
- Laurel Logan-King, Assistant Superintendent — Ballston Spa Central School District & NY STEAM Girls Collaborative Leadership Team
- Sarah McKinney, Developer Experience and Evangelism — Microsoft & NY STEAM Girls Collaborative Leadership Team
- Philip Morris, Chief Executive Officer — Proctors

2:30 pm
NY STEAM Upcoming and Reflection
Location: Auditorium
Stephanie Lemnios, Informal STEM Education Consultant & NY STEAM Girls Collaborative Co-Lead

3:00 pm
Hands on STEAM — SciGirls Style
Location: Auditorium & Atrium
Presenter: Nancy Coddington, Community Outreach Coordinator and Certified National PBS SciGirls Trainer — WSKG Public Media & NY STEAM Girls Collaborative Leadership Team

Learn about the SciGirls Seven and participate in hands on activities from certified trainer Nancy Coddington. SciGirls is an Emmy-award winning PBS series focused on STEM gender equity.

4:00 pm
Collaboration & Food for Thought
Location: Atrium
Jennifer Goodall & Stephanie Lemnios — NY STEAM Girls Collaborative Co-Leads

Penny Hill, Associate Dean TEC-SMART — Hudson Valley Community College (HVCC) & NY STEAM Girls Collaborative Leadership Team
Optional Tour of TEC-SMART, A LEED Platinum Building – Learn about renewable technologies that power the facility

The NY STEAM Kickoff Conference is dedicated to Champions Board member, Margaret Ashida. If you wish to share your memories of Margaret, please share them at http://www.forevermissed.com/margaret-ashida/.