



STEM Collaboration Share-a-Thon

Saturday, June 25, 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

HYATT Regency Orlando, Room Florida Ballroom C

Description

Join leaders from the STAR Library Education Network (STAR_Net) to network, share ideas, and learn from others during this interactive session! Presenters share examples of ways in which public libraries and STEM organizations (e.g., science museums, STEM professional associations, universities/colleges, schools, research institutions, state and federal agencies) are working together to increase access to and availability of quality STEM learning opportunities in urban, rural, and low-income communities. Presentations highlight effective principles for collaboration, including strategies for managing and sustaining partnerships and collaborations. Participants will receive resources for collaborating at the local and national levels to provide STEM learning experiences for their communities. Join STAR_Net's online community and continue to connect with public library staff and STEM professionals, participate in webinars, and access STEM programming resources (all available for free).

Session Goals

- Introduce STAR_Net and other national resources for implementing STEM programming.
- Identify potential local collaborators to support library program implementation, marketing, and/or resources.
- Discuss strategies for managing and sustaining partnerships and collaborations.

Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions
- STAR_Net Collaboration Resources
- Panel Discussion
- Small Group Discussions
- Wrap-up
- Close

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