STEM WARS

ONE DAY • 100 COMPANIES • 1,000 STUDENTS APRIL 8, 2017

Dear Educational Partner,

Georgia TRiO in conjunction with MICROSOFT, the WNBA's Atlanta DREAM, Atlanta City Council President's Office and other community partners will host "STEM Wars" on Saturday, April 8th at Atlanta Metropolitan State College in Atlanta, GA. This ONE-DAY conference will consist of design & innovation competitions, a S.T.E.A.M. (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math) focused interactive presentations, hands-on workshops, college and career fair, fast-paced academic competitions, Robotics & Drone showcases, website, video game and mobile application design, special guest appearances, and much more. This event is projected to bring together over 1,000 middle, high school & college students, teachers and parents and 100 industry-leading professionals.

The registration fee for students, parents, and teachers is only \$35 per person. This covers participation in all of the *STEM Wars* activities, breakfast, lunch, conference gift, and program booklet. *STEM Wars* will also feature Innovation & Design competitions.

The goal is to provide:

- Real- life, hands- on, inquiry- based educational activities
- Curriculum support aligned with state and national standards
- Access to innovative equipment and technology
- Access to experienced and highly-qualified industry professionals
- Learning activities covering a wide variety of grade levels and topics

STEM Wars is a unique event that brings together educators and exhibiting companies to help introduce S.T.E.A.M. education and careers to our students. Students will learn by doing, engaged in hands-on simulations, workshops and activities – while making new friends and enjoying unforgettable adventures. With curriculum options designed for middle school, high school, and college students, teachers and parents, **STEM Wars** provides audiences with a turnkey solution that delivers all the benefits of a state-of-the art, technology-rich education, at a fraction of the cost.

Sincerely,

William Troy Curry, President Georgia TRiO www.gaspp.us





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Participant Registration

STEM Wars provides hands-on, inquiry based learning solutions that will prepare the workforce of tomorrow for the high tech careers of the future! Our purpose is to provide educational communities with a cost effective S.T.E.A.M. learning solution that improves teaching efficiency while engaging students with hands-on technology.



Registration is only \$35 per person for students, teachers, and parents!

- Full participation in **STEM Wars** activities
- Breakfast & Lunch
- Gift Bag
- Program Booklet

The event will consist of S.T.E.A.M. focused:

- Fast-Pasted Academic Competitions
- Interactive Presentations
- Hands-on Workshops
- College and Career Fair
- Robotics & Drones Showcase
- Video Game, Website and Mobile Application Design
- Special Guests Appearances
- Live Animals
- Design & Innovation Competitions
- Much More.

Please register EARLY as spaces are extremely limited! You MUST register for this event using the **ONLINE REGISTRATION FORM** available at **www.gaspp.us**.

Submit NO LATER THAN Friday, March 17, 2017.

Please direct all questions to (404) 756-4789 or wcurry@atlm.edu.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

For your convenience, a block of rooms have been reserved at the: Crowne Plaza Atlanta Airport. Reference **TRiO** to receive **GROUP DISCOUNT**.

CROWNE PLAZA ATLANTA AIRPORT

1325 Virginia Ave Atlanta, GA 30344 (404) 768-6660



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ATLANTA METROPOLITAN STATE COLLEGE SATURDAY, APRIL 8, 2017

7:00AM – 8:00AM Vendor Set Up

7:00AM – 8:30AM REGISTRATION

8:30AM – 9:00AM Opening Session/ BREAKFAST

9:00AM – 9:50PM SAEOPP Initiatives

S.T.E.(A).M. Workshops Session 1

College & Career Fair

10:00AM – 10:50AM SAEOPP Initiatives

S.T.E.(A).M. Workshops Session 2

College & Career Fair

11:00AM – 11:50AM SAEOPP Initiatives

S.T.E.(A).M. Workshops Session 3

College & Career Fair

12:00AM –12:50PM SAEOPP Initiatives

S.T.E.(A).M. Workshops Session 4

College & Career Fair

1:00PM –1:50PM Closing Session

Special Celebrity Guest Presentations

2:00PM – 2:30PM Awards/ LUNCH/ Departure

For additional information please contact (404) 756-4789, e-mail wcurry@atlm.edu or visit www.gaspp.us.

