

Tuesday Nov 5, 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

Family Engagement: The Secret Sauce for Empowering Kids in STEM

Open to all; RSVP not required; bring your brown bag lunch

290 Hearst Memorial Mining Building, UC Berkeley

Presenters: **Linda Kekelis**, Advisor for the Family Engagement Project at STEM Next Opportunity Fund; **Michelle Rodriguez**, Visitor and Community Experiences Director at the Lawrence Hall of Science; **Courtenay Carr Heuer**, Co-founder and Executive Director of Scientific Adventures for Girls.

How do we help close, rather than increase, the opportunity gap in STEM with family engagement? How do we make sure that every parent feels confident and has the resources to support their child in STEM? How do we reimagine family engagement as more than a one-time, end-of-program event? Panelists will share their lessons learned, bright spots, and challenges in supporting families in STEM.

CEO events are ADA accessible. For disability accommodation requests and information, please contact Disability Access Services by phone at [510.643.6456](tel:510.643.6456) (voice) or [510.642.6376](tel:510.642.6376) (TTY), or by email at accessibility@berkeley.edu.

This event is sponsored by the Coalition for Education & Outreach (CEO). CEO is working to bring together educators, practitioners, and researchers who share a common interest in STEM education and outreach. We host the [Education and Outreach Google Group](#) and hold [forums and other events throughout the year](#). Membership is free and open to all.