Sponsorship Opportunities

Professional Development Programs

Two monetary awards to outstanding STEM teachers, recognized by industry. Educators are awarded at the annual Idaho Technology Council Gala, honoring their contribution before nearly 700 Idaho business community attendees.

Secure your Sponsorship by August 15, 2019

Platinum Sponsor $5,000 (1 available)
- Award Presentation at the Hall of Fame
- Participate in judging educator nominees
- 2 seats at the Hall of Fame Awards Gala
- Logo on INDEEDS webpage and in promotional materials
- STEM Action Center Social Media highlight of company

Gold Sponsor $2,500
- Participate in judging educator nominees
- 1 seat at the Hall of Fame Awards Gala
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Silver Sponsor $1,500
- Participate in judging educator nominees
- 1 seat at the Hall of Fame Awards Gala
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Bronze Sponsor $750
- Participate in judging educator nominees
- Logo on INDEEDS webpage and in promotional materials

Statewide and Regional Sponsorship: support all 6 statewide events to impact up to 500 educators or select a regional institute

Platinum Sponsor $25,000
- Logo on keynote speaker podiums and stage banner
- Logo on name badges and promotional materials
- Logo on i-STEM webpage
- STEM Action Center social media highlight of company
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Gold Sponsor $10,000
- Logo on sponsor banner
- Logo on name badges and promotional materials
- Logo on i-STEM webpage
- STEM Action Center social media highlight of company

Silver Sponsor $5,000
- Logo on sponsor banner
- Logo on strand handouts
- Logo on i-STEM webpage
- STEM Action Center social media highlight of company

Regional Host Sponsor $2,500 (regional site of choice)
- Logo on sponsor banner
- Industry tour to your business or company
- STEM Action Center social media highlight of company
- Logo on lunch table banners and sponsor banner
- Lunch speaker spot

Local Leader Sponsor $1,000 (regional site of choice)
- Logo on sponsor banner
- STEM Action Center social media highlight of company

Industry Leadership Strand Support
Lead a strand topic at an institute of choice relevant to your industry and provide supporting educator kits for attending educators. Funds support strand educators, educator kits for strand attendees, supporting materials and infrastructure

Educator Sponsor- $300/educator
Support educator professional development for a specific community to provide educator kits and registration fees. Select a community or school district to impact.

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Summer professional development workshops for over 400 K-12 educators state wide. i-STEM builds the framework for 21st century STEM education with over 30 STEM topic strands and hands-on methods for educators to learn and take back to their home teaching environments.

i-STEM support provides strand instructors, kits for educators to take back to their teaching environments, site coordination, field trip transportation, event luncheons and nationally recognized keynote speakers.

Secure your sponsorship by March 31, 2020
Three regional high school science and engineering fairs for students across Idaho (BSU, Coeur d’Alene Resort, ISU). These fairs offer students the opportunity to engage in original STEM research projects aligned with their interests and present their findings. Representative teams from each region are selected to attend and compete in the Intel International Science and Engineering Fair (Intel ISEF).

Secure your Sponsorship by January 10, 2020
Robotics & 3-D Design & Printing Team Competitions

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Regional and Statewide robotics and coding teams. Educator training supports school teams, culminating in regional competitions. Team-oriented robotics competitions expose students to inquiry-based, learn-by-doing robotics projects. Student teams prepare for 7 weeks to engage in a competition challenge using STEM and writing skills to design, build, program, and document their robotics skill-building. 3D printers are awarded to 1st Prize teams.

Funding supports facility & equipment costs, lunch for competition participants and competition prizes.

Choose a region to Impact: Western Idaho, Eastern Idaho, Northern Idaho.

School Showcase/Challenge Sponsor $2,500
- Logo on event signs and materials
- STEM Action Center Social media highlight of company

Awards Sponsor $1,500
- Award Presentation
- Logo on Awards Package

Lunch Sponsor $500
- Logo featured on lunch sign & table

Secure your Sponsorship by February 15, 2020

Secure your Sponsorship by September 15, 2019

Multi-week, team based, 3D digital fabrication competition where students practice design, iteration and rapid prototyping skills primarily focused on 3D design and 3D printing. Teams use 3D design and printing to solve problems and present their designs to a panel of judges. Schools, libraries and afterschool programs participate in this 21st Century learning opportunity.
Grant Support Opportunities

- Sponsor a Family STEM/Career or Camp Grant and directly impact an underrepresented community.
- Sponsor a Student Competition Travel Grant and help a student reach the next level with their winning project.
- Help review grant applications to select awarded applications and communities.

VR4Ed Coding Program Grant
Maximum Award: $14,000
A computer science education program crafted specifically for Idaho middle and high schools that connects core computer science concepts like logical processing, coding language, and graphics to real-world applications through guided challenges in the Blocksmith VR platform. This grant includes educator professional development training, 12 lesson plans to effectively instruct 3D coding on the Blocksmith platform and understanding of how to utilize the Virtual Reality hardware. Educator teams will guide their students through a theme-based, multi-week virtual design challenge, culminating in a virtual showcase.

Family STEM/Career Grant
Maximum Award: $1,000.
This opportunity aims to improve learner understanding and experiences through STEM-related camps, especially those serving underrepresented communities.

Camp Grant
Maximum Award: $10,000.
Camp & Out-of-School Grant is to provide high-quality STEM learning experiences outside of traditional classroom time to encourage sustained participation in and engagement with tangible STEM/21st-Century skills and proficiencies. This opportunity aims to improve learner understanding and experiences in the subjects of computer science, coding and STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) in Idaho. Priority is given to camps serving underrepresented populations in STEM.

Student Competition Travel Grant
Maximum Award In-State Competitions: $1,500/team
Maximum Award National Competitions: $2,500/team
Travel funds for students attending national competitions (ISEF, FIRST Robotics, Junior Botball)

P3 Grant – Public Private Partnership
Leverage your support with a 50% match.
Supporting non-profit that provides STEM learning opportunities? Your non-profit of choice may apply for a P3 Grant to leverage this support for broader impact. STEM AC may match up to 50% of a sponsor’s donation, up to $5000, unless previously arranged with STEM AC. The sponsorship donation amount must be a minimum of $1,000 per donor to qualify for this opportunity.

Support with Time & Talent

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