ECOSY STEM

SPRING CONVENING

APRIL 29-30, 2022  LEWISTON
The Power of Partnerships

A rising tide lifts all boats
Senator David Nelson
Senate Education Committee

Dodd Snodgrass
Clearwater Economic Development Association

Kevin Driskill
Lewiston High School Principal
Setting the Stage
Meeting Norms

• We participate as equals with shared responsibility for the outcomes
• We communicate openly, honestly, and respectfully
• We listen as allies
• We stick to the agenda
• We have no hidden disagreements or questions; if we disagree, we do so with grace and tact
• We help each other learn
• We show up on time and prepared
Intended Outcomes

- Shared understanding of what the EcosySTEM is, why it was developed, and how it works
- Strengthen partnerships to leverage resources
- Create actionable collaboration
Why Idaho STEM Ecosystem?

A group of partners that work together to design and implement a comprehensive vision of STEM learning for all and to further develop clear STEM career pathways for Idaho’s youth through a collective impact.

Aspirational Statement
To foster the integration of STEM experiences for Idahoans, creating problem-solvers and critical thinkers who will sustain and lead our economy.
1. First statewide convening
   - Design Process Outcomes: Aspirational Statement, Resources & Needs, 4 Priority Areas
2. Needs Assessment
3. Fall Virtual Convenings
4. Funding opportunity to form Regional Hubs
Regional Hubs
1. Governance Board
   - Developed Infrastructure
2. Spring Virtual Convening
3. Working Groups continue meetings
4. Monthly webinars
Three Hub Coordinators!

DAN SCHILLO
South West Idaho STEM Hub

SUSAN STAUFFER
Idaho North & North Central STEM Hub

ASHLEY SCHAFFNER
Idaho South and South East STEM Hub

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Where we are now...

1. Hub Funding
2. Hub Growth and Programming
3. Transition from Governance to Leadership Group
4. In-person Spring Convening
1. Hub Development
2. Strategic Plan and Timeline
3. Shared Metrics and Analysis
4. Communication Plan

2023 & beyond

Where we are going...
Engage with the EcosySTEM!

- Hub Coordinators
- Working Groups
- Newsletter
- Webinars
- Directory

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Strengthening Partnerships to Leverage Resources
Resources

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Needs
BREAK
Strengthening Partnerships to Leverage Resources

Break Outs
Setting the Stage For Day Two
AFTER HOURS
NETWORKING AND FUN!

Think  Make  Create