

Utilizing Teacher Externships & The STEM Connection To Bring Community Awareness Of Your Business Needs and Opportunities



Learn more about:

- What is STEM?
- Learn about STEM BEST
- Find out about Teacher Externships
- Attract Talent To Your Business



When: April 11, 2018

1:00 pm — 3:00 pm

Where: Spencer Municipal Utilities
(SMU) 520 2nd Ave. East, Suite 1 (Old
R.R. Donnelley Building)
Spencer, Iowa 51301

Cost: No cost



RSVP Information

Registration is requested by
Friday, April 6, 2018. Call
Iowa *WORKS* at:
712-262-1971 ext. 42003 or
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Workshop Information

The Lakes Area ECI will host, Mary Trent, NW Iowa Regional Stem Manager. The session will cover the following topics:

- What is the Governor's STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Math) initiative?
- Learn about STEM BEST (Businesses Engaging Students and Teachers) Teachers and industry professionals will craft curriculum and projects that prepare students for exciting career pathways in the STEM fields of manufacturing, information technology, bioscience (agriculture and medicine), finance, and more.
- Learn about Teacher Externships. During the summer, educators work side-by-side with knowledgeable and skilled industry employees who help bring the classroom curriculum to life. Teacher Externships provide educators with the exposure to answer questions about real-world application, prepare students for careers they may have in the future, and improve educational experiences.
- Learn how to become involved in STEM Festivals. Free, hands-on STEM experiences for students and parents. Businesses can have a booth or hold a session for prospective student workers.
- Learn how to attract talent to your business



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