

September 2015

Get Involved!

- [Golfview Elementary Magnet School](#) needs Judges for their on-site Science Fair on October 29th
- Craig Technologies is calling for exhibitors for their [STEM Showcase](#) that will help parents, students, educators, business leaders, elected officials, and members of the community-at-large learn more about the available resources in STEM
- Register for the [DiSTI Duffer Charity Golf](#) Tournament on October 10th
- Visit CF STEM and other local STEM community organizations at the [I/ITSEC STEM Pavilion](#) November 30th –December 4th
- [Nautique Boat Company](#) partnered with MACF to provide local high school students an in-depth tour of their state-of-the-art factory on October 2nd

U.S. Manufacturing Day
10.02.2015
www.mfgday.com

Next CF STEM Meeting
10.23.2015
STEM in Manufacturing
Mid-Florida Tech Campus

Community Spotlight

Laine Powell, Founder and Executive Director of Collegiate Pathways, was recently featured on '[Dream Without Limits Radio](#)' to tell her story of how she has ended up working with almost 400+ young women teaching them the importance of the STEM industry.



[Collegiate Pathways, Inc.](#) (CPI) is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization based in

Orlando, FL. CPI's mission is to empower underrepresented middle and high school girls to pursue science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) fields through college preparation, career readiness, and mentoring.



[Tech Sassy Girlz](#), CPI's signature program, is designed to provide girls in grades 6-12 exposure and

access to STEM fields and careers. The "girlz" participate in informative and hands on workshops and attend field trips to various STEM related companies throughout the year. Register here for the [4th Annual Tech Sassy Girlz Conference](#), a free technology conference for middle and high school girls on October 17th!



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DiSTI Duffer version 6.0 Charity Golf Tournament to support STEM education

[Register/Sponsor/Donate!](#)

THE COUNTRY CLUB AT DEER RUN
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2015
Shotgun starts at 1:00 ♦ 9-hole scramble format



CF STEM has hired a Coordinator!



Ashley Wall was born and raised in Central Florida. She received a degree in Sociology from Rollins College and a Masters in Higher Education Administration from the University of Central Florida. Ashley has professional experience in Higher Education as well as nonprofit. She spent the last 5 years in the Midwest working for the Salvation Army of Siouxland as the Volunteer and Development Director. She is excited to be back in Florida and working with the Central Florida STEM Education Council. And we are excited to have her on the team!

STEM Community News

- [SCPS to receive \\$10K](#) to help fund initiative to connect female students to STEM programs and careers
- Tech Check: [Hank Okraski](#) has a solution to what he says is a dwindling of technology-based skills in the workforce: education.
- [2015 Manufacturing Day/Month Toolkit](#) for Educators to support students and educators
- [Biological Sciences Professor](#) named among 100 Inspiring Women in STEM