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March Newsletter

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As we *march* along through the semester, reach your professional development goals by signing up for one of our workshops!

Upcoming Events



Family Programming

Super STEMing into Forensics

Join us and learn how science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) can be used in the field of forensics. Learn about finger printing and other techniques used to be a super sleuth.

Thursday, March 24

6pm- 7pm

Virtual event via Zoom, All Supplies Provided

RSVP Here



Teaching Practices Workshop

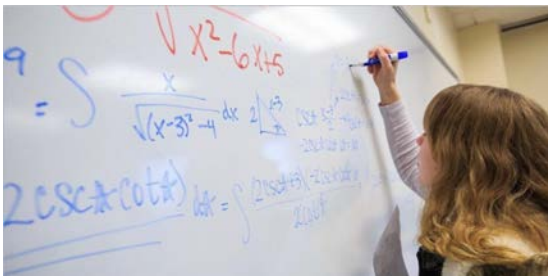
Identity, Authority, and Positioning in STEM Courses

Facilitator: Dr. Kelly Gomez-Johnson

Friday, April 1

11:00am-12pm (*virtual event*)

RSVP Here



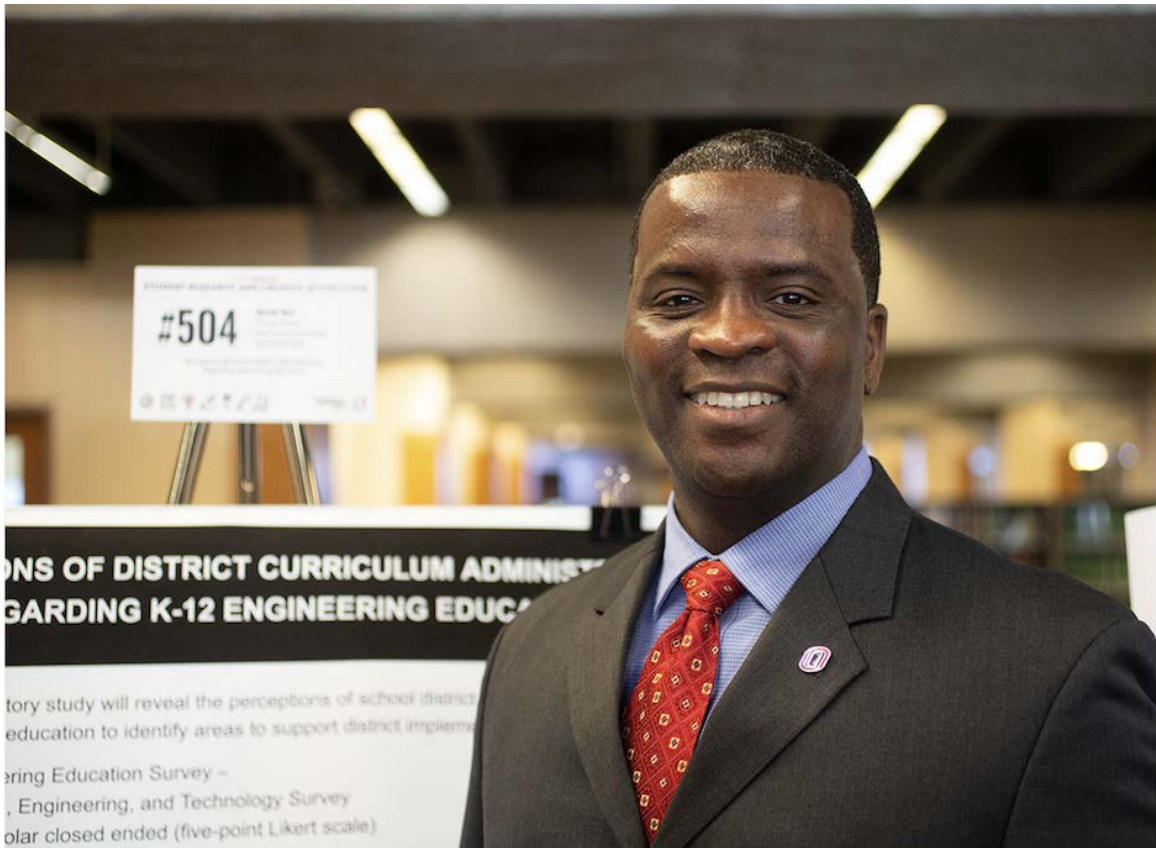
High School Physical Science Teacher Virtual Camaraderie Hour

Do you teach high school chemistry, physics, and/or physical science? Or are you a pre-service secondary teacher working on an endorsement in science? Join us from 5-6 PM on the second Wednesday of each month for a virtual camaraderie hour.

RSVP Now:

- **May 11**

News



Curious People Series: Nurturing the Scientist

The next Curious People Series event is on March 21, 2022 --- with STEM and teacher education expert, Derrick Nero. Nero is an expert in training educators and people about the importance of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM). This event takes place on zoom, with registration required and **available here**.

Following this event, the last 2021-22 Curious People Series event takes place on April 12. [Learn about that event here.](#)

Questions? Contact Robyn Loos, rloos@unomaha.edu

THE OMAHA STEM ECOSYSTEM COMMUNITY CONNECT STEM CAMARADERIE HOUR

Bridging the Gap in STEM Workforce

APRIL 5, 2022 | 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium
Aquarium Conference Center



Don't miss out on this great night of in person networking! You are invited to our 2022 in-person event, Omaha STEM Community Connect, on April 5th at 5:30. Join us at Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo & Aquarium for a camaraderie Hour that highlights the STEM Community Platform, and how it serves as a critical piece in leveraging business and education expertise to close the talent gap. Speakers Jim Collison, Technology Manager at Gallup and Tony Veland, Director of Business Development at the AIM Institute will describe how you can be a part of this shared opportunity to grow our STEM talent and assure Omaha remains a vibrant STEM Community.

Click here to register for this opportunity. This is a 21 and older event. Through the generosity of our sponsors this event will be offered with no fee and each guest will receive a complimentary drink ticket.



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Resources and Opportunities



Be a UNO WiSTEM Leader

Looking for a way to serve our UNO campus, connect with STEM Leaders across campus, and work to make UNO a more inclusive and supportive environment? **Consider a position on the WiSTEM Leadership Team for 2022-2023.**

Nomination Form

This nomination form (linked above) can be on behalf of another UNO Faculty or Staff member, or it can be a self-nomination. Nominations will be collected until April 1st and voting will take place April 6- April 15, 2022, for our 2022-2023 Leadership Team (2-year terms). Questions can be directed at unowistemp2@unomaha.edu or to Kelly Gomez Johnson at kgomezjohnson@unomaha.edu.

UNO WiSTEM is dedicated to the promotion of gender equity and access in STEM fields through mentoring, networking, and continued dialogue in collaborations across campus initiatives and engaging organizations. The group is open to ANY individual interested in advancing careers and leadership opportunities for all underrepresented persons in STEM.

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