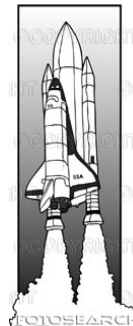


The First Annual "STEM SHOWCASE"
Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics

PRIZES !!!

Saturday, May 10, 2008 9:30–11:30 a.m.
Student Center 5401 Cuesta College, San Luis Obispo



**Come and see what the best and the brightest
 young minds are doing in SLO County!**

Support our future scientists and engineers by joining us for the first-of-its-kind STEM Showcase 2008. The Discovery Institute, in partnership with Cuesta College and the County Office of Education, invites you to join us for an exciting day of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics demonstrations, presentations, and hands-on activities.

Middle school, high school, and college-level students from our county-wide schools and local STEM-focused organizations will showcase their current experiments, simulations, and projects. This event is intended to be more encompassing than a "science fair" and will significantly expand the STEM pipeline. If your organization or students wish to participate, please submit your entry form (available on the Discovery Institute website).

"Because other nations have, and probably will continue to have, the competitive advantage of low-wage structure, the United States must compete by optimizing its knowledge-based resources, particularly in science and technology, and by sustaining the most fertile environment for new and revitalized industries and the well paying jobs they bring. We have already seen that capital, factories, and laboratories readily move wherever they are thought to have the greatest promise of return."
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