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SPRING CONVENING

APRIL 29-30, 2022

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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



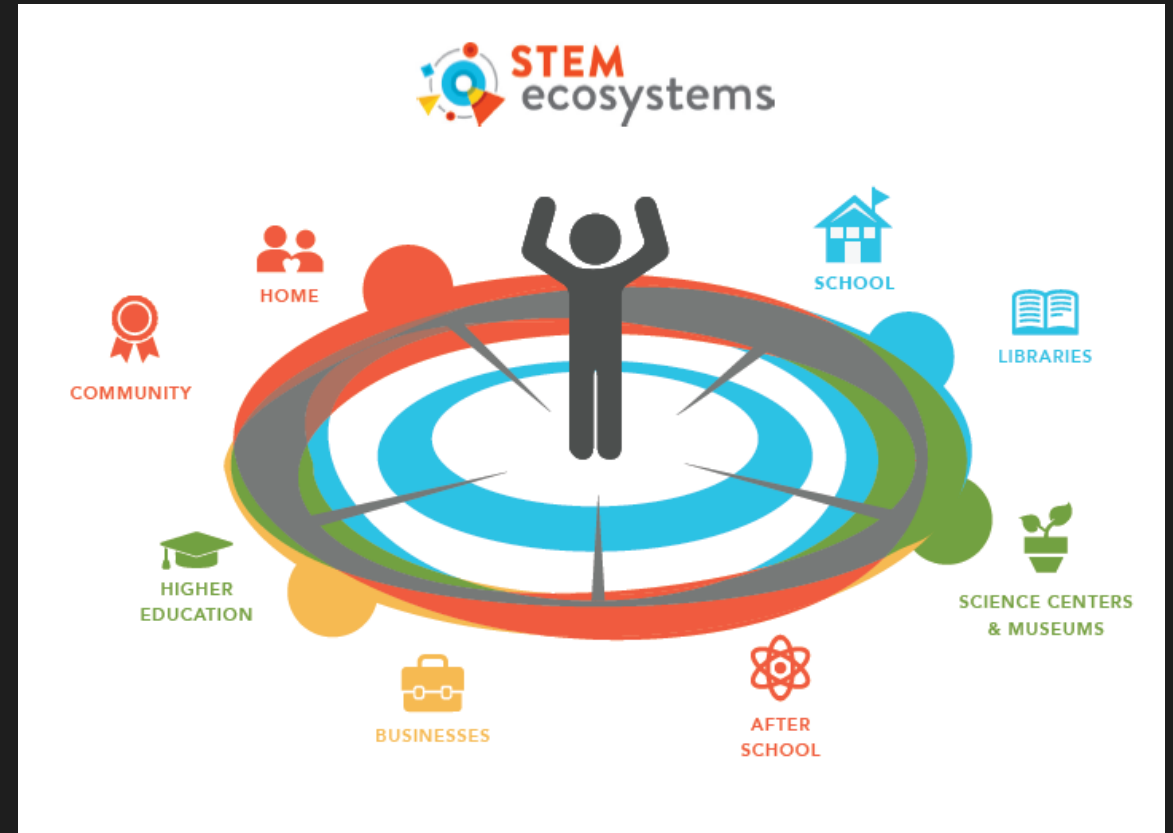
Create actionable collaboration

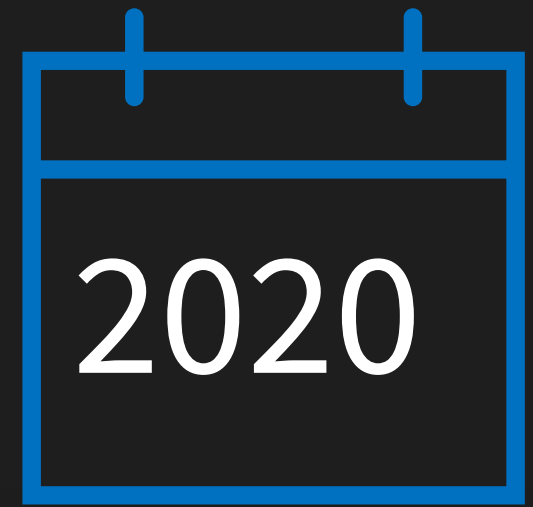
Why Idaho STEM Ecosystem?

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

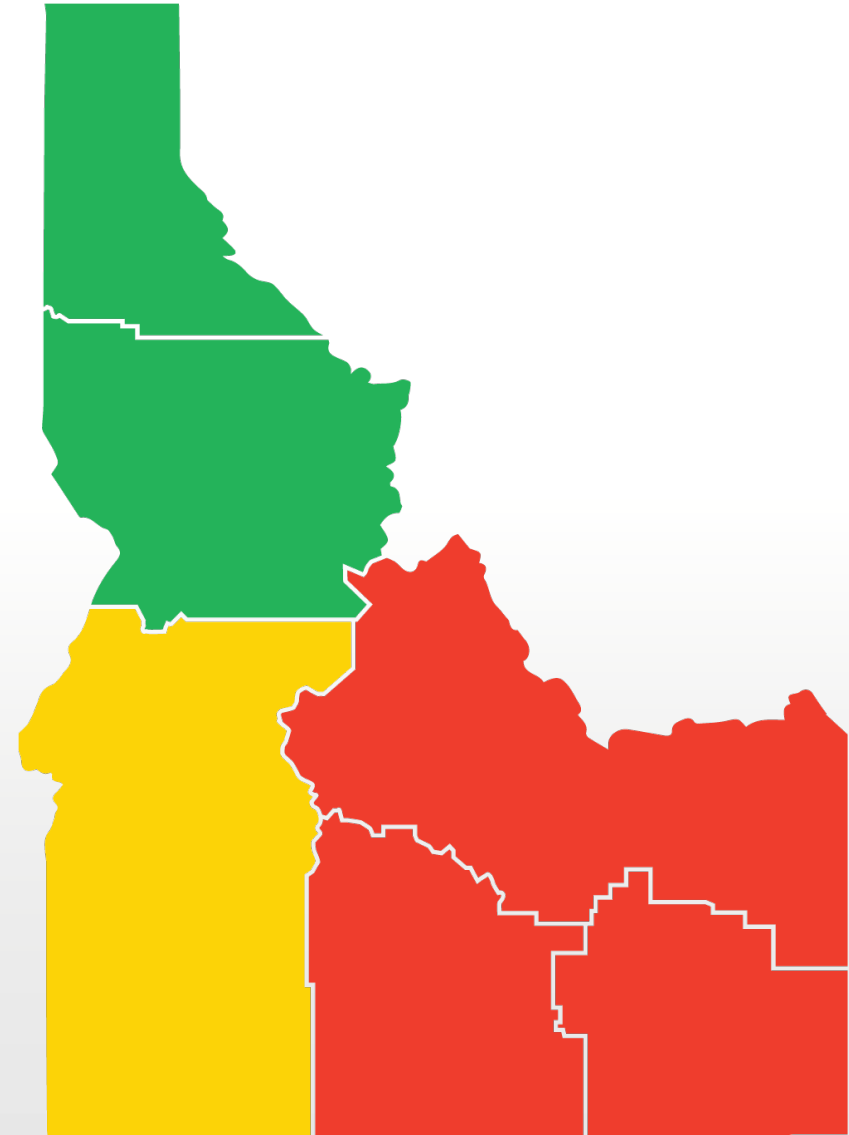
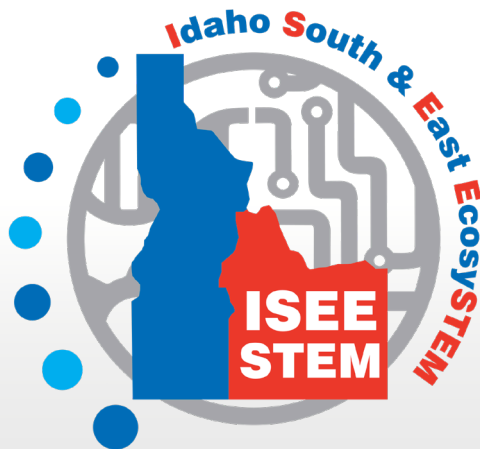
2. Needs Assessment

3. Fall Virtual Convenings

4. Funding opportunity to form Regional Hubs

Where we have been...

Regional Hubs



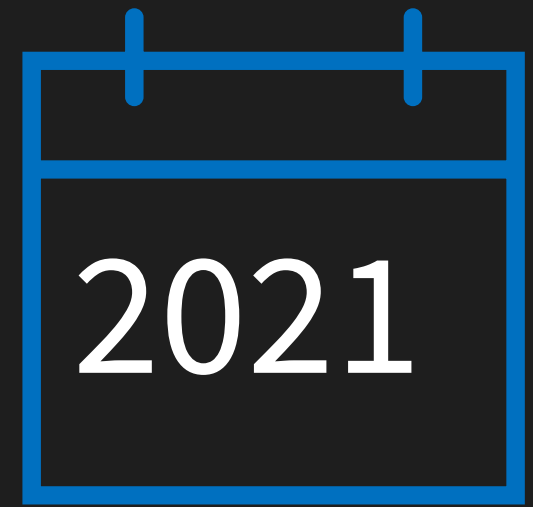
1. Governance Board

- Developed Infrastructure

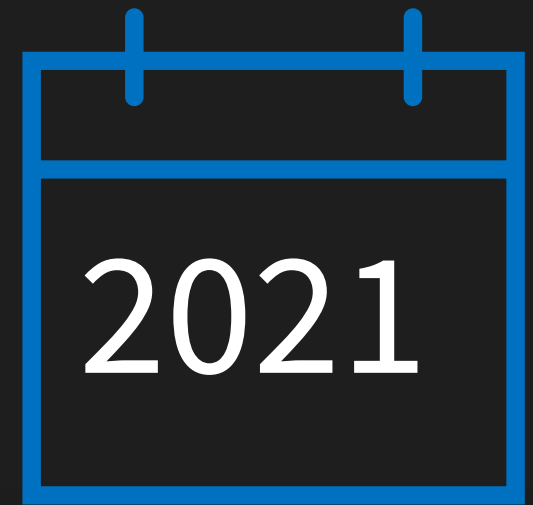
2. Spring Virtual Convening

3. Working Groups continue meetings

4. Monthly webinars



Three Hub Coordinators!



**DAN
SCHILLO**

South West Idaho
STEM Hub



**SUSAN
STAUFFER**

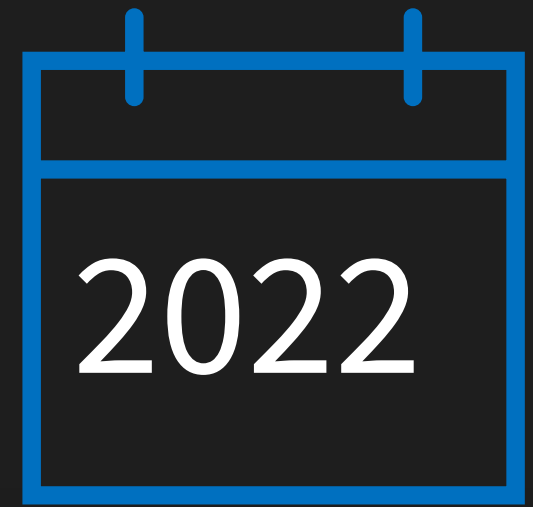
Idaho North & North Central
STEM Hub



**ASHLEY
SCHAFFNER**

Idaho South and South
East STEM Hub

1. Hub Funding
2. Hub Growth and Programming
3. Transition from Governance to Leadership Group
4. In-person Spring Convening



Where we are now...



2023 &
beyond

Engage with the EcosySTEM !

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

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Region 4

WORKING GROUP

None at this time

BACKGROUND/EXPERIENCE

Higher Education Profession...

WHAT WOULD YOU OR YOUR ORGA...

Recruiting students for internship opportunities. Meeting space. Volunteering.



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None at this time

BACKGROUND/EXPERIENCE

Individual/Unaffiliated Resell

WHAT WOULD YOU OR YOUR ORGA...

STEMfinity will likely continue to donate to some giveaways, volunteer at the IETA Makerspace with ISAC, have a ...



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WORKING GROUP

Educator Preparation, Traini...

BACKGROUND/EXPERIENCE

Nonprofit & Out-of-School ...

WHAT WOULD YOU OR YOUR ORGA...

Volunteer, provide any training or connection to TMC Labs statewide, provide STEM Vista or Fellows opportunities with TM...

Strengthening Partnerships to Leverage Resources



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Break Outs

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Setting the Stage For Day Two

AFTER HOURS NETWORKING AND FUN!



Think Make Create

