PROGRAM GUIDE

Join us in person or virtually from October 16-21st as we explore the exciting STEM work being done in Berkshire County! Head to Pittsfield TV to connect via cable, digitally or on demand to all programming. Notice the many in-person events on the schedule as well!

**Monday, Oct. 16th**

9:15 – 11:00 am  “A Captivating Trip to the Stars and Space”  
Milham Planetarium, Williams College with  
Brayton Elementary School 5th graders

10:00 am  Virtual Tour of the Berkshire Innovation Center  
Pittsfield TV

11:00 am  Virtual Tour: Explore the Science Labs and Facilities  
at Berkshire Community College  
Pittsfield TV

1:00 pm  College Students in STEM: A Panel Discussion with  
STEM Majors from BCC, MCLA, and  
Williams College (prerecorded)  
Pittsfield TV

3:00 – 4:00 pm  Berkshire Medical Center: Medical Technology Program  
Informational Session  

Teams Meeting: [Click here to join the meeting](#)  
Meeting ID: 242 533 759 858  
Passcode: ozDhQq  
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5:30 - 6:30 pm  "Launching into STEM Week – A Planetarium Show"
Hopkins Observatory, 829 Main St., Williamstown.
Please RSVP to
https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4FAD28A3F8C61-444555797-stem

Tuesday, Oct. 17th
9:00 – 11:00 am  Tour and Information session of MCLA’s Nursing and Radiologic Technology programs and clinical spaces for Taconic High School students

9:00 am  “Fall Owling” @ Hopkins Memorial Forest, Williams College  PTV

9:15 am  “Spring Herping” @ Hopkins Memorial Forest, Williams College  PTV

10:00 am  To Be an Environmental Consultant, with Miranda Bona, Project Geologist  PTV

11:00 – 2:00 pm  BCC STEM Café and Career Fair - Employers, schools, and community organizations will all be present to talk with students about career pathways and internships. The Connector on the BCC campus

11:45 – 1:00 pm  Join Dr. Beth Fiscella, Associate Dean of Nursing, for an open information session on MCLA’s new Nursing Major in the CSI Atrium, MCLA

12:00 – 2:00 pm  Tour and Information session of MCLA’s Nursing and Radiologic Technology programs and clinical spaces for McCann High School students

1:00 pm  STEM Education Panel: Teaching & Learning in the Field, Discussion with Education Professors, Students, and Professionals Regarding Teaching and Learning STEM (prerecorded)  PTV

7:00 – 9:00 pm  Advanced Manufacturing Trivia Night at Hot Plate Brewing, Pittsfield
**Wednesday, Oct. 18th**

9:00 am  Berkshire Grown: How to Keep Farmers Farming  PTV

10 am    Full Well Farm: What is Organic Agriculture?  PTV

11:00 am Aquaponics Project in the Pittsfield Correctional Facility: produced by Youthworks of the Berkshire Workforce Board  PTV

1:00 pm  Wind Power with Max Dilthey, UMass Amherst Offshore Wind Professional Certification, Sustainability, Climate Adaptation  PTV

2:00 - 3:00 pm  Mummy-side Chats at Berkshire Museum - Join us for an informal discussion hour with a Museum Educator about Egyptology and our resident Mummy – Pahat! Learn the science behind mummification, the meaning behind the iconography on Pahat’s coffin, and how an Egyptian priest from 2,000 years ago ended up in Pittsfield, Massachusetts.

4:00-5:30 pm  Berkshire Community College John Lambert Nature Trails Walk with Colin Wilson, Director of the BCC Science Commons. The hike will begin from the Hoffman Field Station on campus and should take an hour. Total walking will be about a mile and a half with easy terrain, though branches and mud requires sure footing. Please dress appropriately for the weather.

**Thursday, Oct. 19th**

9:00 am  “Predictive Motion Workshop” with Prof Paul Allen  PTV

10:30 am Instruction Design Technology  PTV

11:00 am LENCO: Armored Vehicles @ The BIC  PTV

11:00 – 2:00 pm  MCLA Career Fair (Virtual on Handshake)

1:00 pm  Electro-Magnetic Applications (EMA): Meet the Principle Scientist  PTV

3:30 – 6:30 pm  MCLA Science Fair Information Session and Lending Library Open House, CSI Atrium Open house is open to all, if you are interested in attending the Science Fair Information Session please register at: linktr.ee/_MSEF_

5:00 – 7:00 pm  Flying Cloud STEAM Challenge @ Berkshire Museum Hands-on science, art, and engineering challenges for Berkshire youth K-8 and their families
Friday, Oct. 20th
9:30 – 11:00 am  StarLab with Prof. Nick Stroud at MCLA for Clarksburg Elementary School

10:00 – 12:00 pm  STEM/Manufacturing Job Fair hosted by MassHire at The BIC
Registration encouraged, walk-ins also welcome
https://www.masshireberkshirecc.com/events-calendar/

10:00 – 1:00 pm  Student Tours of Interprint, Inc.
(Monument Mountain, McCann, and Mt. Everett)

11:30 – 12:30  Meet a Friend: Animal Ambassador Spotlight at Berkshire Museum
Learn, meet – and even pet! – a scaly friend. All ages are welcome.

1:00 pm  Pediatric Nurse: A Quick Chat
PTV

1:30 pm  A Day in the Life: Licensed Mental Health Counselor and Psychotherapist, Jennifer Bernard
PTV

Saturday, Oct. 21st
1:30 – 2:30 pm  Chow Time - Join Berkshire Museum staff as they prepare enticing feasts for the colorful creatures of the Aquarium including fish, turtles, and the blue-tongued skink.
During the event, learn about conservation efforts and the eating habits of fish, amphibians, and reptiles.