

Dear Education Colleagues

The U.S. Department of Education recently announced the new ***Investing in Innovation Competition (I3)*** last week. Details are online at <http://www.ed.gov/news/press-releases/second-round-i3-provides-150-million-continue-scaling-validating-and-developing>. This competition is for \$150M, and this year the Dept of Education has added an absolute priority for programs that focus on STEM education. Further details are online at <http://www2.ed.gov/programs/innovation/2011/call-for-peer-reviewers.html>.

Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC) has a rich history of working with a variety of STEM educational partners across the nation and looks forward to the opportunity to assist our partners in designing a high quality program focusing on STEM education. Many of you have collaborated with GSFC to deliver a variety of STEM education opportunities for teachers and students with measurable outcomes. Please feel free to contact us as we look forward to working with you to inspire and engage the next STEM generation of teachers and students.

Thank you,

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