



**Y**ou're cordially invited to a free open house at the Children's Science Center Lab, conveniently located at Fair Oaks Mall in Fairfax, to learn about an exciting new program specially for elementary school-aged girls!

*Te invitamos cordialmente al Children's Science Center Lab, localizado en el Fair Oaks Mall de Fairfax, que abrirá sus puertas gratuitamente para compartir un nuevo y emocionante programa especialmente para niñas de edad escolar!*

Latina SciGirls is a hands-on, 8-week series of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) focused on classes offered specifically for Latina girls in grades 3-5 in partnership with PBS SciGirls. The first series will be held each Friday evening at the Children's Science Center Lab during the spring of 2017, with a concluding family celebration held at the Lab for participants and their families in late March. The second series will run during the fall of 2017, with a concluding family festival for the participants to be held in late October.

*Latina SciGirls es una serie interactiva de 8 semanas de clases enfocadas de Ciencias, Tecnología, Ingeniería y Matemáticas (STEM) específicamente para niñas latinas en los grados de 3-5 en asociación con PBS SciGirls. La primera serie se llevará a cabo los viernes por la noche en Children's Science Center Lab durante la primavera del año 2017, terminando con una celebración en el laboratorio para los participantes y sus familias a finales de Marzo. La segunda serie será durante el otoño del año 2017, terminando con un festival para los participantes y sus familias que se celebrará a finales de Octubre.*

Please join us on Saturday, November 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., at the Children's Science Center Lab for an exclusive tour of the museum, and an opportunity to meet some of the mentors who will be assisting with the program's development. Can't make it on the 12<sup>th</sup>? We're hosting a second Latina SciGirls Open House on Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. at the Lab. We look forward to sharing more about this exciting program with you!

Acompáñenos el sábado 12 de Noviembre a las 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. en el Children's Science Center Lab para un gira exclusiva del museo, y oportunidad de conocer algunos de los mentores que ayudaron con el desarrollo del programa. Si no puedes participar el viernes, 12 de Noviembre, tendremos una segunda oportunidad el viernes 9 de Diciembre a las 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. en el laboratorio. ¡Estamos ansiosos de poder compartir sobre nuestro emocionante programa con ustedes!

Our distinguished mentors serving the Latina SciGirls program include:

*Nuestros mentores distinguidos que sirven el programa Latina SciGirls incluyen:*

Margaret Dominguez  
Optical Engineer, NASA Goddard  
Ingeniera óptica, NASA Goddard

Amelia Gandara  
Chemical Engineer and Undergraduate Researcher, Conn Center for Renewable Energy Research  
Ingeniero químico y licenciada investigadora, Conn Center para Investigación de Energía Renovable

Silvia Jaramillo-Regalado  
Computer Engineer and Co-Founder, Culture Tech Cadets  
Ingeniero informático y Co-fundador, Cultura Tech Cadetes

Dalia Palchik  
Fairfax County School Board Member, Providence District

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Developmental Neurobiologist and Latino Outreach Specialist, Twin Cities Public Television  
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