



NASA GSFC Workshop for Museum Educators
September 7-9, 2011

APPLICATION FOR PARTICIPATION
Deadline July 13, 2011

WHO MAY APPLY: It is preferred that teams of two museum educators of the same institution apply. Space is limited. Preference will be given to educators of small- and medium-sized museums/science centers within the Northeast U.S.

WHAT IS PROVIDED: This is a competitive application process. A maximum of 20 educators will be awarded a \$500 travel and per diem stipend, as well as lodging and shuttle transportation between hotel and GSFC Visitor Center.** If you do not want to be considered for financial assistance, please initial here: _____.

Participants' Names 1. _____

2. _____

Institution _____

Address Street _____

State _____

Zip _____

Phone 1. _____

2. _____

Email Address 1. _____

2. _____

****For those participants who request funding, you will be required to implement an event or program for a middle school educator or student audience utilizing the workshop content learned by August 30, 2012. This is in alignment with the 2011 NASA Education Recommendation Report. Your program or event will be subject to evaluation and documentation, and thus, will be eligible to receive a \$2000 stipend for your institution. If you would like to be considered for financial assistance, please read and initial the boxes below.**

Participant 1	Participant 2	
		I have the approval of my supervisor to attend this workshop.
		I understand that I must implement a program and/or event utilizing the information I have learned by August 2012 and for that program/event to be subjected to an evaluation.
		I have the support of my supervisor to design and implement a program/event based on the content from this workshop.
		I understand I must book my own transportation to and from Greenbelt, MD and be reimbursed through the \$500 travel and per diem stipend.

Participants will divide into small groups for personalized training in the specific science, engineering and related activities of interest. Team members may each select a different content strand or attend the same:

Content Strand	Participant 1	Participant 2
Planetary: The Messenger Mission and Mercury		
Heliophysics: Space Weather		
Earth Science: Understanding Our Changing Home Planet		
Astrophysics: How We Learn About The Universe		
Engineering: The Engineering Life Cycle		

Signature of Participant 1

Date

Signature of Participant 2

Date