Vision

The National Girls Collaborative Project brings together organizations committed to informing and encouraging girls to pursue careers in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM).
NGCP Goals

1. **Maximize access** to shared resources within organizations interested in engaging girls in STEM.
2. **Strengthen the capacity** of programs by sharing exemplary practice research and program models.
3. **Use the leverage of a network** to achieve gender equity in STEM.
Why is Collaboration Important?

High levels of collaboration among educators and programs engaging girls in STEM increases the efficiency and effectiveness and overall capacity of programs and therefore increases opportunities and improves experiences for girls in STEM.
Increased Collaboration Benefits Girl-Serving STEM Programs

- Helped us better serve girls: 82%
- Increased girls’ interest in STEM: 78%
- Helped my program be more effective: 77%
- Increased girls’ confidence in STEM: 77%

Source: NGCP 2015 Annual Survey
National Network of Collaborative Teams
NGCP Activities

Virtually:
- Content Rich Project Website
- The Connectory – Collaboration Tool
- FabFems – Role Model Tool
- E-Newsletter and Social Media
- Webinars
- YoGA!

Local Collaboratives:
- Professional Development: Conferences and Forums
- Incentives to Collaborate: Mini-Grants
- Newsletters and Local Resources
The FabFems Project
FabFems Directory

The FabFems directory is an international, online, searchable directory of women STEM professionals interested in outreach to girls

Audience:
- Role Models
- Girl-Serving Programs
- Parents and Girls

www.fabfems.org
About Us

The Connectory is the most comprehensive portal for STEM offerings

The Connectory makes the connections to STEM learning opportunities that inspire young people to explore, discover, and create.

• Largest and most comprehensive directory of STEM opportunities and programs
• Online collaboration tool
• Showcase STEM opportunities to families
How Families Find Opportunities

Find an Opportunity
Search for events, programs, and activities in your community

16 Opportunities Found

**iXplore STEM Summer Program**
High school students gain real world STEM experience and skills during the iXplore STEM Summer Program. Students...
07/25/2016 - 07/29/2016
S101-S500
BIDDEFORD
MAINE

**Vital Signs**
Anyone with an interest in learning and contributing to scientific research is invited to join the Vital Signs...
06/01/2015 - 12/31/2020
FREE
PORTLAND
MAINE
OTHER

**LabVenture**
In GMRs LabVenture experience, 5th and 6th graders from all corners of Maine take on the role of scientists and...
01/01/2006 - 12/31/2020
FREE
PORTLAND
MAINE
FIELD TRIP
Connect, Share, and Collaborate
NGCP Network Projects

- techbridge
- Crypto Club
- Leap into science
- SciGirls
- Smithsonian Latino Virtual Museum
- Science Action Club
- INVENTIONX
- EmpowerHER
- The Cornell Lab of Ornithology
- FabFems
SciGirls Strategies Livestream

June 12, 2019
11:00am Pacific
2:00pm Eastern

https://ngcproject.org/scigirls-strategies-live-stream-0