Advance Registration Form
63rd NSTA National Conference on Science Education
Chicago, Illinois • March 12–15, 2015

Join NSTA and Save on Conference Registration
☐ I would like to join NSTA and take advantage of member-only conference fees. My membership application (see next page) and payment are enclosed with my conference registration.
☐ I am a member of NSTA. Member ID #
☐ I do not wish to join NSTA at this time, but would like to learn more about membership.

Contact Information Please print or type. Information with an asterisk (*) will appear on your badge.

First Name* _____________________________________________ MI* __________________________ Last Name* _____________________________________________
Job Position/Title* _____________________________________________
Name of Institution/Affiliation* _____________________________________________
Work Mailing Address _____________________________________________
City* _____________________________________________ State/Province* ___________ Country ____________________ Zip __________________________
Home Mailing Address _____________________________________________
City* _____________________________________________ State/Province* ___________ Country ____________________ Zip __________________________
Daytime phone __________________________ Fax __________________________ E-mail _______________________________________________
I prefer to receive mail at: ☐ Home ☐ Work ☐ Twitter handle __________________________
Name of spouse/guest attending conference with you ________________________________________________________________
Name(s) of children attending conference with you (high school age and under register for free) ________________________________________________________________

Disciplines (check all that apply)
☐ Earth Science ☐ Computer Sci.
☐ Biology ☐ Tech. Education
☐ Chemistry ☐ Physics
☐ Environmental Science ☐ Physical Science
☐ General Science ☐ Other

Position (check all that apply)
☐ Teacher ☐ Professor ☐ Dept. Head/Chair ☐ Consultant
☐ Principal ☐ Supervisor/Coordinator ☐ Administrator
☐ Professional Develop. Provider ☐ Other

Grades (check all that apply)
☐ PreK-K ☐ 1st Grade ☐ 2nd Grade ☐ 3rd Grade ☐ 4th Grade
☐ 5th Grade ☐ 6th Grade ☐ 7th Grade
☐ 8th Grade ☐ 9th Grade ☐ 10th Grade ☐ 11th Grade
☐ 12th Grade ☐ College ☐ 2-year College
☐ 4-year College

Institution (check all that apply)
☐ Public School ☐ Private School ☐ Graduate School
☐ Laboratory ☐ Business ☐ Retired
☐ Informal Education ☐ Home School ☐ Library
☐ Other

Program/Ticket Orders

P-1: I would like to GO GREEN and PAPERLESS (see reverse).

Professional Development Institutes
See attached page for PDI courses.

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Short Courses, Educational Trips, and Networking Events

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Subtotal __________________________

Register online!
www.nsta.org/chicago

Payment

Registration Fee $_______

Spouse/Guest Fee $_______

Membership Fee (form attached) $_______

Tickets (from Ticket Orders) $_______

Total Due: $_______

I am paying by:
☐ Check #_____ (payable to “National Science Teachers Association” in U.S. funds)

Card # _____________________________
Expiration Date _______________________
Signature ___________________________

☐ School Purchase Order (copy attached): PO No. ________________________

Save Time! Register online!
www.nsta.org/chicago

NAT15WEB

Become an NSTA member and save when you register for 2–4 days!
Simply complete a membership application (available on the following pages) and include it and your membership fee with your registration form.

Must be paid by 2/13/15 to receive Earlybird rates.

Final deadline for Earlybird registration: 2/13/15.

Earlybird Advance Full Rate
1/23/15 2/13/15 after 2/13 $255 $285 $310

Two to Four Days
Current NSTA member or applicant $255 $285 $310
ISTA member (Illinois) $255 $285 $310
WSST member (Wisconsin) $255 $285 $310
Nonmember $345 $375 $400
Retired NSTA member # $150 $165 $190
Full-time Student $100 $115 $140

One Day Only–Check Day:
☐ Thu ☐ Fri ☐ Sat
Nonstudent (member or nonmember) $180 $200 $220
Full-time Student $70 $75 $90

Last Day Only–Sunday (no Sunday exhibit hours)
Nonstudent (member or nonmember) $100 $105 $115
Full-time Student $50 $55 $65
Nonteaching Spouse/Guest (enter name above) $95 $115 $135

Go Green
For discounts, your registration must be postmarked by the dates shown at right.

Go Green: Simen complete a membership application (available on the following pages) and include it and your membership fee with your registration form.

Please print or type.

Institution/Affiliation: _____________________________________________
Position: _____________________________________________
Disciplines: _____________________________________________

Check here if you need SPECIAL ASSISTANCE due to a disability. Attach an extra sheet describing assistance needed, including evening phone number. We may NOT be able to arrange special services for requests received after the advance deadline.

PO No. ________________________
Expiration Date ________________________

School Purchase Order (copy attached): PO No. ________________________

Mail your completed form with payment to National Science Teachers Association, Conference Dept., PO Box 90214, Washington, DC 20090-0214, FAX: 703-243-3924, or register online at www.nsta.org/chicago.
Registration Instructions
This form is for the use of conference participants only. Individuals registering to conduct business should contact Jason Sheldrake, Assistant Executive Director, NSTA Sales, at 703-312-9273 to register as a Non-exhibiting Industry Representative.

Each registrant (except nonteaching spouse) must submit a separate registration form. Do not send duplicate registrations—if you fax your form, do not also mail the form. Visit www.nsta.org/confreg for complete information on registration, including rates, deadlines, spouse and guest fees. For complete information on the conference, please visit www.nsta.org/chicago.

Registration fees cover all nonticketed conference activities and entry to the Exhibit Hall. Fees do not cover ticketed events, meals, lodging, or transportation other than NSTA-contracted shuttle service.

By registering to attend a National Science Teachers Association (NSTA) conference, you grant permission to NSTA to take and use your photo in NSTA marketing and promotional pieces for an indefinite period of time. Marketing and promotional pieces include, but are not limited to, printed brochures, reports, postcards, flyers, and materials, as well as online uses such as postings on the NSTA website, online newsletters, and e-mail blasts. NSTA shall own all rights, including copyrights in and to the photos. You also grant permission to NSTA to use, encode, digitize, transmit, and display the video/audio of your session, presentation, or workshop given at the NSTA conference, singularly or in conjunction with other recordings, as well as to use your name, photograph, biographic information, and ancillary material in connection with such video/audio for commercial, promotional, advertising, and other business purposes. NSTA and its employees are released from any liability arising out of the use of your name, video, photographs, and/or organization name and location.

Earlybird/Advance Deadlines
Registrations submitted online, postmarked, or faxed by the earlybird deadline of January 23 or the advance deadline of February 13 have substantially lower fees than those for on-site registration.

You must register by the advance deadline date to receive your badge, tickets, and confirmation in advance of the conference. To avoid long lines on-site, call NSTA conference registration at 703-243-7100 or 800-328-8998 or e-mail reg@nsta.org if you have not received your confirmation packet by three weeks before the conference.

If your registration is received online or postmarked/faxed after the advance deadline, you will be charged the full on-site rate and your confirmation may not be mailed to you before the conference. Pick up your confirmation, badge, and tickets on-site at the Conference Services Counter in the NSTA Registration Area. Note: You may have to stand in long lines on-site.

Ticketed Events
Tickets are available on a first-come/first-served basis. For the fastest service, we recommend that you register and purchase tickets online (www.nsta.org/chicago). You may also register and/or purchase tickets using this Advance Registration Form. If you are registered for the full meeting (three–four days), you may purchase tickets for any available event. If you are registering for one day only, you may purchase tickets only for those events that take place on the day for which you are registering.

There are two prices for ticketed events: the advance price and the on-site price. To qualify for the advance price, your registration and ticket purchases must be postmarked or faxed by the advance registration deadline of February 13.

You may add tickets to an earlier registration online or by submitting a new registration form (check the box on the new form that indicates that you have already registered for the conference). Visit our website (www.nsta.org/chicago) for details and descriptions of ticketed events. Tickets are nonrefundable.

Refund/Cancellation Policy
Refund requests must be in writing and must be postmarked 10 days before the conference. Badge materials must be returned with refund request. Registration cancellations are subject to a $20 processing fee. Ticketed events are nonrefundable.

Questions?
Contact NSTA conference registration at 703-243-7100 or 800-328-8998, or via e-mail at reg@nsta.org. For general information on the national conference or to register online, visit our website at www.nsta.org/chicago.

Submitting Your Registration
Payment for registration and membership (if attaching membership application) must be included with your registration form. Forms received without payment will be returned unprocessed. Payment may be made by check, credit card, or purchase order from your school or school district (attach forms for all registrants). Mail your completed form with check or credit card payment to:

National Science Teachers Association
Conference Department
PO Box 90214
Washington, DC 20090-0214
FAX: 703-243-3924

Join NSTA NOW and Save $90 on Your Conference Registration
Complete the membership application available on the following pages and include it, your membership fee, and your Chicago national conference registration form/payment and send to:

National Science Teachers Association
Conference Dept., PO Box 90214,

Or register online at www.nsta.org/chicago.

Why Join NSTA?
• Practical teaching tools you can use in the classroom TODAY that you can access online—anywhere, anytime.
• Your subscription to one of NSTA’s award-winning journals (Science & Children, Science Scope, The Science Teacher, or Journal of College Science Teaching) for great lesson plans, classroom activities, and instructional support.
• Instant classroom support from your peers via the members-only NSTA listservs.
• 20% discounts on NSTA Press® publications—our bestsellers include Translating the NGSS for Classroom Instruction; Picture-Perfect Science Lessons series; Uncovering Student Ideas in Primary Science: 25 New Formative Assessment Probes for Grades K–2; and Integrating Engineering and Science in Your Classroom.

Learn more at www.nsta.org/membership
Professional Development Institutes: Wednesday, March 11, 2015

NSTA Professional Development Institutes (PDIs) are focused, content-based programs that explore key topics in significant depth. Each institute begins with a full-day preconference session, followed by two days of pathways sessions that offer further exploration of the topics covered. PDIs are presented by experts in science education, professional development, and materials development. Institutes are offered in conjunction with the NSTA Chicago National Conference on Science Education and require conference registration.

NSTA Professional Development Institutes (PDI-1 through PDI-6) are ticketed events ($150) by preregistration only. For complete descriptions of each PDI and corresponding recommended pathway sessions, visit www.nsta.org/conferences/pdi. PDI Work Sessions are one-day stand-alone events that are in-depth professional development with no linked pathway sessions.

No meals are included for the following events, so please plan accordingly.

- PDI-1: Moving Standards into Practice: Five Tools and Processes for Translating the NGSS into Instructional Sequences and Classroom Assessments
- PDI-2: Designing Effective STEM Lessons Incorporating NGSS: What Does it Look Like?
- PDI-3: Leadership for the Next Generation Science Standards’ Practices of Science
- PDI-4 Work Session: Developing Next Generation Science Assessments
- PDI-5 Work Session: Promoting Equity and Alignment to the NGSS in Curriculum and with Teaching Using the EQUIP and the EQUALS Rubrics
- PDI-6 Work Session: Building STEM Capacity with NGSS: Addressing Science and Engineering in the Next Generation Science Standards
Get Great Benefits All Year Long—Join NSTA Today and Save!

Gain year-round access to the latest news and information affecting science education.

1. **Membership Options** Each membership option listed below includes one journal.

- Individual Membership—$75/yr.
- Student—$35/yr. For students enrolled in an accredited college or university with an interest in science education only. Include proof of current registration with your payment. Instructor must sign here: ________________________________
- New Teacher—$35/yr. Teachers who are in their first five years of teaching. Send a copy of your teaching certificate or a letter from your administrator.
- International Regular Membership—$90/yr. (one journal only)
- International Electronic Membership—$35/yr. (no hard copy journal and no U.S. addresses)
- Retired—$35/yr. Science educators who are fully retired and have been an NSTA member for at least five years.

   **Available for the 2015 National Conference in Chicago**

- NSTA/ISTA—$90/yr. includes membership in both Illinois Science Teachers Association and NSTA (ISTA15).
- NSTA/WSST—$85/yr. includes membership in both the Wisconsin Society of Science Teachers and NSTA (WSST15).

2. **Contact Information** (please print)

   - Name ____________________________
   - Title ____________________________
   - Institution ________________________
   - Home  □  Work  □
   - Address ____________________________
   - City __________________ State ______ Zip ______
   - Country ____________________________
   - Work Phone ________________________
   - Home Phone ________________________
   - Fax ______________________________
   - E-mail ____________________________
   - Twitter handle ______________________

   Have you ever been an NSTA member? □ No  □ Yes  ID# ______________________

   □ I am interested in receiving information from NSTA about a leadership position.
   □ Please remove my name and postal address from the mailing list NSTA makes available to other organizations.

3. **Membership Journals** Select the journal you would like to receive as part of your membership:

- Science & Children—9 times a year; grades K–6
- Science Scope—9 times a year; grades 6–9
- The Science Teacher—9 times a year; grades 9–12
- Journal of College Science Teaching—6 times a year; college

   To subscribe to more than one journal, call NSTA Member Services at 800-722-NSTA (6782) or 703-243-7100.

4. **GRADES** (check all that apply)

- Pre-K  □  Kindergarten  □  4th Grade  □  9th Grade  □
- 1st Grade  □  5th Grade  □  10th Grade  □
- 2nd Grade  □  6th Grade  □  11th Grade  □
- 3rd Grade  □  7th Grade  □  12th Grade  □
- 4th Grade  □  8th Grade  □ College  □

5. **DISCIPLINES** (check all that apply)

- Earth and Space Science  □  Physical Science  □
- Biology/Life Science  □  General Science  □
- Chemistry  □  Computer Science  □
- Physics  □  Tech Education  □
- Environmental Science  □ Other ____________________________

6. **Payment Method**

- School Purchase Order enclosed. PO# ____________________________
- Check enclosed, payable to the “National Science Teachers Association” (U.S. Dollars)
- Please charge my credit card: □ MasterCard  □ VISA  □ Discover  □ AMEX

   Card # ____________________________ Expiration Date ______________________

   Name on card ____________________________ Signature ______________________

**Four Easy Ways to Join NSTA**

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Membership dues are subject to change without notice.