Sponsorship and Exhibitor Opportunities
44 Universities. 7,000 students. 8,000 math and science teachers by 2020!

What Is UTeach?

UTeach is a nationally recognized program that prepares science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) majors to become teachers. Forty-four universities in 21 states and the District of Columbia are transforming the preparation of secondary STEM teachers through UTeach. Each year, these universities and others come together for three days of meetings, interactive presentations, hands-on workshops, and panels and discussions devoted to strengthening STEM education.

Why Support UTeach?

STEM skills are in demand. There are 1.9 STEM jobs for every unemployed person in the U.S., yet only 10% of college degrees are awarded in STEM fields. UTeach increases the number of high-quality STEM majors who enter teaching, stay in teaching, and are prepared to engage and challenge students in STEM learning through inquiry-based teaching methods.

Your support for the annual UTeach Conference allows us to bring together faculty, master teachers, students, and industry stakeholders to share best practices in STEM education and collaborate on shared challenges, further strengthening the preparation of UTeach STEM teachers nationwide.

Who Attends the UTeach Conference?

The annual UTeach conference has grown to more than 500 attendees. These include faculty, master teachers, development officers, administrators, and students from more than 50 universities nationwide.

Please consider supporting the UTeach Conference at one of the following levels.

UTeach Partner ($10,000 and above)

$25,000	Supports the Conference Dinner and keynote speaker
$15,000	Supports the Opening Reception and Student Poster Session
$10,000	Supports an opening or closing keynote presenter

UTeach Partners will receive

- four complimentary conference registrations,
- the opportunity to host an educational session and exhibit table,
- an invitation to the reception with keynote speakers and special guests,
- special recognition at your sponsored event or the opening keynote reception,
- reserved seating at the Conference Dinner, and
- recognition in the conference materials.

UTeach Supporter ($2,500 to $9,999)

$5,000	Host an educational session and exhibit space
$2,500	Exhibit space ($1,500 for nonprofits)

UTeach Supporters will receive

- two complimentary conference registrations,
- the opportunity to host an educational session and/or exhibit table,
- an invitation to the reception with keynote speakers and special guests, and
- recognition in the conference materials.

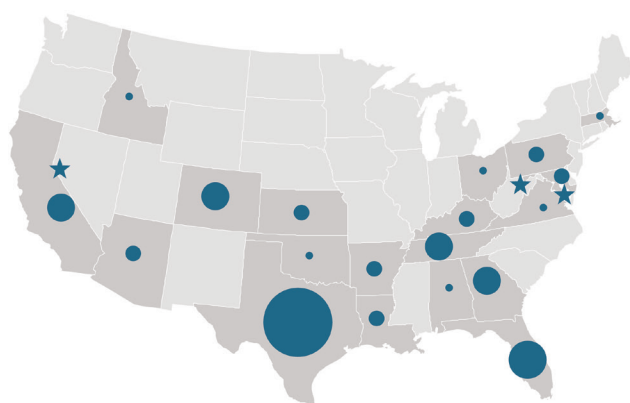*Complete the attached sponsor reply form.*
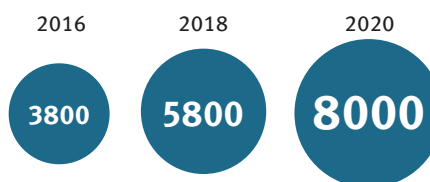
Conference Sponsors

Organizations have a unique opportunity to interact and get involved with the nationally recognized UTeach community of STEM educators. Previous conference sponsors include the following:

· The Educational Advancement Foundation
· Exxon Mobil Corporation
· Howard Hughes Medical Institute
· IBM
· National Instruments
· The National Math and Science Initiative
· Sally Ride Science
· Siemens Foundation
· SMART Technologies
· SparkFun Electronics, Inc.
· *The Texas Tribune*
· Tokyo Electron America

Spring 2015 Enrollment Nationwide *(6,892 students)*

Projected Number of UTeach Graduates *(cumulative count)*

2016	2018	2020
3800	5800	8000

UTeach
Institute

The UTeach Institute was established in 2006 at UT Austin to support replication of the UTeach secondary STEM teacher preparation program at universities across the country and to lead efforts toward continuous improvement of the UTeach model. The UTeach program is now active on 44 campuses across the country with a total current enrollment of more than 6,800 students.

The University of Texas at Austin | College of Natural Sciences | info@uteach-institute.org | www.uteach-institute.org

UTEACH CONFERENCE SPONSOR REPLY FORM

To become a sponsor, provide complete information below, and submit your reply form with or without payment.

Make checks payable to The University of Texas at Austin. Please respond by April 22 to be listed in conference materials.

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☐ Yes, we will support the conference as indicated below.

    ☐ **UTEACH PARTNER** $_____
                                                            (AMOUNT)

    ☐ **UTEACH SUPPORTER** $_____
                                                            (AMOUNT)

☐ We are unable to sponsor the conference at this time but would like
    to support UTeach by making a donation. $_____
                                                       (AMOUNT)

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NAME AS IT SHOULD APPEAR IN PRINTED MATERIALS FOR RECOGNITION PURPOSES. *PLEASE PRINT*.

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BRIEF DESCRIPTION AS IT SHOULD APPEAR IN THE PROGRAM: (75 WORD LIMIT)

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Will you participate as a conference exhibitor? *(Sponsors at $2,500 level and above)*

☐ Yes *(please complete section below)*
☐ No

EXHIBIT CONTACT _____

EMAIL _____ PHONE _____

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Will you participate as a presenter during the breakout sessions for vendors?

☐ Yes (UTeach Institute will contact you regarding guidelines and the required presenter proposal)
☐ No

Please return completed form by April 22, 2016. You may complete the form online at http://tinyurl.com/gsxcvgu, fax it to 512-232-1491, email the PDF to rwoodward@austin.utexas.edu, or mail it to, 1 University Station, G2550, Austin, Texas 78712. For more information, contact Russ Woodward at 512-232-8471 or rwoodward@austin.utexas.edu.