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Imagination Station STEMinist Virtual Cosmetic Chemistry Celebrates Self Care and Science

(TOLEDO, Ohio) - Pamper yourself and discover the spectacular science behind your favorite cosmetics from the comfort of your home. *STEMinist Virtual Cosmetic Chemistry* is a unique event that brings chemistry and your favorite beauty products together to showcase what's possible with science.

This interactive virtual experience is perfect for women, girls (ages eight and up) and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) enthusiasts. Under the guidance of fantastic local STEM professionals, *Cosmetic Chemistry* highlights the importance of STEM. Participants will learn and get hands-on and make their very own rejuvenating face mask and shower jelly.

Leading the conversation is Dr. Amanda Bryant-Friedrich, a proud Imagination Station Board member, STEMinist and dean of the graduate school at Wayne State University. Dr. Bryant-Friedrich will discuss her journey as a woman in a male-dominated STEM field to inspire listeners and spark a passion for science in youth.

Then, discover the role chemistry plays in cosmetic creation with Dr. Gabi Baki, assistant professor of pharmaceuticals and director of the cosmetic science and formulation design program at The University of Toledo

What: STEMinist Virtual Cosmetic Chemistry

When: Tuesday, January 26, 2021 | 5:30-6:30 PM

Where: Participants will meet on Zoom

Cosmetic Chemistry costs:

STEMinist Members: \$35 for Cosmetic Chemistry Kit and Zoom event access.

STEMinist Non-Members: \$40 for Cosmetic Chemistry Kit and Zoom event access.

Extra Kits for children: \$15

Extra kits can be purchased by emailing Mary Isabell at misabell@istscience.org.



The deadline to register is Friday, January 22. For more information visit **imaginationstationtoledo.org**.

Imagination Station provides a critical layer of science enrichment by serving as an educational partner for teachers, schools and parents. It's with a thoughtful blend of exhibits, experiences, education and excitement that Imagination Station inspires visitors to pursue STEM careers in Northwest Ohio.

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