

Stockton to Host Free Screening of 'Big Dream' and Panel on Women in Science and Technology

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Galloway, NJ - Stockton University will host a free public screening of "Big Dream," a documentary that tells the stories of seven young women and the challenges they face in pursuing their passions for science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM).

The film will be screened on **Thursday, March 10 at 4:30 p.m.** in the Campus Center Theater on the Galloway campus, 101 Vera King Farris Drive. Following the screening, a panel of women professionals who work in STEM fields will share their experiences and answer questions.

Panelists will include: Lynne Kesselman, Stockton's first lady and a nationally recognized technology educator, Jacqui Chetty, a lecturer in Applied Information Systems at the University of Johannesburg in South Africa, Sheri Prupis, vice president for Academic and Community Engagement at NJEDge, a non-profit technology consortium of academic and research institutions in New Jersey, Candace Fleming, vice president for Information Technology at Montclair State University, and Sandra Miller, Deputy Chief Information Officer at William Paterson University.

The event is sponsored by the Office of E-Learning, the Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies (WGSS) program, and the Computer Science Teachers Association - Southern New Jersey Chapter.

To ensure adequate seating is available, attendees are asked to reserve their seats at Stockton.edu/bigdream.