HOW YOU CAN HELP

• ADVOCATE. Share your input as industry experts with us. We want to hear what additional programs, events or speakers we should have. Tell us how Bronx Science can become a leader in entrepreneurship and innovation education.

• VOLUNTEER. Reach out and tell us how you can help. We are looking for people to serve as mentors, speakers and hosts.

• CONNECT. Connect Bronx Science with industry leaders and companies who may be willing to offer corporate sponsorship or other opportunities for Bronx Science students.

• SUPPORT. Become a founding member! Founding members are leadership donors—individuals or corporate sponsors—who make a donation today to help establish the Bronx Science IDEAS Initiative.

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AREAS OF FOCUS

Bronx Science will focus on three key areas within the IDEAS Initiative:

• CURRICULAR EXPANSION. Expanded electives in Computer Science, Robotics and Engineering such as Mobile App Development, Robotics Leadership, Intro to Engineering, Digital Engineering and Experimental Engineering with plans to add new electives.

• ACCESS AND EXPOSURE. A core value of the IDEAS Initiative is to provide students with access and exposure to new companies, opportunities and industries. We are looking for alumni to help us make these connections. Potential programs include Company Site Visits, a Guest Speaker Series, a TedX partnership as well as Alumni Entrepreneurship, Marketing and Technology Networking Events.

• EXPERIENTIAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS. The IDEAS Initiative will enable Bronx Science to add hands on programs allowing students to test their concepts, practice an innovation framework and hone their entrepreneurial mindset. We are confident that the addition of real world programs will have a tremendous impact on the learning outcomes and excitement levels of our students.

In Summer 2015, the Bronx Science Design Institute will debut as a special intensive summer program where students will work in teams to identify a problem and develop a product or process to help solve that challenge.

Other programs being explored include a Hackathon, a Mobile App Development Contest, a Virtual Apprenticeship Program and increased emphasis on our Robotics Teams.