

# Tech Talk Theater: Schedule



📍 Eppley Rec Center, West Gym

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a session!



## May 31

**9:30am**

### **Physics is Phun: Physics of Fluids**

- *Angel Torres, University of Maryland*

**10:30am**

### **Advanced Manufacturing/Trades/Defense Industrial Base**

- *Karl Staten, Accelerated Training in Defense Manufacturing*

**2:30pm**

### **GoSense – From Spark to Sensor: How Ideas Become Real-World Science Tools**

- *Jamie Barnes & David Young, RoboNation*

## June 1

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### **OECI: Ocean Exploration Cooperative Institute**

- *Tara Hicks Johnson, OECI*

**11:00am**

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# Tech Talk Theater: Meet the Speakers



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**June 1 | 9:30am**

## **Physics is Phun: Physics of Fluids**

**Angel Torres, Outreach Coordinator, UMD Physics**

Join us for a mini Physics is Phun show, featuring demonstrations on the physics of fluids followed by a discussion on how the science is being used today! Physics is Phun is an outreach program of the University of Maryland Physics Department.

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## **Accelerated Training in Defense Manufacturing**

**Karl Staten, Recruitment Specialist, ATDM**



Join Karl as he discusses advanced manufacturing capabilities, such as Additive Manufacturing (3-D Printing), Non-Destructive Testing, Quality Control Inspection (Metrology), CNC Machining, Welding. Karl is the Recruitment Specialist for Accelerated Training in Defense Manufacturing (ATDM) at the Institute for Advanced Learning and Research (IALR).

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## **GoSense - From Spark to Sensor: How Ideas Become Real-World Science Tools**

**Jamie Barnes & David Young, RoboNation**



In this hands-on session we'll walk through the entire product journey—from the very first “What if...?” moment to a finished device you can hold in your hand and use in the classroom and field. You'll see how engineers brainstorm, prototype, test, and refine until a classroom-ready product is born. We'll collect and visualize environmental data on-the-spot, showing how the same engineering process powers citizen-science investigations.

**June 1 | 10:30am**

## **Ocean Exploration Cooperative Institute**

**Tara Hicks Johnson, OECI**

The OECI mission is to explore, map, and characterize the nation's vast ocean territory, to develop and implement new technologies, and to engage future generations of ocean scientists, engineers, and stakeholders.