

INTERDISCIPLINARY STEM SEMINAR SERIES

(Science Technology Engineering Mathematics)



Women in COMPUTER SCIENCE

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Popular media and scholarly journals well publicized gender inequality in the STEM disciplines. Even more alarming is the fact that the under-representation of women varies among the STEM disciplines. Unfortunately, computer science, despite its numerous lucrative opportunities and high demand for its professionals, is the STEM discipline that struggles the most with gender imbalance. In this presentation, we discuss the contributions of female computer scientists, gender parity within the field of computing, factors that impede gender diversity, and current efforts towards gender equality within the field.