

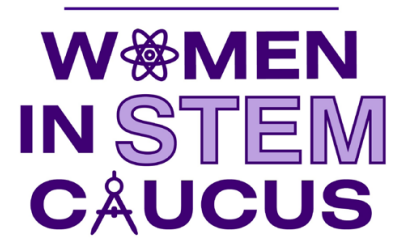
# CONGRESSIONAL WOMEN IN STEM CAUCUS

## ABOUT

The **Congressional Women in STEM Caucus** is a bipartisan group of Members dedicated to advancing the important role women in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) play in boosting our economy, conducting groundbreaking research that leads to life-changing innovations, and furthering our nation's scientific enterprise.

The caucus also promotes the partnerships between American universities, federal research agencies, and the private sector on programs designed to support and advance women in STEM, and scientific breakthroughs led by women researchers.

With a historic number of women in Congress, including many with STEM backgrounds and in leadership positions on science and research issues, the caucus promotes policies, programs, and initiatives that support diversity in the talent pool of STEM fields.



## THE MISSION

The **Women in STEM Caucus** helps bring public and congressional awareness to policies, programs, and initiatives that support women in STEM fields, and develops the next generation of women leaders in STEM. The caucus gives a permanent voice on Capitol Hill to those committed to advancing women in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and math and encourages policy solutions that promote women and other underrepresented minorities in STEM education and careers.

## REASONS FOR JOINING THE WOMEN IN STEM CAUCUS

**CONNECT** with local researchers across the country and understand the life-changing work they are doing in coordination with national labs, federal research agencies, and American universities, and the private sector.

**SUPPORT** bipartisan legislation for policies aimed at enhancing women's roles in STEM fields, including research and workforce development.

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