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If you work at an ASTC-member organization, your personal myASTC account is a gateway to networking and professional-growth resources designed for you. These resources include the ASTC General Forum, ASTC Communities, digital subscriptions to *Dimensions* magazine and the *Informer* newsletter, research publications, webinars and hangouts, a searchable member directory, and more.

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Manage Your Subscriptions

Sign up for a subscription to digital *Dimensions*, ASTC's award-winning magazine featuring a mix of indepth analysis and briefs of noteworthy events and resources for the science center and museum field. Subscribe to *Informer*, a biweekly newsletter capturing the latest news and opportunities from across the field.

Join the ASTC General Forum

The <u>ASTC General Forum</u> is the "digital town square" for people who work in science centers and museums. Take advantage of all the forum has to offer by following discussions on practical and theoretical topics of all types. This is also a great place to ask questions of a wide audience, from recommendations for sturdy exhibit push-button hardware, to how other institutions handle early-bird pricing for special event tickets, to how different institutions are approaching COVID-19 challenges.

Connect with ASTC Communities

ASTC Communities are a constant source of idea exchange, learning, and collaboration for staff at ASTC-member organizations—nurturing the ongoing development of the workforce in the science center and museum field and facilitating collaboration and collective impact in ASTC members. Connect with others who are passionate about the same topics that are important to you in communities for Adult Engagement, Advocates for Diversity, Development/Fundraising, Early Childhood, Making and Tinkering, Marketing, Membership, and many more.

Always Something New

ASTC's active schedule of webinars and hangouts provide an unmatched place for connecting with others who share your commitment to STEM engagement and effective institutional operations. Check out the <u>ASTC website</u>, read *Informer*, or follow @ScienceCenters on social media for news about upcoming events. Remember to register quickly, as these events often fill up fast.

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