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New Science Fair Coordinator Appointed to Guide Detroit Public Schools Toward Increased Excellence in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math

Farmington Hills, MI The Board of Directors of the Science and Engineering Fair of Metropolitan Detroit (SEFMD) has announced the selection of Nasreen Jalili as Science Fair Coordinator serving Detroit Public Schools. For many years, Detroit Public Schools ranked high in Science Fair participation and sent several senior-category winners on to further levels of competition. In recent years, participation has dwindled.

Earlier this school year, Tim Fino, SEFMD Fair Director extended an offer to Detroit Public Schools. “We established a new staff position - ‘DPS High School Science Fair Coordinator’ - to keep our focus on Detroit Public Schools. We selected Ms. Jalili because of her many years as a science teacher, including fourteen years in the Detroit system.”

Role of the new Science Fair Coordinator is to support teacher and student involvement in science fair investigations, experiments, demonstrations and participation. Nasreen Jalili will also motivate each student to acquire knowledge of scientific investigations and practices. Under her direction, students will also develop skills in scientific problem solving and discover practices of scientific research.

The 54th Science and Engineering Fair of Metropolitan Detroit will be held March 15-19, 2011 at Cobo Center in Detroit. It is open to the public (free of charge) March 17-18 from 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM. Students are encouraged to enter the Science Fair through their schools to earn recognition and key financial awards and scholarships.

About the Science & Engineering Fair of Metropolitan Detroit

The Science and Engineering Fair of Metro Detroit is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting science and engineering discovery in students in 6th through 12th grade. The Science and Engineering Fair of Metropolitan Detroit is the largest one of its kind in the country. The Fair is open to all Wayne, Oakland and Macomb County students who are dedicated to expanding their knowledge and understanding of the world around them.”



Photo Caption: Nasreen Jalili, Recently-Appointed Science Fair Coordinator serving Detroit Public Schools

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