# U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE, SPACE, AND TECHNOLOGY

### **HEARING CHARTER**

July 21, 2017

**TO:** Members, Subcommittee on Research and Technology

**FROM:** Majority Staff, Committee on Science, Space, and Technology

**SUBJECT:** Research and Technology Subcommittee Hearing:

"STEM and Computer Science Education: Preparing the 21st Century Workforce"

The Subcommittee on Research and Technology of the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology will hold a hearing titled *STEM and Computer Science Education: Preparing the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Workforce* on Wednesday, July 26, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 2318 of the Rayburn House Office Building.

## **Hearing Purpose:**

The purpose of the hearing is to highlight the importance of STEM and computer science education to meeting a wide range of critical current and future workforce needs. In addition, the hearing will shed light on the various initiatives taking place across the nation to educate and inspire students to pursue careers in STEM and computer science related fields.

### **Witness List**

- Mr. James Brown, Executive Director, STEM Education Coalition
- Mr. Pat Yongpradit, Chief Academic Officer, Code.org
- **Dr. A. Paul Alivisatos**, Executive Vice Chancellor & Provost, Vice Chancellor for Research, and Professor of Chemistry and Materials Science & Engineering, University of California, Berkeley
- Mrs. Dee Mooney, Executive Director, Micron Technology Foundation

# **Staff Contact**

For questions related to the hearing, please contact Sarah Jorgenson of the Majority Staff at 202-225-6371.