

Annapolis, MD -The 3rd Annual Learning Math & Science Through Sailing Consortium Conference will take place in Annapolis on **Friday, October 5th** at the United States Naval Academy Robert Crown Sailing Center. The three principal speakers will bring unique perspectives to understanding ways to include STEM lessons in your sailing program. Consortium organizations are encouraged to bring multiple representatives.

[Registration is required by September 27th](#) . The event fee is \$20 per person including a box lunch. A Social Hour will begin at 10 AM and the program will run from 11 AM to 4 PM.

[Click here to register online for the NATIONAL Conference in Annapolis.](#)

The speakers for this year include:



Dr. Richard Korpus, Naval Architect and Aerospace Engineer, left Science Applications International Corporation (SAIC) in 2000 to start Annapolis-based Applied Fluid Technologies. His firm specializes in using state-of the art aerodynamic and hydrodynamic design tools to optimize America's Cup yachts. Dr. Korpus directed the aerodynamics program for BMW/Oracle Racing for three years. He has been part of four America's Cup design teams (including 2 Louis Vuitton finalists and the winner of AC33). In August he was a speaker during NSHOF's STEM Sailing Engineering course for incoming high school sophomores and juniors. His presentation will include ways to teach the physics, aerodynamics and hydrodynamics of sailing to your students in concert with the America's Cup competition.



David G. Phillips, Director of the Center for the Study of the American West, University of Colorado Boulder

Dr. Jennifer L. Hill, Director of the Center for the Study of the American West, University of Colorado Boulder

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Dr. Robert M. Hayden, Director of the Center for the Study of the American West, University of Colorado Boulder