# 2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL RGV STEM EDUCATION CONFERENCE



# Challenging the Assumptions: Toward Transformative Practices in STEM Education

The RGV STEM Education Consortium invites you to the 2nd Annual STEM Education Conference February 8 – 9, 2019.

The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley is one of the largest Hispanic Serving Institutions in the United States with an enrollment of 29,000 and an 89% Hispanic student population. This conference is for anyone involved in P-16 STEM education, including higher education and P-12 faculty, administrators, students, and other key stakeholders.

### **CONFERENCE OVERVIEW**

### Friday, February 8, 2019

7:30 am – 4:00 pm | Check-in and onsite registration

8:00 am - 8:30 am | Introductions and welcome

remarks

8:30 am - 9:30 am | Opening Keynote Address,

Dr. Kenneth Tobin

9:45 am - 11:15 am | Concurrent Session 1

11:15 am - 12:45 pm | Lunch Plenary Session,

Dr. Konstantinos Alexakos

1:00 pm – 2:30 pm | Concurrent Session 2

2:30 pm - 3:30 pm | Poster Session

3:30 pm – 3:45 pm | Break

3:45 pm - 5:15 pm | Concurrent Session 3

5:30 pm | Social events, meet in lobby

# Saturday, February 9, 2019

7:30 am – 12:00 pm | Check-in and onsite registration

8:00 am - 9:30 am | Concurrent Session 4

9:30 am - 11:00 am | Concurrent Session 5

11:00 am – 12:30 pm | Lunch Plenary Session,

Dr. Ramos de Robles

12:30 pm - 2:00 pm | Concurrent Session 6

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm | Closing Keynote Address,

Dr. Alejandro Gallard

3:00 pm – 3:15 pm | Closing remarks, recognitions

## **CONFERENCE LOCATION**

The Consortium will be at the <u>Casa De Palmas Hotel</u>. This hotel was built in 1918 and reflects the history of the Rio Grande Valley like none other as you will be surrounded by the beauty of historic Spanish style architecture.

### REGISTRATION CLOSED

The 2nd Annual RGV STEM Education Conference registration period has closed. Please contact Dr. Angela Chapman via email at rgystemed@utrgv.edu for questions regarding the conference and late registration.