# STEM Club General Meeting November 20, 2015 10:30 am – 12:00 pm

## Skills Lab (STC-170)

#### **AGENDA**

- I. Greeting
- II. Sign-In Sheet (Handout)
- III. Confirm Minutes from Last Meeting
- IV. STEM Night
  - a. Western Heights Middle School has invited us to their STEM night on March 10<sup>th</sup> (5:30 7:00 pm)
    - i. They want to know what ideas we currently have and what kind of accommodations (space requirements, *etc.*) we will need.
  - b. Joseph is currently searching for an interested high school as well.
    - i. The high school demonstration will likely be somewhat more technical.

## V. Balloon Project

- a. Last meeting, we determined that we would like to be involved in this project.
- b. Our idea was to measure emissions, including radiation, as well as take footage of the flight.
  - i. An old smart phone's camera should be more than sufficient for footage
  - ii. Joseph found a Geiger counter  $(\beta, \gamma, X-ray)$  with built in recorder for  $\approx $100$ .
- c. We should come up with an experiment

## VI. Trip Update

- a. NIST has been closed to the public for unknown reasons; however, select tours are available. Joseph is currently setting up such a tour for Spring 2016.
- b. ITA trip invitation
- c. MD Day
- VII. Open Discussion
- VIII. New Business
  - IX. Adjournment