



Annual Meeting: December 8, 2008

The Place: **Fort Collins Marriott**

Registration (dues required) - 10:00am till

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Workshop on engineering your career: 10:30-11:50am
'Meeting challenges, making choices, and understanding their impact on your continual career development'

Organized by Dr. Joan King of Beyond-Success, LLC

Randy Pausch begins his book "The Last Lecture" with this declaration - "I have an engineering problem?" When asked why, Randy answers, "Because when I look at it (dying from cancer) as an engineering problem, I can do something about it." As an engineer, Randy weighed different design choices and chose the solutions that provided for his wife, Jai, and three children after his death.

In this workshop, you will view your career from engineering perspectives to meet current challenges and make choices to configure an optimal trajectory to develop your career -- which allows you to develop your potential, use your talents to explore what enchants you and share the results of your initiatives with others - as scientist, teacher, mentor, administrator, CEO, provider of equipment and supplies, advocate for valued causes, etc. etc. etc..

Noon-3pm – Lunch, Posters, Vendors!

3-4pm – Award Winning Student presentations

4-5pm – More Posters, Vendors, Coffee!

5-6pm – Keynote Lecture:

Dr. Kristen M. Harris, PhD, UT Austin

**Structural plasticity of hippocampal synapses,
a cellular mechanism of learning**

6-7pm – Awards, door prizes, reception!

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