

27th Annual Women in Science Forum

Saturday, March 1st 2025 Towson University, Science Complex 9:30 AM to 1:00 PM

This program is organized by the TU Women in Science Program, and is sponsored by the Jess & Mildred Fisher College of Science & Mathematics.

Schedule

9:30 to 9:50 AM Room 2323: Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:50 AM Room 2226: Welcome from the Organizers

Greetings from **Dr. Ming Tomayko**, FCSM Associate Dean

for Student Success

Greetings from **Dr. Melanie Perreault**, Provost & Executive

Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs

10:00 – 10:45 AM Dr. Kishana Taylor: "Take Chances, Make Mistakes, Get

Messy! - Embodying Miss Frizzle while navigating new

people, places, things and ideas".

Assistant Professor, Department of Biological Sciences at Towson University and President of Black Microbiologists

Association (BlackInMicro)

10:45 – 11:00 AM Break

11:00 – 11:45 AM Dr. Amy Williams: "Dare Mighty Things - It's ok to learn

through failure"

Associate Professor, Department of Geological Sciences and Assistant Director of the Astraeus Space Institute at the

University of Florida

11:55 AM Closing Comments

12:00- 1:00 PM Networking Lunch in Room 2323

For more information, please contact the WIS Program Co-Chairs Dr. Peko Tsuji (<u>ptsuji@towson.edu</u>) or Dr. Beth Kautzman (<u>kkautzman@towson.edu</u>)