

Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers

New PCCM Outreach with Blind and Visually Impaired Audiences

The Princeton MRSEC has created new modules for its new pilot outreach program for blind and visually impaired students. Partnering with the National Federation of the Blind and the New Jersey and Maryland Regional Braille Challenges, PCCM is developing and presenting a variety of hands-on sensory activities in this new effort to increase accessibility to science for those with disabilities.

PCCM aims to continue its inclusive outreach by hosting the ISLAND* conference on the Princeton University campus in 2020 and 2021. PCCM previously hosted the 2018 ISLAND conference and was a sponsor for the 2019 conference in Alabama.

* The Inclusion in Science, Learning a New Direction (ISLAND) conferences feature experts in disability education and focus on interventions to invite broader participation from disabled learners to make STEM education and workplaces more accessible.



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