



# The World ABOVE THE TETONS

## SCIENCE SPEAKER SERIES 2018-2019

Wyoming Stargazing wants to broaden Jackson's understanding of the Cosmos by bringing some of the most knowledgeable professionals in the fields of space travel, supernovae, life on other worlds, dark sky preservation, and more to share their research in order to answer some of our most pressing questions about "The World Above the Tetons."

These monthly, 2-hour, interactive presentations will take place during the Fall/Winter of 2018-2019 in high-capacity venues around Jackson Hole. "The World Above the Tetons" science speaker series will appeal to a wide variety of professional and lay audiences and will focus on audience interaction with each speaker.

Please see the other side of this document for a short summary of the incredible line-up of speakers in this series. Please see below for ways your non-profit organization can become involved.

## NON-PROFIT PARTNERSHIP

We would like to invite you to be a Non-Profit Partner on any of the events that align with your mission. All Non-Profit Partners will receive the following benefits for each of their chosen events:

- 4 passes to the general audience events
- 4 passes to the exclusive pre-presentation cocktail hours with the speaker and event donors
- Recognition in all marketing materials

In exchange for these benefits, we request your support of the Speaker Series in the following ways:

- Promotion of the Speaker Series for 4 weeks prior to the event date on your organization's website
- Communication about the Speaker Series in at least two communications with your membership or community audience(s)
- Day-of event support from 2 of your organization's staff (volunteers will be able to enjoy the speaker event at which they work, and will not be included among the 4 free passes described in the benefits above)

To learn more, please contact: Ingrid Daffner Krasnow at [daffnerkrasnow@gmail.com](mailto:daffnerkrasnow@gmail.com) or 844-996-7827.

### September 2018: Communicating Beyond Earth

Confirmed Speaker: Jill Tarter, Astrophysicist and SETI (Search for Extraterrestrial Intelligence) pioneer.



### October 2018: Space travel in the 21st century

Confirmed Speaker: Scott Altman, NASA Hall of Fame Astronaut, veteran of four tours in space and featured in the Imax film "Hubble."



### November 2018: Preserving dark night skies

Confirmed Speaker: Paul Bogard, author of, "The End of Night: Searching For Natural Darkness In An Age of Artificial Light."



### December 2018: Supernovae, black holes and the evolution of stars

Confirmed Speaker: Dr. Doug Leonard professor of supernovae at San Diego State University.



### January 2019: Women in Science

Confirmed Speaker: Dava Sobel, Best-Selling Popular Science Writer, author of The Glass Universe and the Smithsonian's 2017 Dibner Lecturer.



### February 2019: Making Astronomy Accessible for the Visually Impaired

Invited Speaker: Dr. Wanda Diaz Merced, pioneer in using sonification to turn large data sets into audible sounds.



### March 2019: Space Commerce

Confirmed Speaker: Kathleen Cohen, recent Space Tech Summit speaker and former strategist for Walt Disney Parks and Resorts, Dreamworks Interactive and IBM Centers for Innovation.

