## **Upcoming Events**

Making a Difference: BL Speaker Series
April 15th, at 1:30 pm ADT: Emily Takara, Trisha
Sathish, and Anne Hu: Designing with
Sustainable Biomaterials

Brilliant Labs is pleased to host our next virtual speaker series event that will introduce three inspiring teen bio entrepreneurs from California! Join Emily, Trisha, and Anne as they share their journey from garage to the Biodesign Challenge Summit (2019) that launched their GIY Bio Buddies Kits giving young makers the materials they need to grow & explore kombucha leather and mycelium.

Please join us on Thursday April 15th, at 1:30 pm

Students, Teachers and parents are encouraged to join independently or in groups.



# COMMUNITY OF THE FUTURE CHALLENGE



## Design your community today! Register your class and take on the challenge!

There is still time to register your class to participate in our Community of the Future challenge. Use the lesson plans and resources provided HERE to help inspire discussion and possibilities while exploring a sustainable future. We can help provide everything you need for your project.

Submit your results for a chance to have your student work shared at our annual virtual Maker Faire in June!





Learn more and register Individually or as a Group <u>HERE</u>

Do you know a teacher who inspires students by trying new teaching methods, projects, technology or other hands-on learning activities? If so, email info@brilliantlabs.ca SUBJECT: Inspiration Maker, to be recognized in our monthly newsletter & social media channels. Remember to tell us why & include a photo!

### **More Upcoming Events**

#### Atlantic Canadian Virtual Maker Faire

Brilliant Labs is pleased to announce an upcoming Atlantic Canadian Virtual Maker Faire (date TBD June 2021). This free event will highlight inspiring creations from makers of all ages and passions with both LIVE and prerecorded events. If you are a maker or maker educator and are interested in participating or volunteering, please email jacob@brilliantlabs.ca

#### Asynchronous Professional Learning

Our team of Brilliant Pedagogues led by Natacha Vautour, Alisha Collins, and Jacob Lingley developed a series of 22 sessions available to teachers from across Atlantic Canada.

View Here or contact jacob@brilliantlabs.ca

#### Monthly Coding Challenges

This year Brilliant Labs will be challenging teachers and students to code stories, games, apps, robots, and more! Visit brilliantlabs.ca/codingchallenges monthly for new code-to-learn challenges and resources!

#### Share your Brilliant projects with us!

Share what your class is working on with Brilliant Labs and we can feature your project in our upcoming newsletter and on social media!

Contact: natacha@brilliantlabs.ca



#### Natural Making and Outdoor Education

Are you looking for help implementing outdoor education with your curricular outcomes? Let us help you! Please contact michelle@brilliantlabs.ca for more information and see how you can get started with Natural Making!

Build a mars rover with friends or your class and complete your Brilliant missions during a real time event at the 2021 Virtual MakerFaire in June!



# MISSION:MARS

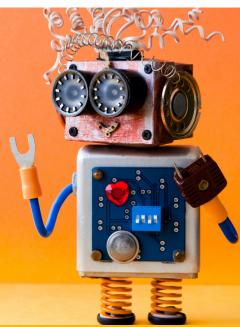
Register as a class, a team, or individually by April 15th to receive your FREE rover kit and mission.

Learn more: https://en.brilliantlabs.ca/mission-to-mars

### ROBOTZ GOT BRILLIANCE

**CHALLENGE** 

Join this fun robotics challenge for your students! Build and code a robot using sensors and our bBoard! Let's have our own virtual robot talent show! This virtual event will be held during our virtual Student MakerFaire before the end of the school year. Teacher PL will be available and also virtual classroom



LEARN MORE: HTTPS://EN.BRILLIANTLABS.CA/ROBOTZ-GOT-BRILLIANCE

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