



## Kathleen S. Schweinfurth

Team: Youth & Education

### Expertise Areas

- Program Management
- Youth Education and Outreach
- Program Assessment
- Strategic Planning and Marketing
- Teacher Education and Training
- Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM)
- K-12 Education

### Professional Experience

Ms. Schweinfurth supports clients using her deep and diverse experience around educational programming and administration, spanning project management, program evaluation, team-building, strategic planning, marketing and event planning. She is a nationally-recognized expert in K-12 STEM education and has significant expertise in public-private partnerships involving youth education and U.S. military bases. Ms. Schweinfurth currently serves on The SPECTRUM Group's DoD STARBASE Team.

During her 30-year career at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base (WPAFB), Ms. Schweinfurth served as Chief of WPAFB's Educational Outreach Program (EOP), a revolutionary base-wide initiative created to excite and encourage K-12 students in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) subjects and careers. Under her leadership, the WPAFB EOP program became a significant STEM education model for local programs and for major national STEM initiatives, including DoD STARBASE and the FIRST LEGO League.

### Key Positions

- Chief, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base Educational Outreach Program
- Director, DoD STARBASE Wright-Patt
- Business Development Specialist, Aeronautical Systems Center, Wright-Patterson AFB
- Quality Program Manager, 88th Air Base Wing, Wright-Patterson AFB
- Master Teambuilding Facilitator

### Education

- B.A., Journalism, Central Michigan University

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