

New Educational Programs and Enhanced Access for Students and Families

The 2018 Traditional grant for \$315,000 over three years will be used to create a new educational space and to launch a facilitation program enhancing the *Earth Moves* exhibit, and will support access for students and families. The museum is growing the *Earth Moves* experience by creating programming and a facilitation program for a deeper and richer STEM learning experience. A new learning space, "Studio Earth" will be a hub for classes and programs at the Earth Moves exhibit, with multi-level experiences, to engage museum guests.

In addition to the Earth Moves experience, the grant will support expanding the number of *Ignite Learning* families' memberships. *Ignite Learning* is a subsidized program that allows low-income families identified by social service agencies to visit the museum. The grant also includes providing 12 Summer Camp scholarships.