Montebello, CA – Great Minds in STEM™ is proud to announce the 2018 HENAAC Luminary Honorees. This year’s class of 19 STEM role models is comprised of leaders who represent industry and government, and they have been selected for their distinction and achievement in their respective fields. These STEM professionals are leading, collaborating and initiating key programs and research, and all have been selected for their accomplishments that clearly contribute to their organization’s technical prowess. Luminaries will be honored at the 30th Annual HENAAC Conference, “Generation Xcellence” in Pasadena, CA, October 17-21, 2018.

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About the Organization

Great Minds in STEM™ is a 501(c)3 a non-profit organization dedicated to keeping America technologically strong by promoting Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) careers, especially in underserved communities. Established in 1989 and based in the Los Angeles area, the organization’s nation-wide programming focuses on STEM educational awareness from kindergarten through college, and on seeking-out and documenting the world-class contributions of Hispanic professionals in STEM to serve as role models for the next generation of American engineers and scientists. 2018 marks the organization’s 30th anniversary.

Great Minds in STEM’s annual HENAAC Conference is the organization’s flagship event where all elements of outreach and programming come together to celebrate excellence in STEM. The conference features executive forums, seminars, competitive programs, career opportunities and networking sessions and is attended by over 3,000 STEM students and professionals annually.

Great Minds in STEM is once again partnering with CAHSI (the Computing Alliance of Hispanic Serving Institutions), NOGLSTP (the National Organization of Gay and Lesbian Scientists and Technical Professionals) and CHCI (the Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute) in 2018. They’ve all chosen the Conference as the venue for annual meetings and events.

For more information about Great Minds in STEM and the 2018 HENAAC Conference, please visit us online at:  
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