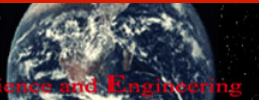


BEWiSE

Better Education for Women in Science and Engineering



*You are cordially invited to celebrate the 10th
anniversary of the*

*San Diego Science Alliance
BE WiSE Program*

*With a special reception and Program at
The Neurosciences Institute*

*10640 John Jay Hopkins Drive, San Diego, CA 92121
Tuesday, November 18, 2008
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.*

*The evening's program, sponsored by John Hancock
and Merrill Lynch, includes:*

- ◆ *Keynote Speaker Elizabeth Barrett-Connor, MD, Chief
of Epidemiology, UCSD*
- ◆ *A panel of BE WiSE participants, moderated by
Rory Devine, NBC 7/39 San Diego*

Light refreshments, including anniversary cake, will be served

*Please help us celebrate 10 years and
many more to come!*

Please RSVP by November 11, 2008
Patricia Winter, BE WiSE Program Director
Pat.winter@gat.com - 858-945-8993
Or [Register Here](#) on line

The **BE WiSE** Program - Better Education for Women in Science and Engineering - encourages girls in grades 7-12 to pursue careers in science, math, engineering and technology by developing girls-only events that captivate their imaginations and expand their knowledge. During the 2008-2009 academic year **BE WiSE** will celebrate its 10th Anniversary with the 800 girls and 150 volunteers who have participated in the program.

BE WiSE, an outreach program of the San Diego Science Alliance (a 501c3), empowers middle and high school girls to resist stigma and stereotypes, offering a path of adventure and discovery with like-minded girls who share their fascination for science. By providing age-appropriate science education activities geared to their interests - veterinary science, conservation, medicine, forensics, and more - **BE WiSE** provides opportunities for girls to learn about science in real world settings, express their ideas and aspirations, to question role models and mentors, and to join a growing community of San Diego girls focused on excellence and achievement in science. Program features of the **BE WiSE** program include initial sleepover events hosted at local science venues, ongoing alumnae workshops, robotics teams, biotech boot camp and research experiences.

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