

# National Earth Science Teachers Association Events at 2012 Indianapolis NSTA Conference



All NESTA sessions are in the Westin Indianapolis, Grand Ballroom 5, unless otherwise indicated

Tickets for both field trips and Saturday NESTA Luncheon are available through NESTA at [www.nestanet.org](http://www.nestanet.org) beginning January 16, 2012.

## Wednesday, March 28

NESTA Field Trip – From Glacial Till to Minerals that Thrill! – full day (\$35 in advance, \$40 on-site)

## Thursday, March 29

NESTA Field Trip – Sampling Midwest Geology – afternoon (\$30 in advance, \$35 on-site)

## Friday, March 30

- 9:30 – 10:30 am NESTA Geology Share-a-Thon
- 11:00 am – noon NESTA Atmospheres, Oceans, and Climate Change Share-a-Thon
- 12:30 – 1:30 pm NESTA Earth System Science Share-a-Thon
- 2:00 – 3:00 pm American Geophysical Union Lecture! “FrankenClimate: The Perils of Engineering Our Way Out of Global Warming”, by Prof. Gabriel Filippelli, Indiana Convention Center, Sagamore Ballroom 3
- 2:00 – 3:00 pm Drama in Near Earth Space – The Sun, Space Weather, and Earth’s Magnetic Field As We Approach Solar Maximum!, Westin Grand Ballroom 3
- 3:30 – 4:30 pm Earth and Space Science Education Today in K-12: Status and Trends at the State and National Levels
- 5:00 – 6:30 pm IESTA & OESTA Rock and Mineral Raffle
- 6:30 – 8:00 pm Friends of Earth Science Reception, Westin Grand Ballroom 1

## Saturday, March 31

- 8:00 – 9:00 am Activities Across the Earth System
- 9:30 – 10:30 am Strategies for Teaching Charged Topics in the Earth Science Classroom
- 11:30 – 1:00 pm NESTA Earth and Space Science Educator Luncheon, “Dust in the Wind – The Geological Record of Ancient Atmospheric Circulation” by Prof. Steven Hovan, Westin State Room, tickets available through NESTA at [www.nestanet.org](http://www.nestanet.org) for \$40 per person in advance or \$45 on-site (tickets limited).
- 2:00 – 3:00 pm NESTA Astronomy, Space, and Planetary Science Share-a-Thon
- 2:00 – 3:00 pm Our Changing Planet, Westin Grand Ballroom 3
- 3:30 – 5:00 pm NESTA Rock and Mineral Raffle
- 5:30 – 7:00 pm NESTA Annual Membership Meeting

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