

On April 22, 2017,  
60,000 marchers united  
under the March For Science  
Chicago's nonpartisan mission  
for evidence-based policies  
that are built on an ethical  
approach to science.

# ENGAGE: ACTION- BASED MEETUPS

## SINCE THE MARCH,

the volunteers have rallied to engage our community and take action on the withdrawal from the Paris Agreement, responded to support dreamers after the repeal of DACA, presented on how science needs story at Lincoln Park Zoo and NSBE, volunteered with science orgs around the city, and helped build a structured nonprofit.

## THE NEXT STEP TO ENGAGE

USCIOChicago's goals are to amplify and engage with science for our community. ENGAGE creates an access point for the Chicago community come together as a group and help tackle needs of STEAM-based organizations.

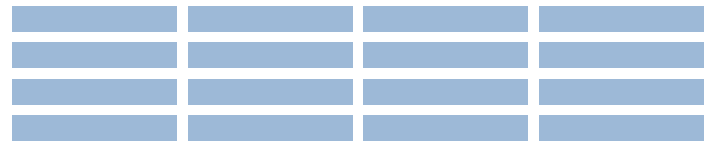
These monthly meetups will happen at a variety of locations around Chicago to do good in the name of science.

### ORGANIZATIONS

The process is easy. Determine your need, or ask us for help, and we'll brainstorm an idea together that will get people to come out IRL to help you help science.

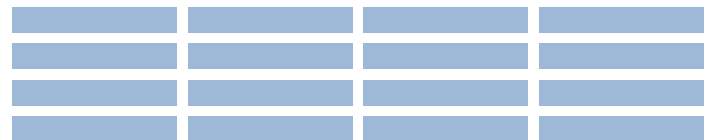
### VOLUNTEERS

We get it; your time is limited and it's hard to even know where to begin to help. You're obviously dedicated—you showed up, you marched, and you're reading this, so let's get to work. We'll plan something that legit helps, you just keep showing up.



### EXAMPLES

- Letter writing campaigns to local, state, and federal officials in response to science-based legislation
- Volunteer based meetups to help out a local science organization accomplish their goals (i.e. volunteering for Expanding Your Horizons to help their event for middle school girls in STEM)
- Nature walks for park and beach cleanups
- Citizen Science nights
- Science "office hours" on topics in the public eye
- Your project in science advocacy!



## SUBMIT AN EVENT!

If you have an idea for a project  
or want to sign up, contact us at  
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