A Versatile Degree Opens Doors - So Can You

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Where Do Physicists End Up?

So What Else Do Physicists Do?

- Medical Physics
- Policy Analyst
- Electronics Technician
- CEO, CFO, COO
- Lawyer
- TV Host
- Materials Science
- Architect
- TV Writer and Producer
- Astronaut
- Flight Director
- Radiation Detection
- Technology Consultant
- Renewable Energy
- Analytics Manager
- Research and Development
- ENTREPRENEUR
Project PIPELINE

- Gaps in physics curriculum
- Employers like:
  - Analytical & problem solving skills, adaptability
- Want to see:
  - Leadership, communication, & multi-disciplinary team skills
- Promote PIE: Physics Innovation & Entrepreneurship

APS Workshop on Nat’l. Issues in Industrial Physics
ABET Survey of applied and engineering physics graduates, Kettering University
Startup Stories

- Gets students excited about entrepreneurship
- Helpful advice for both students and faculty

“Being an entrepreneur is more like staring at a blank canvas with a paintbrush in your hand than it is to solving a problem with a calculator in your hand.”
Spreading the Word

- The Vector synthesized Startup Story
- APS News article on PIE education
Should You Go to Grad School?

- Desire
- Prestige/Title
- Research
- Time to enter workforce
- Money
- Meaningful/Tangible results
- Teaching
STEP UP for Women

- Increase women physics undergrads
- Interventions for high school students
- Profiles of accessible, successful women with physics bachelor’s degrees
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