STEM INSPIRATION

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Who inspired you?

"I'll never forget my high school math teacher, Kitty Weber. This was back in the 1970's, when one thought of "scientists" as men with Einstein hair and pen protectors who smelled like chemicals. Miss Weber was a stylish platinum blonde with a pencil skirt and high heels who effortlessly taught calculus. Via her great class, she changed my mind about what "smart" looks like. I learned that girls can grow up to do or be anything--a rocket scientist, a fashionista, or both. I went on to get a degree in physics and to host a syndicated radio science show heard in 40 countries, although never did master those heels. Bravo, Miss Weber!"

Education

Bachelor of Science in Physics from California Institute of Technology (CalTech); Masters in Professional Writing Program at University of Southern California (USC).

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