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PHYSICS AND ASTRONOMY

Presents:

Space Odyssey at the Denver Museum of Nature and Science

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Space Odyssey is the newest permanent exhibition at the Denver Museum of Nature & Science (DMNS). It is all about exploring “how do we know?” and immerses visitors into a place where they can touch, see, hear, and yes, even smell what it’s like to be in space. Since the original Space Odyssey opened more than 15 years ago, DMNS has undergone a significant transformation and is today much more committed to meeting audience-specific goals and reaching an audience more representative of the larger Denver community. In this colloquium, Naomi will explore this audience-driven development process, how Space Odyssey strived to present a more inclusive idea of the what and who of science, and the fun new ways this exhibit engages audience around the “brain-stretchy” ideas of astronomy and space exploration.

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