

ABOUT DAVID



Dr. David Beam serves as the Executive Director for CPEP. A Naval Academy graduate, Dr. Beam earned a master's in physics from Stanford University and a doctorate in physics from Caltech. He joins CPEP with a distinguished career background as a Naval Flight Officer in the US Navy followed by twenty years of work in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) industries including UTC's - Sikorsky Aircraft and in his own technology-based consulting business.

Outside of the office, Dr. Beam is a leader in the volunteer space, dedicating his time to mentoring underrepresented students in the areas of STEM and workforce development in addition to teacher development. His passion for serving the underrepresented youth and his experience as a STEM professional allow him to develop programs that position CPEP's students to not only succeed but excel in their areas of interest.

His goal of transforming generations and communities is evident through his direct approach of working closely with other organizations, community partners, and donors to mentor CPEP's students, scaffold alumni into STEM careers, enhance tools for CPEP's teachers to have greater reach, and increase STEM literacy and STEM workforce throughout Connecticut and beyond.