

Chemistry Reconnected – Technical Sessions on CERM Oct 16 and 17 2025: Program information at the website of CERM

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Thursday Oct. 16, 2025 123 Mackinaw Room – University Center		
1:25 - 1:30	Welcome	
1:30 to 2:10	Andre Argenton 	The risks and opportunities for scientists in a disconnected world
2:15 to 2:55	Deboleena Chakraborty 	Bridging the Gap: Empowering Scientific Collaboration in a Fragmented Global Landscape
3:00 - 3:10	Break	
3:15 to 3:55	Ramani Narayan 	Developing Biodegradable & Biobased Polymer Materials to address microplastics persistence and accumulation in the environment

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Friday Oct. 17, 2025 123 Mackinaw Room – University Center		
1:30 to 2:05	Shawn Hunter 	Decarbonizing the Built Environment: Why DuPont is Staying the Course?
2:10 to 2:45	Itzel Marquez 	Chemistry for clean water: ensuring water sustainability for all
2:50 to 3:30	Julia Sunderland 	Silicone Composites for Electromagnetic Interference Shielding

[Program information at the CERM Link: CERM Program Full sm.pdf](#)

Picture 1



October 16th, 2025, Central Michigan University Center, Mt. Pleasant-MI, Andre Argenton, presenting **The risks and opportunities for scientists in a disconnected world** to the audience.

Picture 2



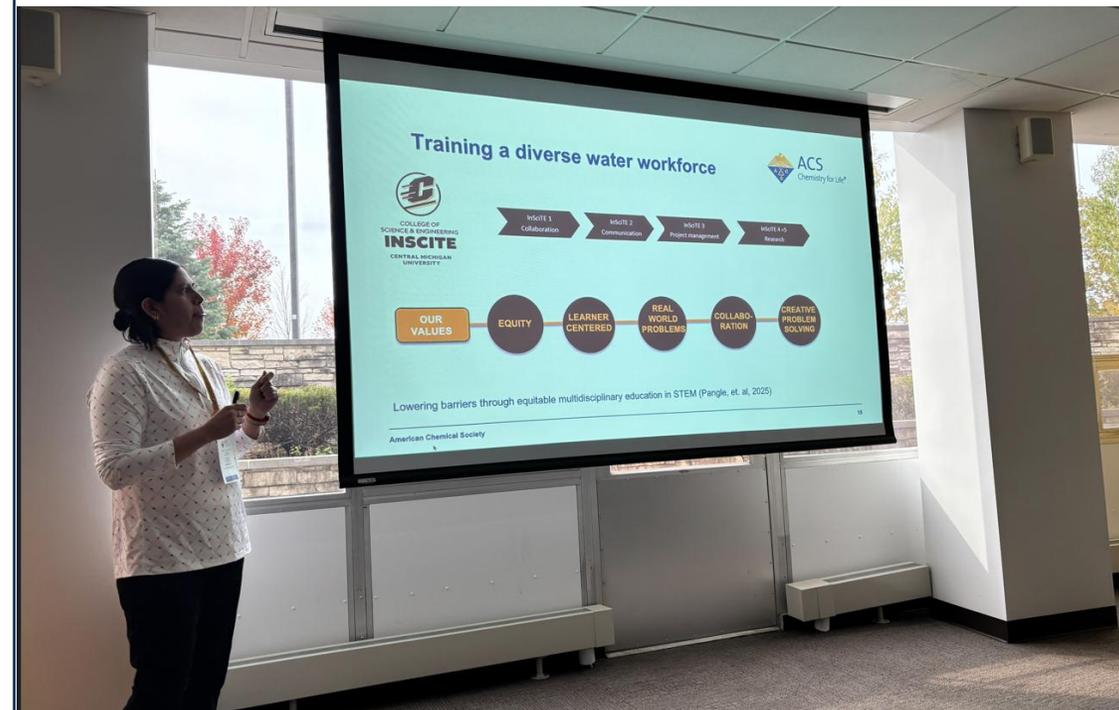
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