

IGNITION SERIES

You are invited to the launch of the IGNITION SERIES: presentations for 16-25 year olds*, interested in all things science.

The 2017-18 IGNITION Series begins with

**Getting comfortable being uncomfortable:
MY journey and STEM career**

Presented by Hannah Scherer

Hannah Scherer is Technical Lead, Australian Aerospace Programs for USA company Northrup Grumman Aerospace Systems. Passionate about STEM outreach Hannah led the Northrup Grumman High School Innovation Challenge for many years which aims to develop and foster the next generation of engineers and scientists.

Inspiring young people to connect with science.

This first event in the IGNITION Series will see Hannah Scherer share her STEM journey from high school, through university, and onto her career in the aerospace & defence industry. Hannah will discuss a key pillar of her personal and professional life: *getting comfortable being uncomfortable*. She will share stories from her career and how she has navigated this constant challenge along with lessons learned, in hopes that it will inspire and encourage others to embrace this mindset.

Date: Thursday 19 October 2017

Time: 6.00pm – 7.30pm

**Location: Hetzel Lecture Theatre,
State Library of South Australia, North Terrace**
Free, bookings essential at

**www.slsa.sa.gov.au/ignitionseries
or phone 8207 7626**



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* Under 16's welcome accompanied by an adult