Evaluations Spring 2009
Of those who evaluated the program, 100% report that they found the program to be beneficial and that they would recommend it to others.

- “Thank you for the wonderful experience.”
- “Everything was applicable.”
- “Really helpful to be forced to stop and think.”
- “You should feel really good about putting on such a program.”
- “I feel isolated here … this was so supportive.”
- “Biggest benefit was networking… getting to know other women who are scientists.”
Objectives & Outcomes
The program will provide leadership training & personal development for women in STEM. The program will create opportunities for participants to develop supportive and collaborative networks. There will be four primary formats used in OASIS: guest speakers from government, industry, and academia, workshop style training and skill development, networking time during the sessions, and co-mentoring groups. Desired outcomes of this program are increased retention of women in STEM, reduced isolation of women in STEM, and collaborative networks with long term potential to support patents & commercialization of ideas.

Participants
- Target 22-28 participants
- Women in STEM fields from Academia, Industry, and Government

Schedule
- Five sessions on every other Friday, starting September 25th
  - Dates: 9/25, 10/9, 10/23, 11/6, 11/20
  - Time: 10:00 AM – 3:30 PM
  - Co-mentoring groups to meet once between each session (by phone or in person).

Location
- Rutgers University, Busch Campus

Fall 2009 Session Topics
September 25 –
  Understand and cultivate your style in working with and leading others.
  Facilitator: Beth Tracy

October 9 –
  Increase your opportunities through enhanced visibility and self branding.
  Facilitator: LaNella Hooper-Williams

October 23 –
  Create balance and integration in managing your priorities and time.
  Facilitator: Beth Tracy

November 6 & 20–
  Negotiate effectively in work and life: Concepts and skills, part I & II.
  Facilitators: Linda Stamato & Sandi Jaffe