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CAASTRO in the Classroom

“What is Radio Astronomy?”

What can we learn by looking at the sky with radio telescopes? How do radio telescopes work?

You and your students are invited to join Dr Greg Madsen as he leads an inspiring discussion about the strange world of radio astronomy (Science Outcomes 4.9.2 & 5.9.3).

Your students are encouraged to talk with a professional astronomer about what it's like to be a scientist and the tools that astronomers use to understand the Universe.

The session will run on

15th June 2012 1:30pm - 2:15pm

There is no charge for schools to participate. Please register your interest by email to Dr Greg Madsen before 14th June.

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Learn more about our program at <http://www.caaastro.org/citc>.

You can connect to the conference at:

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Dr Greg Madsen is a Senior Research Fellow at the University of Sydney. His research interests include understanding the physics of interstellar gas and searching for variable and transient stars and galaxies.