### NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

## Advisory Panel for Genetics; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting.

*Name:* Advisory Panel for Genetics (1149) Panel B.

*Date/Time:* May 3–5, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

*Place:* National Science Foundation, Room 360, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA. *Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Drs. Linda Hyman and Philip Harriman Program Directors, Molecular and Cellular Biosciences Division, National Science Foundation, Room 655, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230. (703) 292–8439.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate Eukaryotic Genetics Proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

*Reason for Closing:* The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries; and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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### Susanne Bolton,

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# NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

## Advisory Panel for Genetics; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92– 463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting.

*Name:* Advisory Panel for Genetics (1149) Panel A.

*Date/Time:* April 26–28, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

*Place:* National Science Foundation, Room 360, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Arun Chatterjee or Dr. Philip Harriman, Program Directors, Molecular and Cellular Biosciences Division, National Science Foundation, Room 655, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230. (703) 292–8439.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate Microbial Genetics Proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason For Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries; and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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# NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

## Advisory Committee for Geosciences; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92– 463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

*Name:* Advisory Committee for Geosciences (1755).

Dates April 17–18, 2001.

*Time:* 8:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 17 and 8:30 a.m.–3 p.m. Wednesday, April 18.

*Place:* Room 1235, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Open.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Thomas Spence, Directorate for Geosciences, National Science Foundation, Suite 705, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22230, Phone 703–292–8500.

*Minutes:* May be obtained from the contact person listed above.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice, recommendations, and oversight concerning support for research, education, and human resources development in the geosciences.

#### Agenda

Day 1: Opening and agenda

GPRA

Divisional Subcommittee Meetings Discussion of directorate activities and future plans

Day 2: GEO Education, Human Resources and Diversity Directorate activities and plans

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### Susanne Bolton,

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# NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in Materials Research: Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92– 463 as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

*Name:* Special Emphasis Panel in Materials Research (1203).

*Date/Time:* April 12 and April 13, 2001; 8 a.m.–6 p.m.

*Place*: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 330, Arlington, VA. *Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person*: Dr. Guebre X. Tessema, Program Director, National Facilities and Instrumentation, Division of Materials Research, Room 1065, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone (703) 292– 4943.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

*Agenda:* Review and evaluate proposals as part of the selection process to determine finalists considered for the FY2001 Instrumentation for Materials Research (IMR) and Major Research Instrumentation (MRI) Programs.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information, financial data such as salaries, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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#### Susanne Bolton,

Committee Management Officer. [FR Doc. 01–6575 Filed 3–15–01; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7555–01–M

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in Materials Research; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92– 463 as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

*Name:* Special Emphasis Panel in materials Research (1203).

*Date/Time:* April 18–19, 2001; 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

*Place:* National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Rm 380, Arlington, VA

Type of Meeting: Closed.

*Contact Person*: Dr. Guebre X. Tessema, Program Director, National Facilities and Instrumentation, Division of Materials Research, Room 1065, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone (703) 292– 4943.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: Review and evaluate proposals as part of the selection process to determine finalists considered for the FY2001 Instrumentation for Materials Research (IMR) and Major Research Instrumentation (MRI) Programs.

*Reason for Closing:* The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information, financial data such as salaries, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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### Susanne Bolton,

Committee Management Officer. [FR Doc. 01-6594 Filed 3-15-01; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7555-01-M

## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Directorate for Mathematical and Physical Sciences Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Directorate for Mathematical and Physical Sciences Advisory Committee (MPSAC) #66.

Date/Time: April 12, 2001, 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.; April 13, 2001, 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA, Room 1235.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Morris L. Aizenman, Senior Science Associate, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230. Room 1005, (703) 292-8807.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning NSF science and education activities within the Directorate for Mathematical and Physical Sciences.

Agenda:

Current status of Directorate

Review by MPSAC of Division of Chemistry and Division of Mathematics Committee of Visitors Reports

Web-based Education Presentations Possible Future MPS Areas of Emphasis

Summary Minutes: May be obtained from the contact person listed above.

Dated: March 13, 2001.

#### Susanne Bolton,

Committee Management Officer.

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# NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

## Advisory Panel for Physiology and Ethology; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation (NSF) announces the following meeting:

Name: Advisory Panel for Physiology and Ethology (1160).

Date and Time: April 9, 10 and 11, 2001, 8:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

Place: NSF, Room 390, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, Virginia.

Type of Meeting: Part-Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Sharman O'Neill, Program Director, Integrative Plant Biology, Division of Integrative Biology and Neuroscience, Room 685N, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone: (703) 292-7888.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Minutes: May be obtained from the contact person listed above.

Agenda: Open Session: April 10, 2001, 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.-discussion on research trends, opportunities and assessment procedures in Integrative Plant Biology.

Closed Session: April 9, 2001, 8:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.; April 10, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.; and April 11, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. To review and evaluate Integrative Plant Biology proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; financial data, such as salaries; and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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#### Susanne Bolton,

Committee Meeting Officer.

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in Undergraduate Education; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in Undergraduate Education (1214). Date/Time: May 21-23, 2001; 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Place: Stafford Place II. Rm. 575, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Dr. Elizabeth Teles, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-8670.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate ATE preliminary proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason for Closing: The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information, financial data, such as salaries, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters are exempt under (4) and (6) of 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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# NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### **Special Emphasis Panel in Undergraduate Education; Notice of** Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meeting:

Name: Special Emphasis Panel in Undergraduate Education (1214).

Date/Time: April 1-4, 2001; 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Place: Rooms 110, 320, 330, 370, 375, 390, 1235, National Science Foundation, 4201

Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Joan Prival, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-4635.

Purpose of Meeting: To convene Principal Investigators from 32 CETP projects to disseminate best practices in science and mathematics teacher preparation.

Agenda: Presentations on accomplishments of teacher preparation projects and undergraduate course reform in science, mathematics, engineering, and technology.

Dated: March 13, 2001.

#### Susanne Bolton,

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