

Agenda: To review and evaluate ITR & MRI proposals submitted to the Division 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

Special Emphasis Panel in Elementary, Secondary and Informal 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 Elementary, Secondary and Informal Education (59).

Date/Time: Wednesday, April 25, 2001, 5:30 p.m. to 9 p.m., Thursday, April 26, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Friday, April 27, 2001, 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Place: The Wyndam City Center, 1143 New Hampshire Ave., NW., Washington, DC.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Mr. John S. Bradley, Section Head, Division of Elementary, Secondary and Informal Education, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-8620.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals for the Centers For Learning and Teaching Programs submitted to NSF for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate 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 Environmental Research and Education; Notice of Meeting

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

Name: Advisory Committee for Environmental Research and Education (9487).

Dates: May 2, 2001; 8:30 a.m.-2:45 p.m. May 3, 2001; 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Place: Stafford II, Room 595, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Margaret Cavanaugh, Office of the Director, National Science Foundation, Suite 1205, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, Virginia 22230. Phone 703-292-8002.

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

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice, recommendations, and oversight concerning support for environmental research and education.

Agenda

May 2, 2001

Update on recent NSF environmental activities, including the Biocomplexity in the Environment Competition AC-ERE Task Group meetings and reports on strategic planning; planning for environmental cyberinfrastructure; and education, diversity and communication Discussion of environmental opportunities with Dr. E. O. Wilson of Harvard University

Discussion of interdisciplinary environmental activities in large groups and centers

May 3, 2001

Discussion of interagency and international ERE activities

Meeting with the Deputy Director

Overview of NSF environmental activities and plans in engineering and in biological sciences

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Special Emphasis Panel in Experimental & Integrative Activities; 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 Experimental & Integrative Activities (1193).
Date/Time: May 8, 2001, 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.
Place: Room 525, 545, 565, and 575 Stafford II Building National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Dr. Anita LaSalle, CISE Educational Innovation (EI), Experimental and Integrative Activities, Room 1160, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-8980.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning proposals submitted to the National Science Foundation for financial support.

Agenda: To review and evaluate CISE Educational Innovation (EI) proposals submitted in response to the program announcement (NSF 99-80).

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

Special Emphasis Panel for Geosciences; Notice of Meeting

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

Name: Special Emphasis Panel for Geosciences (1756).

Date: April 30, 2001.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Place: Room 7770, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Ms. Robin Reichlin, Program Director, Geophysics Program, Division of Earth Sciences, Room 785, National Science Foundation, Arlington, VA 22230, (703) 292-8556.

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

Agenda: To review and evaluate cooperative studies of the earth's deep interior 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

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

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 25-26, 2001, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 365, 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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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Advisory Panel for Methods, Cross-Directorate and Science and Society; Notice of Meetings

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation (NSF) announces the following five meetings of the Advisory Panel for Methods, Cross-Directorate and Science and Society (#1760):

1. *Date & Time:* April 27th; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA Rm. 970.

Contact Person: Dr. Cheryl Eavey, Program Director for Methodology, Measurements and Statistics (MMS) Program, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 995, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-7269.

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

2. *Date & Time:* April 30th 2001; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Rm. 970.

Contact Person: Dr. Cheryl Eavey, Program Director for Methodology, Measurements and Statistics (MMS) Program, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 995, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone (703) 292-7269.

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

3. *Date & Time:* May 11th, 2001; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Rm. 970.

Contact Person: Dr. Cheryl Eavey, Program Director for Methodology, Measurements and Statistics (MMS) Program, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 995, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone (703) 292-7269.

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

4. *Date & Time:* May 14th-15th, 2001; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Rm. 920.

Contact Person: Dr. Rachelle D. Hollander, Program Director for Societal Dimensions of Engineering, Science and Technology Program, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 995, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone (703) 292-7272.

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

5. *Date & Time:* May 18-19, 2001; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Rm. 970.

Contact Person: Dr. Bruce Seely & Dr. John Perhonis, Program Directors for Science and Technology Studies Program, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 995, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone (703) 292-7279.

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

Type of Meetings: Closed.

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

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 Panel For Neuroscience; 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 Neuroscience (1158).

Date and Time: May 3-4, 2001; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Place: Room 545, 4121 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia.

Type of Meeting: Part-Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Harald Vaessin, Program Director, Developmental Neuroscience, Division of Integrative Biology and Neuroscience, Suite 685, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-8423.

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: May 3, 2001; 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. to discuss goals and assessment procedures. Closed Session: May 3, 2001; 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; May 4, 2001; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. To review and evaluate Developmental Neuroscience 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 Panel for Neuroscience; 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 Neuroscience (1158).

Date/Time: April 19-20, 2001; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.