

**NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION****Special Emphasis Panel in Civil and Mechanical Systems; 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 Civil and Mechanical Systems (1205).

*Date and Time:* July 25, 2000, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

*Place:* NSF, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 580, Arlington, Virginia 22230.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Richard J. Frigaszy, Program Director, Geomechanics and Geotechnical Systems, Division of Civil and Mechanical Systems, Room 545, (703) 306-1361.

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate nominations for the FY'00 MBSCON Review Panel 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.

Dated: July 5, 2000.

**Karen J. York,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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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 and Committee Code:* Special Emphasis Panel in Elementary, Secondary and Informal Education (#59)

*Date and Time:* Sunday, July 30, 2000, 5 p.m. to 9 p.m.; and Monday, July 31, 2000 through Wednesday, August 2, 2000; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

*Place:* Capitol Hilton Hotel, 16th and K Street, NW., Washington, DC.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Anna Suarez, Program Director, Presidential Awardees, Education and Human Resources, Secondary and Informal Education, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 306-1613.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To select the Presidential Awardees for 2000.

*Agenda:* To review and select applicants for the Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching.

*Reason for Closing:* The applicants 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 Physics; 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 Physics (1208).

*Date/Time:* July 20-21, 2000; 8:00AM-5:30PM.

*Place:* Room 1020, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Marvin Goldberg, Program Director for Elementary Particle Physics, Division of Physics, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 1015, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 306-1894.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice on major project costs of proposals submitted to NSF for financial support.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate proposals as part of the evaluation process for funding.

*Reason for Closing:* The proposals being reviewed include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; information on personnel and proprietary data for present and future subcontracts. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

*Reason for Late Notice:* This notice was late due to scheduling and travel arrangements for panel members.

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**NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION****Advisory Committee for Polar Programs; Committee of Visitors; 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 Polar Programs (1130); Committee of Visitors.

*Date/Time:* July 25-26, 2000, 8:00 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.; and July 27, 2000 1:00 P.M.-5:00 P.M.

*Place:* NSF, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 1235, Arlington, VA 22230.

*Type of Meeting:* Part-Open.

*Contact Person:* Altie Metcalf, Budget and Planning Officer, Room 755, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. (703) 306-1030.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To carry out Committee of Visitors review, including program evaluation and GPRA assessments.

*Agenda:* Closed: July 25, 2000, 1:00-5:30; and July 26, 2000, 8:30-10:00. To review the merit review processes covering funding decisions made during the immediately preceding three fiscal years.

*Open:* July 25, 2000, 8:00-12:00; July 26, 2000, 10:15-5:30; and July 27, 2000 1:00-5:00. To assess results of NSF program investments. This shall involve a discussion and review of results focused on NSF and grantee outputs and related outcomes achieved or realized during the preceding three fiscal years. These results may be based on NSF grants or other investments made in earlier years.

*Reason for Closing:* During the closed session, the COV will be reviewing proposals that will 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 Small Business Industrial Innovation; 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 Small Business Industrial Innovation (61).

*Date/Time:* August 14, 16, 17, 21, 23, 24, 28-31 2000; 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.