

Agenda: To review and evaluate nominations for the FY' 00 Mechanics and Structures of Materials and Surface Engineering and Material Design 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 personnel 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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Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Special Emphasis Panel in Human Resource Development; 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 Human Resource Development (#1199).

Date/Time: May 24 and 25, 2001 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, Stafford Place I—4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 830, and Stafford Place II—Conference Center, 4121 Wilson Boulevard, Rooms 517, 565, 575, 585, Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Dr. Marilyn Suiter, Program Director, Human Resource Development Division, Room 815, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230 Telephone: (703) 292-5121.

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

Agenda: To review and evaluate the Presidential Awards for Excellence in Science, Mathematics, & Engineering Mentoring nominations as part of the selection process for awards.

Reason for Closing: The nominations 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 nominations. 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 meetings:

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

Dates/Times: May 29 and 30, 2001; 7:30 a.m.–9 p.m., May 31, 2001; 7:30 a.m.–3 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 375, Arlington, VA.

Type of Meeting: Closed.

Contact Person: Dr. Ulrich Strom, Program Director, Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers, Division of Materials Research, Room 1065, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, (703) 292-4938.

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 for support for the FY Nanoscale Science and Engineering Centers (NSEC) Competition.

Reason for Closing: The work being reviewed may 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 Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences; 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 Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences (1171)

Date/Time: May 31, 2001; 9 a.m.–5 p.m., June 1, 2001; 9 a.m.–12:15 p.m.

Place: NSF, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Rm 1235, Arlington, VA

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Kenneth M. Brown, Executive Secretary; Directorate for Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences, NSF, Suite 905; 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-8741.

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

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations to the National Science Foundation on major goals and policies pertaining to SBE programs and activities.

Agenda: Discussions on issues, role and future direction of the NSF Directorate for Social, Behavioral and Economic Sciences.

Note: Visitors from outside of NSF should call (703) 292-8700 to arrange for a visitor's badge in order to facilitate getting into the building.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Advisory Committee for Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences; 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 Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences (1171) Subcommittee for Human Subjects.

Date/Time: June 12, 2001, 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m. and June 13, 2001; 8:30 a.m.–1 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, Room 970, 4021 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA.

Contact Person: Dr. Stuart Plattner, Division of Behavioral and Cognitive Sciences, NSF, Suite 995; 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-8740.

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

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations to the National Science Foundation on issues related to the use of human subjects in social and behavioral research.

Type of Meeting: Open (Members of the public who wish to attend should arrange access ahead of time with the contact person listed below).

Agenda: Discussions addressing the following topics:

Foreign Institutional Review Boards (IRBs) Training (for principal investigators, research personnel, IRBs)
Consent (forms, signing, group/individual, students as research subjects)
Ethnography/oral history; "ethical proofreading"
Confidential/privacy
Secondary subjects/secondary data; linking data
Expanding the "exempt" category
Deception
Subpart "D" of the Common Rule
Research on the World Wide Web
Data archiving