Day 2 Tuesday, September 18, 2018

- 8:30 a.m.—9:30 a.m. Institutional Support (Administrators and PI/Co-PIs) (OPEN)
- 9:30 a.m.–10:30 a.m. Summary/ Proposing Team Response to Critical Feedback (CLOSED)
- 10:30 a.m.-10:40 a.m. Break
- 10:40 a.m.–1:00 p.m. Site Review Team Prepares Site Visit Report (CLOSED) (11:45 a.m. Brown Bag Lunch Provided)
- 1:00 p.m.–1:30 p.m. Presentation of Site Visit Report to Principal Investigator (CLOSED)

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### NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Proposal Review Panel for International Science and Engineering; 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 and Committee Code: Proposal Review Panel for International Science and Engineering—PIRE: Integrated Computational Materials Engineering for Active Materials and Interfaces in Chemical Fuel Production—(#10749) Site Visit.

Date and Time: September 24, 2018; 8:00 a.m.–9:30 p.m., September 25, 2018; 8:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

Place: University of Illinois—Urbana Champaign, Urbana, Illinois 61801.

Type of Meeting: Part Open.

Contact Person: Cassandra Dudka, PIRE Program Manager, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314; Telephone 703/292–7250.

Purpose of Meeting: NSF site visit to conduct a review during year 3 of the five-year award period. To conduct an in-depth evaluation of performance, to assess progress towards goals, and to provide recommendations.

Agenda: See attached.

Reason for Closing: Topics to be discussed and evaluated during closed portions of the site review will include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; and information on personnel. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C.552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: August 20, 2018.

#### Crystal Robinson,

Committee Management Officer.

# PIRE Site Visit Agenda—University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, Room 3269, Beckman Institute

Day 1—Monday, September 24, 2018

 $8:00~\mathrm{a.m.} - 9:00~\mathrm{a.m.}$  Introduction to PIRE

PIRE Rationale and Goals; Administration, Management, and Budget Plans; N. Aluru (40 mins presentation + 20 mins Q&A)

9:00 a.m.–10:00 a.m. Research—Thrust 1: Novel Proton & Oxygen Ion Conducting Systems

L. Martin and H. Matsumoto (40 mins presentation + 20 mins Q&A)

10:00 a.m.–10:20 a.m. NSF Executive Session/Break, 3369 Beckman (CLOSED)

10:20 a.m.-11:20 a.m. Research— Thrust 2: Novel Electrodes— Chemistry & Microstructure

E. Ertekin, Ň. Perry, A. Staykov (45 mins presentation + 15 mins Q&A)

11:20 a.m.–11:30 a.m. Rapid Fire Poster Presentation by Students All the students and postdocs present

a 1 min introduction to their poster; If it is more than 10 students/ postdocs, we will increase the time

11:30 a.m.—Noon Poster Session Noon—12:30 p.m. NSF Executive Session 3369 Beckman (CLOSED)

12:30 p.m.–1:30 p.m. Lunch— Discussion with Students (CLOSED)

1:30 p.m.–2:30 p.m. Research—Thrust 3: Degradation—Mechanisms & Mitigation

S. Barnett and P. Sofronis (40 mins presentation + 20 mins Q&A)

2:30 p.m.–3:00 p.m. Education, Outreach, Human Resources, Diversity

E. Ertekin (20 mins presentation + 10 mins Q&A)

3:00 p.m.–3:30 p.m. NSF Executive Session/Break 3369 Beckman (CLOSED)

3:30 p.m.–4:00 p.m. Partnerships, Exchange, Evaluation

N. Aluru, P. Sofronis, H. Matsumoto, L. Rosu (20 mins presentation + 10 mins Q&A)

4:00 p.m.–5:30 p.m. Tour of Materials Research Laboratory (MRL)

Meet Dr. Mauro Sardela outside MRL Business Office Area (2nd Floor of MRL)

5:30 p.m.–6:15 p.m. Executive Session—Develop Questions and Areas for Clarification 3369 Beckman (CLOSED)

6:15 p.m.–6:30 p.m. Feedback to PIRE PIs

6:30 p.m. PIRE PI Executive Session (CLOSED)

PIRE PIs Prepare Response to NSF/ Panel Questions

6:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. NSF Executive Session/Working Dinner (CLOSED) Committee organizes on its own

Day 2—Tuesday, September 25, 2018, Room 3269, Beckman Institute

8:30 a.m.—9:00 a.m. Institutional Support (CLOSED)

Jeffrey S. Moore, Director, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology

Meredith Blumthal, Director, International Programs (IPENG) College of Engineering

9:00 a.m.–10:00 a.m. PIRE PIs Response to Feedback (CLOSED)

10:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m. Site Review Team Prepares Site Visit Report 3369 Beckman (CLOSED) Working Lunch Provided

4:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m. Presentation of Site Visit Report to PIRE PIs (CLOSED)

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### NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

## Advisory Committee for Biological Sciences; 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 and Committee Code: Advisory Committee for Biological Sciences (#1110).

Date and Time:

September 20, 2018; 8:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m. September 21, 2018; 8:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Room E 2020, Alexandria, VA 22314.

Please contact Melody Jenkins at *mjenkins@nsf.gov* to obtain a visitor badge. All visitors to the NSF will be required to show photo ID to obtain a badge.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Brent Miller, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Room C 12016, Alexandria, VA 22314; Tel. No.: (703) 292–8400.

Purpose of Meeting: The Advisory Committee for the Directorate for Biological Sciences (BIO) provides advice, recommendations, and oversight concerning major program emphases, directions, and goals for the researchrelated activities of the divisions that make up BIO.

Agenda: Agenda items will include Directorate updates; Advisory Committee for Environmental Research