

**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:* April 30 and May 1, 2001, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

*Place:* NSF, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 310, Arlington, VA.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Richard Fragaszy, Program Director, Geomechanics and Geotechnical Systems, Division of Civil and Mechanical Systems, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd. Room 545, Arlington, VA 22230. (703) 292-8360.

*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' 01 IIA Review Panel as part of the selection process for awards.

*Reasons 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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*Committee Management Officer.*

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**NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION****Special Emphasis Panel in Computing-Communications Research; Notice of Meetings**

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following meetings of the Special Emphasis Panel in Computing-Communications Research (#1192):

*Date/Time:* May 3-4, 2001; 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

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

*Type of Meetings:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Frank Anger, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 1145, Arlington, VA 22230, (703) 292-8911.

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate Information Technology Research 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****Special Emphasis Panel in Educational Systemic Reform; 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 Educational Systemic Reform (1765).

*Date/Time:* May 2-3, 2001 8:30am-5pm.

*Place:* NSF, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Stafford II Room 525, Arlington, VA.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Persons:* Division of Educational System Reform Program Directors, Room 875, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292-8690.

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate proposals for the Urban Systemic Program 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 Electrical and Communications 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 Electrical and Communications Systems (1196).

*Date/Time:* May 3-4, 2001; 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

*Place:* National Science Foundation, Stafford II, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA., Room 535.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Persons:* Dr. Usha Varshney, Program Director, Electronics, Photonics and Device Technologies (EPDT), Division of Electrical and Communications Systems, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 675, Arlington, VA 22230 Telephone: (703) 292-8339.

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate research proposals in the EPDT program 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 within exemptions 4 and 6 of 5 U.S.C. 552b (c)(4) and (6) the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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**NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION****Special Emphasis Panel in Electrical and Communications 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 Electrical and Communications Systems (1196).

*Date/Time:* April 25-26, 2001; 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Kishan Baheti, Program Director, Control, Networks, and Computational Intelligence Program (CNCI) National Science Foundations, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 675, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone (703) 292-8339.

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate research proposals in the CNCI program 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 within exemption 4 and 6 of 5 U.S.C. 552b. (c)(4) and (6) the Government in the Sunshine Act.

*Reason for Late Notice:* Conflicting schedules of members and the necessity to proceed with review of proposals.

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in 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:* Special Emphasis Panel in Geosciences (1756).

*Date/Time:* May 7-10, 2001, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

*Place:* Room 770, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. David J. Verardo, Program Director, Paleoclimate Program, Room 775, Division of Atmospheric Sciences, National Science Foundation-4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230, (703) 292-8518.

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate Earth System History (ESH) 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

### Committee of Visitors—Special Emphasis Panel for 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 for Integrative Activities (1373) Committee of Visitors.

*Date/Time:* May 2-3, 2001, 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.; May 4, 2001, 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

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

*Type of Meeting:* Partially closed.

*Agenda:*

May 2

8:00-11:00 Open; Program overview

11:00-4:30 Closed; Review of proposals, proposal processing

4:30-5:30 Open; Review of program results

May 3

8:30-10:15 Closed; Review of proposals, proposal processing

11:15-3:30 Open; Review of program results

3:30-5:30 Closed; Review of proposals, proposal processing

May 4

8:30-11:00 Closed; Review of proposals, proposal processing

11:00-12:00 Open; Presentation of findings

*Contact:* Patricia F. Goheen, Office of Integrative Activities, Room 1270, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230; telephone (703) 292-8040.

*Purpose of Meeting:* The Committee of Visitors for the Faculty Early Career Development (CAREER) Program will meet to conduct a review of the process by which CAREER proposals are reviewed and the outcomes achieved by funded CAREER projects.

*Reason for Closing:* During closed sessions, the Committee of Visitors will examine proposals that 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 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 30 and May 1, 3 and 4, 2001; 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

*Place:* National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Room 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. 552 b(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:* May 3-4, 2001; 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 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; 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. to discuss goals and assessment procedures. Closed Session: May 3, 2001, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.; May 4, 2001; 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 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