NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

Charter Renewal for Humanities Panel

AGENCY: The National Endowment for the Humanities.

ACTION: Notice of Charter Renewal for Humanities Panel.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, 5 U.S.C. App. 2 (Pub. L. 92–463, 86 Stat. 770), as amended, the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) gives notice that the Charter for the Advisory Committee, Humanities Panel, was renewed for an additional two-year period on December 29, 2011.

The Chairman of NEH has determined that the renewal of the Humanities Panel is necessary and in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed upon the Chairman of NEH by the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, 5 U.S.C. App. 3(2) (Pub. L. 92–463, 86 Stat. 770), as amended, and Section 10(a)(4) of the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, 20 U.S.C. 959(a)(4), as amended.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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Lisette Voyatzis,

Committee Management Officer. [FR Doc. 2012–504 Filed 1–12–12; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7536–01–P

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Astronomy and Astrophysics Advisory Committee #13883; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92– 463, as amended), the National Science Foundation announces the following Astronomy and Astrophysics Advisory Committee (#13883) meeting:

Date and Time: February 10–11, 2012, 8:30 a.m.–5 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, Room 555 Stafford II Building on 2/10/12, 2121 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230 and Room 1060 Stafford I Building on 2/11/12, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA, 22230

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Jim Ulvestad, Division Director, Division of Astronomical Sciences,

Suite 1045, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 292–7165.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations to the National Science Foundation (NSF), the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) and the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) on issues within the field of astronomy and astrophysics that are of mutual interest and concern to the agencies.

Agenda: To hear presentations of current programming by representatives from NSF, NASA, DOE and other agencies relevant to astronomy and astrophysics; to discuss current and potential areas of cooperation between the agencies; to formulate recommendations for continued and new areas of cooperation and mechanisms for achieving them.

Dated: January 10, 2012.

Susanne E. Bolton,

Committee Management Officer. [FR Doc. 2012–559 Filed 1–12–12; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7555–01–P

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Proposal Review Panel for 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: Site visit review of the Materials Research Science and Engineering Center (MRSEC) at Georgia Tech by the Division of Materials Research (DMR) #1203. Dates and Times: Feb. 20, 2012;

7:45 a.m. –6 p.m., Feb. 21, 2012; 8 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

Place: Georgia Tech, School of Material Science in Atlanta, Georgia.

Type of Meeting: Partial Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Sean L. Jones, Program Director, Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers Program, Division of Materials Research, Room 1065, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone (703) 292– 2986.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning further support of the MRSEC at Georgia Tech.

Agenda:

Monday, February 20, 2012

7:45 a.m.–9 a.m. Closed (Panel Brief) 9 a.m.–4:30 p.m. Open (Review of MRSEC) 4:30 p.m.–6 p.m. Closed (Exec Session)

Tuesday, February 21, 2012

8 a.m.–9 a.m. Closed (Exec Session) 9 a.m.–10 a.m. Open (Review of MRSEC)

10 a.m.–3:30 p.m. Closed (Exec Session, Draft & Review Report)

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 PREM. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552 b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: January 10, 2012.

Susanne Bolton,

Committee Management Officer. [FR Doc. 2012–560 Filed 1–12–12; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 7555–01–P

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Proposal Review Panel for 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: Site visit review of the Materials Research Science and Engineering Center (MRSEC) at the University of Minnesota by the Division of Materials Research (DMR) #1203.

Dates and Times: Feb 12, 2012; 5:30 p.m.– 8:30 p.m., Feb 13, 2012; 7:45 a.m.–7:30 p.m., Feb 14, 2012; 8 a.m.–4:45 p.m.

Place: University of Minnesota,

Minneapolis, MN.

Type of Meeting: Part open.

Contact Person: Dr. Thomas Rieker,

Program Director, Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers Program, Division of Materials Research, Room 1065, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone (703) 292– 4914.

Purpose of Meeting: To provide advice and recommendations concerning further support of the MRSEC at the University of Minnesota. *Agenda:*

Sunday, February 12, 2012

6 p.m.–7 p.m. Closed—Briefing of panel 7 p.m.–8:30 p.m. Open—Poster Session

Monday, February 13, 2012

- 7:45 a.m.–3:45 p.m. Open—Review of the MRSEC
- 3:45 p.m.–5:30 p.m. Closed—Executive Session
- 6 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Open-Dinner

Tuesday, February 14, 2012

- 8 a.m.-9 a.m. Closed—Executive session
- 9 a.m.–10:45 a.m. Open—Review of the MRSEC
- 10:45 a.m.–4:45 p.m. Closed—Executive Session, Draft and Review Report

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 MRSEC. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552 b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.