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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

National Endowment for the Humanities

Index of Guidance Documents (Executive Order 13891)

AGENCY: National Endowment for the Humanities; National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The National Endowment for the Humanities (“NEH”) is issuing this notice to announce that NEH has established on its website a portal where it will maintain a single, searchable, indexed database that contains or links to all guidance documents in effect from NEH.

DATES: The portal is available as of February 28, 2020.

ADDRESSES: The portal is available at www.neh.gov/guidance.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael McDonald, General Counsel, 400 7th Street SW, Room 4060, Washington, DC 20506; (202) 606-8322; gencounsel@neh.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Executive Order (“E.O.”) 13891 requires each agency to “establish or maintain on its website a single, searchable, indexed database that contains or links to all guidance documents” from that agency. This portal must also note that “guidance documents lack the force and effect of law, except as authorized by law or as incorporated into a contract.” NEH has established the website portal, and posted the requisite information about guidance documents, at www.neh.gov/guidance. At this time, NEH does not have in effect any guidance documents as defined by E.O. 13891. In accordance with E.O. 13891, however, NEH will not issue a guidance document without including it in the portal.

Dated: February 28, 2020.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Proposal Review Panel for Physics; 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 the Division of Physics (1208)—PFC IQIM Site Visit.

Date and Time: April 2, 2020; 8:30 a.m.–7:00 p.m.; April 3, 2020; 8:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

Place: California Institute of Technology, 1200 E California Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91125.

Type of Meeting: Part-Open.

Contact Person: Jean Cottam-Allen, Program Director for Physics Frontier Centers, Division of Physics; National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Room 9235, Alexandria, VA 22314; Telephone: (703) 292-8783.

Purpose of Meeting: Site visit to provide an evaluation of the progress of the projects at the host site for the Division of Physics at the National Science Foundation.

Agenda

April 2, 2020; 8:30 a.m.–7:00 p.m.

8:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Panel Session: Presentations on Center Overview, Management and Science 12:00 p.m.–1:30 p.m.

Lunch with Graduate Students and Postdocs

1:30 p.m.–4:00 p.m.

Panel Session: Continued Science Presentations, Education and Outreach

4:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m.

Executive Session—Closed Session

5:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m.

Poster Session

7:00 p.m.

Executive Session—Closed Session

April 3, 2020; 8:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

8:30 a.m.–11:00 a.m.

Meeting with University Administrators; Discussion with Center Directors

11:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Executive Session—Closed Session

3:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m.

Closeout Session with Center Directors

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: March 2, 2020.

Crystal Robinson,

Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Astronomy and Astrophysics Advisory Committee; 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: Astronomy and Astrophysics Advisory Committee (#13883) (Teleconference)

DATE AND TIME: June 15, 2020; 12:00pm–4:00pm.

PLACE: National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314, Room C9080 (Teleconference).

Attendance information for the meeting will be forthcoming on the website: <https://www.nsf.gov/mps/ast/aaac.jsp>.

TYPE OF MEETING: Open.

CONTACT PERSON: Dr. Christopher Davis, Program Director, Division of Astronomical Sciences, Suite W 9136, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314; Telephone: 703-292-4910.

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 provide updates on Agency activities.

Dated: March 2, 2020.

Crystal Robinson,

Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Astronomy and Astrophysics Advisory Committee; 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:

Astronomy and Astrophysics Advisory Committee (#13883).

Date and Time: September 21, 2020; 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. September 22, 2020, 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Place: National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314, Room E2020.

Attendance information for the meeting will be forthcoming on the

website: <https://www.nsf.gov/mps/ast/aaac.jsp>.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Christopher Davis, Program Director, Division of Astronomical Sciences, Suite W 9136, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314; Telephone: 703-292-4910.

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: March 2, 2020.

Crystal Robinson,

Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Committee Management Renewals

The NSF management officials having responsibility for three advisory committees listed below have determined that renewing these groups for another two years is necessary and in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed upon the Director, National Science Foundation (NSF), by 42 U.S.C. 1861 *et seq.* This determination follows consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration.

Committees:

Advisory Committee for Environmental Research and Education, #9487

Proposal Review Panel for Industrial Innovations and Partnerships, #28164

Proposal Review Panel for Emerging Frontiers and Multidisciplinary Activities #34558

Applicable date for renewal is March 2, 2020. For more information, please contact Crystal Robinson, NSF, at (703) 292-8687.

Dated: March 2, 2020.

Crystal Robinson,

Committee Management Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Seeks Qualified Candidates for the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Request for resumes.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) seeks qualified candidates for the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS). Submit resumes to Ms. Makeeka Compton and Ms. Jamila Perry, ACRS, Mail Stop: T2B50, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or email: Makeeka.Compton@nrc.gov or Jamila.Perry@nrc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The ACRS is a part-time advisory group, which is statutorily mandated by the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended. The ACRS provides independent expert advice on matters related to the safety of existing and proposed nuclear reactor facilities and on the adequacy of proposed reactor safety standards. Of primary importance are the safety issues associated with the operation of commercial nuclear power plants in the United States and regulatory initiatives, including risk-informed and performance-based regulation, license renewal, power uprates, and the use of mixed oxide and high burnup fuels. An increased emphasis is being given to safety issues associated with new reactor designs and technologies, including passive system reliability and thermal hydraulic phenomena, use of digital instrumentation and control, international codes and standards used in multinational design certifications, materials, and structural engineering, nuclear analysis and reactor core performance, and nuclear materials and radiation protection.

In addition, the ACRS may be requested to provide advice on radiation protection, radioactive waste management, and earth sciences in the agency's licensing reviews for fuel fabrication and enrichment facilities, and for waste disposal facilities. The ACRS also has some involvement in security matters related to the integration of safety and security of commercial reactors. See the NRC website at <https://www.nrc.gov/about->

[nrc/regulatory/advisory/acrs.html](https://www.nrc.gov/regulatory/advisory/acrs.html) for additional information about the ACRS.

Criteria used to evaluate candidates include education and experience, demonstrated skills in nuclear reactor safety matters, the ability to solve complex technical problems, and the ability to work collegially on a board, panel, or committee. The Commission, in selecting its Committee members, also considers the need for specific expertise to accomplish the work expected to be before the ACRS. ACRS Committee members are appointed for four-year terms with no term limits. The Commission looks to fill two vacancies as a result of this request. Candidates for these positions must have extensive experience in (1) nuclear power plant operations or (2) risk analysis and the consideration of uncertainty in decision making. It would be useful if candidates with risk and uncertainty expertise also have experience in nuclear power plant systems design and operations, including emergency procedures. The candidates must also have at least 20 years of broad experience and a distinguished record of achievement in one or more areas of nuclear science and technology or related engineering disciplines. Candidates with pertinent graduate level experience will be given additional consideration.

Consistent with the requirements of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Commission seeks candidates with diverse backgrounds, so that the membership on the Committee is fairly balanced in terms of the points of view represented and functions to be performed by the Committee. Candidates will undergo a thorough security background check to obtain the security clearance that is mandatory for all ACRS members. The security background check will involve the completion and submission of paperwork to the NRC. Candidates for ACRS appointments may be involved in or have financial interests related to NRC-regulated aspects of the nuclear industry.

However, because conflict-of-interest considerations may restrict the participation of a candidate in ACRS activities, the degree and nature of any such restriction on an individual's activities as a member will be considered in the selection process. Each qualified candidate's financial interests must be reconciled with applicable Federal and NRC rules and regulations prior to final appointment. This might require divestiture of securities or discontinuance of certain contracts or grants. Information regarding these restrictions will be provided upon request. As a part of the