

Signed at New York City, New York, this 16th day of April 1997.

**Patricia K. Clark,**

*Regional Administrator.*

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## NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[Notice 97-057]

### NASA Advisory Council, Life and Microgravity Sciences and Applications Advisory Committee; Meeting

**AGENCY:** National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Pub. L. 92-463, as amended, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration announces a meeting of the NASA Advisory Council, Life and Microgravity Sciences and Applications Advisory Committee.

**DATES:** May 13, 1997, 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.; and May 14, 1997, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. On Tuesday, May 13, the Advisory Committee will meet jointly with the NASA Advisory Council's Advisory Committee on the International Space Station.

**ADDRESSES:** NASA Headquarters, Room MIC 7, 300 E Street, SW, Washington, DC 20024.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Diana P. Hoyt, Code UP, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Washington, DC 20546, 202/358-1893.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The meeting will be open to the public up to the seating capacity of the room. The agenda for the meeting is as follows: May 13, 1997:

- Microgravity Research Prospects
- Life Sciences Research Prospects
- Commercial Space Product Development Prospects
- Engineering Research Prospects
- Committee Discussions on Improving the Translational Linkages between Basic and Applied Research
- Committee Discussions on Private Development of Space May 14, 1997:
- Review of Joint NASA Life and Microgravity Sciences and Applications Advisory Committee/Advisory Committee on the International Space Station Meeting
- Status of the Office of Life and Microgravity Sciences and Applications

- International Space Station Research Utilization Update
- Exobiology Activities
- Status of Office of Space Flight Activities
- Administrator Goldin's Vision for Biology
- Subcommittee/Task Force Reports
- Discussion of Committee Findings and Recommendations

It is imperative that the meeting be held on these dates to accommodate the scheduling priorities of the key participants. Visitors will be requested to sign a visitor's register.

Dated: May 5, 1997.

**Leslie M. Nolan,**

*Advisory Committee Management Officer, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in Advanced Scientific Computing; 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 Advanced Scientific Computing (#1185).

**Date and Time:** May 30, 1997, 8:30 am to 5:00 pm.

**Place:** National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 1150, Arlington, VA 22230.

**Type of Meeting:** Closed.

**Contact Person:** Dr. John Van Rosendale, Program Director, New Technologies Program, Suite 1122, National Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230 (703) 306-1962.

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

**Agenda:** Panel review of the New Technologies Program 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.

**M. Rebecca Winkler,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in Bioengineering and Environmental 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 Bioengineering and Environmental Systems (No. 1189).

**Date and Time:** May 29, 1997; 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

**Place:** National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Room 530, Arlington, VA 22230.

**Type of Meeting:** Closed.

**Contact Person:** Fred G. Heineken, Program Director, Biotechnology Engineering, Division of Bioengineering and Environmental Systems, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230, Telephone: (703) 306-1318.

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

**Agenda:** To review and evaluate the 1997 Group 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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**M. Rebecca Winkler,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## 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 & Time:** May 27, 1997; 8:30 am-5:00 pm.

**Place:** Room 330, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA.

**Type of Meeting:** Closed.

**Contact Person:** Dr. Jorn Larsen-Basse, Program Director, Surface Engineering and Tribology, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 306-1360.

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate Unsolicited 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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**M. Rebecca Winkler,**

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Advisory Committee for Computer and Information Science and Engineering; 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 Computer and Information Science and Engineering—1115.

*Date and Time:* May 28, 1997; 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; May 29, 1997; 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

*Place:* National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA 22230, Room 375.

*Type of Meeting:* Open.

*Contact Person:* Yvonne Summers, Office of the Assistant Director, Directorate for Computer and Information Science and Engineering, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Blvd., Suite 1105, Arlington, VA 22230. Telephone: (703) 306-1900.

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

*Purpose of Meeting:* To advise NSF on the impact of its policies, programs and activities on the CISE community; to provide advice to the Assistant Director/CISE on issues related to long range planning, and to form ad hoc subcommittees to carry out needed studies and tasks.

#### Agenda

- (1) Review status of CISE Reorganization Plan
- (2) Review status of CISE Strategic Plan
- (3) Discuss special activities, e.g., Knowledge Distributed Intelligence (KDI, Government Performance and Results Act (GPRA), Partnership For Advanced Computational Infrastructure (PACI), etc.

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**M. Rebecca Winkler,**

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in Design, Manufacture, and Industrial Innovation; 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 Design, Manufacture, and Industrial Innovation—(1194).

*Date and Time:* May 28, 1996, 7:45 a.m.–4:45 p.m.

*Place:* Rooms 320, and 330, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Georgia-Anne Klutke, Program Director, Operations Research and Production Systems Program, (703) 306-1330, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate Operations Research and Production Systems unsolicited proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

*Reason for Closing:* The proposals being reviewed include information of proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information, financial data such as salaries, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters that are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

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**M. Rebecca Winkler,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Special Emphasis Panel in Design, Manufacture, and Industrial Innovation; 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 Design, Manufacture, and Industrial Innovation—(1194).

*Date and Time:* May 30, 1996, 8:00 a.m.–5:30 p.m.

*Place:* Rooms 320, 330, 340, 360, 365, 370, 390, and 530, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

*Type of Meeting:* Closed.

*Contact Person:* Dr. George A. Hazelrigg, Program Director, Design and Integration Engineering Program, Dr. Jay Lee, Program Director, Materials Processes and

Manufacturing Program, Dr. Ming Leu, Program Director, Manufacturing Machines and Equipment Program, (703) 306-1330, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230.

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate Design and Integration Engineering, Materials Processes and Manufacturing, and Manufacturing Machines and Equipment unsolicited proposals as part of the selection process for awards.

*Reasons for Closing:* The proposals being reviewed include information of proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information, financial data such as salaries, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals. These matters that 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 Mathematical and Physical 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 of Committee:* Advisory Committee for Mathematical and Physical Sciences (Code 66).

*Date and Time:* May 27, 1997 8:00 am–5:30 pm; May 28, 1997 8:00 am–2:00 pm.

*Place:* Arlington Hilton Hotel, 950 North Stafford Street, Gallery 2, Arlington, VA 22203.

*Type of Meeting:* Open.

*Contact Person:* Adriaan de Graaf, Acting Executive Officer, MPS, National Science Foundation, 4201 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22230 Telephone: (703) 306-1802.

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

*Meeting Purpose:* To provide advice on future science and education opportunities; on effective and efficient strategies and mechanisms for achieving overall disciplinary and multidisciplinary balance as well as balance with respect to support for individual investigators and groups, centers, and major facilities; on facilities planning; on the integration of research and education; and on the implementation of GPRA.

#### Agenda

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Introductory Remarks  
State of MPS Address