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Weekly Calendar
MONDAY, AUGUST 6, 2012
National Sea Grant College Program
Subject: The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration holds a meeting of the National Sea Grant Advisory Board to discuss and provide advice on the National Sea Grant College Program in the areas of program evaluation, strategic planning, education and extension, science and technology programs, and other matters.
Time and Location: 2:00 p.m., SSMC Building 3, 1315 East-West Highway, Room 10836, Silver Spring, Md.
Contact: Elizabeth Ban, 301-734-1082, Elizabeth.Ban@noaa.gov.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 2012
None.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2012
None.
THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 2012
None.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, 2012
None.

Future Hearings and Events

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22, 2012
Americans' Views of Public Education in the U.S.
Subject: Gallup and Phi Delta Kappa International (PDK) releases findings from the 44th annual PDK/Gallup Poll of the Public’s Attitudes Toward the Public Schools at an event titled, “A Nation Divided: Americans’ Views of Public Education in the United States.”
Participants: John Jackson, CEO, Schott Foundation for Public Education; Jim Clifton, CEO, The Gallup Organization; William J. Bushaw, Ph.D., Executive Director, PDK International; Rick Ginsberg, Dean of Education, University of Kansas; Andy Rotherham, Partner, Bellwether Education; and Shane Lopez, Senior Scientist, Gallup.
Time and Location: 3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m., The Gallup Building, 901 F Street, NW, Washington, DC.
Contact: For more information, contact Krista Volzke at: 402-938-6001.

On The Floor This Week

Senate
In recess until September 10.

House
In recess until September 10.

Bills to Watch

FY2013 APPROPRIATIONS
House

FY2013 Budget Resolution (3/29/12 passed by House; 3/21/12 passed by House Budget Committee)

H.R.# Sponsor: Rep. Frank Wolf (R-VA)
FY2013 Commerce, Justice, Science and Related Agencies Appropriations Act (4/26/12 passed by House Appropriations Committee; 4/19/12 passed by House CJS Appropriations Subcommittee)

Senate

S.2323 Sponsor: Sen. Barbara Mikulski (D-MD)
FY2013 Commerce, Justice, Science and Related Agencies Appropriations Act (4/19/12 passed by Senate Appropriations Committee; 4/17/12 passed by Senate CJS Appropriations Subcommittee)
S.3295

Sponsor: Sen. Tom Harkin (D-IA)
FY2013 Labor, Health and Human Services and Education and Related
Agencies Appropriations Act (6/14/12 passed by Senate Appropriations
Committee; 6/12/12 passed by Senate LHHS Appropriations Subcommittee)

Links for Up-to-Date Information on Hearings, Legislation, and Events

U.S. House of Representatives 2010 Schedule:
U.S. Senate 2010 Schedule:
http://www.democrats.senate.gov/calendar/2010-01.html or
http://www.gpoaccess.gov/calendars/senate/browse.html
U.S. Senate Budget Committee: http://www.budget.senate.gov
U.S. House Budget Committee: http://www.house.gov/budget
Congressional Budget Office: http://www.cbo.gov
Federal legislative information: http://thomas.loc.gov

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