

DRAFT – CUR Dialogues 2015 Program (as of 12/1/2014)

Thursday, February 19, 2015-Saturday, February 21st

NOTE: This schedule is subject to change, depending on changes in speaker schedules

Climbing the Ladder to Funding Success: Diverse Sources, Diverse Pathways

**Connecting Faculty and Administrators at All Career Stages
To Funding Resources and Processes -- and to Each Other**

Thursday, February 19, 2015

2:00-5:00PM

Registration

Location: 2nd Floor Registration Desk

4:00-5:00PM

Welcome and Introduction to Opening Plenary

Location: Salons 1-4

Susan Singer

Division Director, Division of Undergraduate Education
National Science Foundation

Or

Lee Zia

Deputy Division Director, Division of Undergraduate Education
National Science Foundation

5:30 - 7:30PM

Reception

Location: Ballroom Pre-Function area

Friday, February 20, 2015

7:00-8:30AM

Registration & Continental Breakfast

Location: 2nd floor Registration Desk & Ballroom Pre-Function Area

8:30-9:30AM

Introduction & Plenary Session:

Location: Salons 1-4

Amelia Ahern-Rindell

President, Executive Board
Council on Undergraduate Research

Plenary: **Margaret Cahalan and Mika Yamashita**, Pell Institute

9:30-9:45AM

Break

Location: Ballroom Pre-Function area

9:45-10:45AM

Dialogues Session I

- ❑ (I-1) **Undergraduate Research Support in the Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences (SBE).** **Fahmida N. Chowdhury**, Program Director, NSF SBE.
- ❑ (I-2) **Overview of NSF's S-STEM program.** **John Krupczak**, Program Director, NSF EHR/DUE
- ❑ (I-3) **National Institutes of Health (NIH), Academic Research Enhancement Award (AREA) Program.** **Michelle Timmerman**, Director, NIH AREA Program, Office of Extramural Programs, Office of Extramural Research, NIH.
- ❑ (I-4) **Research: Art Works, National Endowment for the Arts.** **Melissa Menzer**, Program Analyst, Office of Research and Analysis, National Endowment for the Arts.
- ❑ (I-5) **Division of Human Resource Development, NSF.** **Claudia Rankins**, Program Director, Division of Human Resource Development, NSF.
- ❑ (I-6) **Overview of NSF Opportunities to Serve as a Program Officer on Temporary Assignment.** **Nancy Roddy**, Advisor for Special Programs, **Pam Hammett**, Executive and Visiting Personnel Branch Chief, and **Gisele Muller-Parker**, Program Director, NSF.
- ❑ (I-7) **National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Academic Research Opportunities and Activities.** **Susan Heller-Zeisler**, Senior Academic Program Manager, International and Academic Affairs office (IAAO), NIST.
- ❑ (I-8) **National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH): Opportunities in digital humanities.** **Jennifer Serventi**, Senior Program Officer, Office of Digital Humanities, NEH.

11:00AM -12:00PM

Dialogues Session II

- ❑ (II-1) **National Science Foundation Opportunities for Faculty from Predominantly Undergraduate Institutions.** **Randy Phelps**, Staff Associate, Office of Integrative Activities, National Science Foundation.
- ❑ (II-2) **American Educational Research Association (AERA) Grants.** **George L. Wimberly**, Director of Social Justice and Professional Development, AERA.
- ❑ (II-3) **National Science Foundation Biological Sciences Directorate (BIO) Funding Opportunities.** **Sally O'Connor**, Deputy Division Director (Acting) and Program Director, Division of Biological Infrastructure (BIO/DBI), NSF.
- ❑ (II-4) **National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Division of Education Programs.** **Wilsonia E.D. Cherry**, Deputy Director, NEH Division of Education Programs, NEH.
- ❑ (II-5) **The NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP).** **Gisele Muller-Parker and Julie Palais**, Program Directors, Division of Graduate Education, NSF.
- ❑ (II-6) **Undergraduate Research Support from the ACS Petroleum Research Fund.** **Dean A. Dunn**, Assistant Director, Office of Research Grants, American Chemical Society.

- ❑ (IV-5) **Education Research Programs. Meredith Larson**, Program Officer, Institute of Education Sciences.
- ❑ (IV-6) **Grant Programs at the National Institutes of Health Office of Behavioral and Social Science Research. Dana Sampson**, Senior Policy Advisor, NIH OBSSR
- ❑ (IV-7) **National Science Foundation Implementation of OMB’s “Uniform Guidance”: What Every Principal Investigator and Research and Sponsored Program Officer Should Know. Jean Feldman (or designee)**, Head, Policy Office, Division of Institution and Award Support, National Science Foundation.
- ❑ (IV-8) TBD

3:45-4:00PM **Break**
Location: Ballroom Pre-Function Area

4:00-5:00PM Scott Jaschik – Inside Higher Ed

Introduction:
Elizabeth L. Ambos
 Executive Officer
 Council on Undergraduate Research

Location: Salons 1-4

5:30-8:00PM **Networking Reception**
Location: Ballroom Pre-Function Area

Saturday, February 21, 2015

7:00-8:15AM **Continental Breakfast:**
Location: Ballroom Pre-Function Area

8:30-9:30AM **Dialogues Session V**

- ❑ (V-1) **REGISTRATION REQUIRED/SPACE LIMITED: NSF IUSE Dialogue. David Brown and Myles Boylan**, Program Directors, NSF Division of Undergraduate Education (DUE).
- ❑ (V-2) **Continuing the Dialogue: Faculty Networks Supported by the Research Coordination Networks (RCN) in Undergraduate Biology Education (RCN-UBE). Charles Sullivan**, Program Director, BIO/DBI, NSF.
- ❑ (V-3) **Research Programs in Anthropology. Jeffrey Mantz**, Program Director, SBE/BCS, National Science Foundation.
- ❑ (V-4) **The Role Sponsored Programs’ Offices Play in Funding Faculty/Student Research. Linda Freed**, Director of Sponsored Programs, Texas Christian University and **Franci Farnsworth**, Director of Research, Middlebury College

- (VI-5) **NSF Research in Undergraduate Institutions (RUI).** **Thomas Wenzel**, Professor of Chemistry, Bates College. (*note: this is a repeat of the session held from 245-345 p.m. on Friday, February 20th*)

9:45-10:45AM

Dialogues Session VI

- (VI-1) **REGISTRATION REQUIRED/SPACE LIMITED: NSF IUSE Dialogue.** **David Brown and Myles Boylan**, Program Directors, NSF Division of Undergraduate Education (DUE). (repeat of session from 830-930 a.m.)
- (VI-2) **National Institutes of Health (NIH) IDeA Networks of Biomedical Research (INBRE).** **Krishan Arora**, Program Director, National Institutes of Health, Division of Training, Workforce Development, and Diversity
- (VI-3) **The Role Government Relations Plays in Undergraduate Research Funding.** **Kuna Tavalin**, Washington Partners.
- (VI-4) **National Science Foundation, Environmental Chemistry and REU Programs.** **Tyrone Mitchell**, Program Officer, National Science Foundation, MPS/CHE.
- (VI-5) **National Science Foundation. Major Research Instrumentation (MRI) Program.** **Thomas Wenzel**, Professor of Chemistry, Bates College.

10:45-11:00AM

Break

Location: Ballroom Pre-Function Area

11:00AM-12:00PM

Closing Keynote:

Shiva Singh

National Institutes of Health

Location: Salons 1-4

Introduction

Tom Wenzel, President Emeritus, Council on Undergraduate Research
Professor of Chemistry, Bates College

12:00-12:15PM

Closing Comments and Adjournment

Location: Salons 1-4

Elizabeth Ambos

Executive Officer, Council on Undergraduate Research