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Proposal Review Panel for Computing and Communication Foundations; 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 Computing and Communication Foundations (#1192) - Expeditions in Computing Division – Year 2 DeepSpec Site Visit

DATE AND TIME: September 5, 2018; 7:00PM - 9:00PM
September 6, 2018; 8:00AM - 9:00PM
September 7, 2018; 8:30AM – 3:30PM

PLACE: BU George Sherman Union, Metcalf Hall, 775 Commonwealth Ave, Boston, MA 02215

TYPE OF MEETING: Part-Open

CONTACT PERSON: Mitra Basu, Expeditions in Computing Program, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia 22314; Telephone 703/292-8910

PURPOSE OF MEETING: Site visit to assess the progress of the EIC Award: CCF - 1522074, “Collaborative Research: Evolvable Living Computing - Understanding and Quantifying Synthetic Biological Systems’ Applicability, Performance, and Limits,” and to provide advice and recommendations concerning further NSF support for the project.

AGENDA:

Wednesday, September 5, 2018

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM: Closed

Evening briefing to discuss the Expeditions award and forthcoming site visit.

Thursday, September 6, 2018

8:00 AM - 12:30 PM: Open

Presentations by Awardee Institution, faculty staff and students, to Site Team and NSF Staff. Discussions and question and answer sessions.

1:30 PM – 2:00 PM: Closed

NSF Staff and Panelists deliberation.

2:00 PM– 5:00 PM: Open

Continued presentations by Awardee Institution. Response and feedback to presentations by Site Team and NSF Staff. Discussions and question and answer sessions. Draft report on education and research activities. Complete written site visit report with preliminary recommendations.

6:00 PM – 9:00 PM: Closed

NSF Staff and Panelists working dinner.

Friday, September 7, 2018

8:30 AM – 10:00 AM: Open

Expeditions PIs responses to issues raised by panelists

10:30 AM – 2:30 PM: Closed
Panelists prepare site visit report

2:30 PM – 3:30 PM: Open
Presentation of site visit report to Expeditions leadership team

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: August 7, 2018.

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