Federal Research Priorities and Budgets for FY12

Monday-Wednesday, October 31-November 2

Do you wish you knew where federal agencies are headed and how to align your funding requests to their priorities and direction? Join us for this webinar and hear directly from personnel at the National Institutes of Health, National Science Foundation, National Endowment for the Humanities, Office of Naval Research, Army Medical and Materiel Command, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, and the Departments of Agriculture, Education and Energy as they share agency direction and funding priorities for the coming year.

**Agenda**

**Monday, October 31, 2011, 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.**
11:00 a.m. Kei Koizumi, Assistant Director for Federal R&D, White House Office of Science and Technology Policy, on the President’s priorities and budget requests for research (confirmed)
12:30 a.m. Kam Ng, Deputy Director of Research, Office of Naval Research, on ONR’s budget priorities for research (confirmed)
2:00 p.m. Elizabeth Albro, Associate Commissioner for Teaching and Learning, National Center for Education Research, Department of Education, on ED budget priorities for research (confirmed)
3:30 p.m. Nadina Gardner, Director, Division of Preservation and Access, National Endowment for the Humanities on NEH budget priorities and updates to grants policies and procedures (confirmed)

**Tuesday, November 1, 2011, 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.**
11:00 a.m. Elizabeth Albro, Associate Commissioner for Teaching and Learning, National Center for Education Research, Department of Education, on updates of ED grants policies and procedures (confirmed)
12:30 a.m. Harriet Kung, Director of Basic Energy Sciences, Department of Energy Office of Science, on updates of DOE grants policies and procedures (confirmed)
2:00 p.m. Mark Poth, USDA, on NIFA budget priorities for research as well as updates on grants policies and procedures (confirmed)
3:30 p.m. David Curren and Maria Koszalka, NIH, on NIH budget priorities for research as well as updates on grants policies and procedures (confirmed)

**Wednesday, November 2, 2011, 11 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**
11:00 a.m. Jeremy Leffler, Outreach Specialist in the Policy Office within the Office of Budget, Finance, and Award Management, on NSF budget priorities for research as well as updates on grants policies and procedures (confirmed)
12:30 a.m. Harriet Kung, Director of Basic Energy Sciences, Department of Energy Office of Science, on DOE budget priorities for research (confirmed)
2:00 p.m. TBN, NASA (invited)
3:30 p.m. TBN, Army Medical and Materiel Command (invited)

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