

Agenda

International Experiences for U.S. STEM Students – A Moderated Discussion

WEDNESDAY, October 24, 2012

Hilton Arlington Hotel Small Ballroom

1:00 – Welcome, Introductions and Scene Setting – **David Stonner**, Deputy Director, Office of International and Integrative Activities

1:30 – Overview of current NSF Programs to enable international research experiences for students (**Carter Kimsey**, NSF Office of International and Integrative Activities, and **Harold Stolberg** Office of International and Integrative Activities).

2:00 – Current approaches/best practices in STEM international engagement for graduates and undergraduates.

- Issues for Graduate Students (**Richard Linton**, NSF and Council of Graduate Schools)
- Research University Perspective (**Volker Sick**, Ph.D. University of Michigan – via teleconference)
- Minority Serving Institution Perspective (**Francesca Mellieon-Williams**, Ph.D., Office of Research and Strategic Initiatives, Southern University)
- Issues in Evaluation of the Impact of International Experiences (**Angela Byars Winston**, Ph.D., University of Wisconsin—via teleconference)

3:00 – Discussion by participants.

- Where do we want to be in 5 to 7 years and what are opportunities for NSF to provide leadership in guiding us there.
- Special concerns for different student populations (graduate/undergraduate/underrepresented groups)