

**National Science Foundation  
 Directorate for Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences (SBE) Advisory Committee Meeting  
 December 14-15, 2015, NSF Headquarters, Stafford I, Room 1235  
 Agenda**

Monday, December 14, 2015

- 8:00 am – 9:00 am      New Advisory Committee member orientation (905N Conference Room)  
 Dr. Kellina Craig-Henderson, Deputy Assistant Director, SBE
- 9:00 am – 9:15 am      Welcome, introductions, and review of summary from spring 2015 SBE Advisory  
 Committee meeting  
 Dr. Emilio Moran, SBE Advisory Committee Chair
- 9:15 am – 9:45 am      SBE Directorate Update  
 Dr. Fay Lomax Cook, Assistant Director, SBE  
 Dr. Howard Nusbaum, Director, Division of Behavioral and Cognitive Sciences  
 Dr. Alan Tomkins, Acting Director, Division of Social and Economic Sciences  
 Mr. John Gawalt, Director, National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics
- Comments and discussion, Advisory Committee
- 9:45 am – 10:35 am      Division of Behavioral and Cognitive Sciences (BCS) Committee of Visitors (COV)  
 report  
 Dr. JW Harrington, BCS COV Chair
- SBE/BCS response  
 Dr. Howard Nusbaum, Division Director, BCS  
 Dr. Amber Story, Deputy Division Director, BCS
- Advisory Committee discussion and vote on acceptance
- 10:35 am – 10:50 am      Break
- 10:50 am – 11:40 am      SBE Office of Multidisciplinary Activities (SMA) COV report  
 Dr. Catherine Eckel, SMA COV Chair
- SBE/SMA response  
 Dr. Deborah Olster, Senior Advisor, SBE
- Advisory Committee discussion and vote on acceptance
- 11:40 am – 12:40 pm      Robust and Reliable Science  
 Dr. Kenneth Bollen, Chair, Subcommittee on Recommendations for SBE Robust  
 and Reliable Research
- Advisory Committee discussion

- 12:40 pm – 1:45 pm Lunch (on your own)
- 1:45 pm – 2:15 pm Behavioral and Social Sciences Research at the National Institutes of Health  
Dr. William Riley, Director, Office of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research,  
National Institutes of Health
- Discussion with Advisory Committee
- 2:15 pm – 3:15 pm White House Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP) Social and  
Behavioral Sciences Team Activities  
Dr. Maya Shankar, Senior Advisor for the Social and Behavioral Sciences, OSTP  
Dr. William Congdon, Fellow, Social and Behavioral Sciences Team, OSTP  
Discussion with Advisory Committee
- 3:15 pm – 3:30 pm Break
- 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm NSF activities and Strategies Related to Graduate Education  
Dr. Joan Ferrini-Mundy, Assistant Director, Directorate for Education and  
Human Resources  
Discussion with Advisory Committee
- 4:30 pm – 5:00 pm Preparation for meeting with NSF leadership
- 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm Reception for Advisory Committee members and SBE staff (Room 905)
- 6:30 pm No-host dinner for Advisory Committee (Bangkok Bistro, 715 N. Glebe Road,  
Arlington, VA)

Tuesday, December 15, 2015

- 9:00 am – 10:00 am NSF Office of Legislative and Public Affairs  
Ms. Amanda Greenwell, Head of NSF Office of Legislative and Public Affairs  
Discussion with Advisory Committee
- 10:00 am – 11:00 am Meeting with NSF leadership  
Dr. Richard Buckius, Chief Operating Officer, NSF
- 11:00 am – 12:00 pm Next Steps in Transformational SBE Science  
Dr. Emilio Moran, SBE Advisory Committee Chair  
Dr. Arthur “Skip” Lupia
- 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm Agenda and dates for future meetings, assignments and concluding remarks  
Dr. Emilio Moran, SBE Advisory Committee Chair  
Dr. Fay Lomax Cook, SBE Assistant Director
- 12:30 pm Adjourn