

creating a secure website to receive these reports. Again, in response to public comments, NSF created a secure website for reporting, and we ask NASA to do the same. NASA's expectations about what should occur if a reportable instance happens at a subrecipient institution is not clear. The Notice reads: "(d) Recipient agrees to insert the substance of this term and condition in any subaward/subcontract involving a co-investigator.

Recipient will be responsible for ensuring that all reports, including those related to co-investigators, comply with this term and condition." This could mean a number of different things, including:

a. The subrecipient institution is responsible for submitting reports to NASA, or

b. The subrecipient institution must provide information to the recipient, who ensures that all required data elements are included prior to the recipient submitting the report, or

c. The subrecipient institution must provide information to the recipient, who ensures that all required data elements are included prior to the subrecipient submitting the report, or

d. The subrecipient institution must provide a certification to the recipient institution that, should the subrecipient make a report to NASA, it will do so in compliance with the reporting requirements.

As written, the language does not provide clear direction to the recipient and subrecipient. An area of concern is privacy. Should an administrative action be taken or administrative leave imposed in anticipation of investigating an allegation, the investigation may result in a conclusion that a violation did not occur. In this case, an individual's reputation may be harmed if entities other than those with a need to know are privy to the information. NASA should clarify expectations and responsibilities for both the recipient and subrecipient and do so in a manner that protects privacy. To align with NSF, we recommend that NASA consider requiring that reports be submitted directly from the subrecipient to NASA.

NASA Response: In response to the recommendation that NASA create a secure website to receive these reports, NASA has developed a secure mechanism by which the notifications will be routed directly to the Office of Diversity and Equal Opportunity, which will limit access to only those NASA personnel with an express need to know. NASA also has revised the term and condition to make clear to those submitting notifications not to include

names other than the PI or Co-I. In response to the recommendation that NASA should clarify expectations and responsibilities for both the recipient and subrecipient, NASA has revised the term and condition to require the Authorized Organizational Representative of the subrecipient institution to notify NASA directly.

Cheryl Parker,

Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Proposal Review Panel for Physics; 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 the Division of Physics (1208)—PFC JILA Site Visit.

Date and Time: April 27, 2020; 8:30 a.m.–7:00 p.m., April 28, 2020; 8:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

Place: University of Colorado at Boulder, 440 UCB, Boulder, CO 80309.

Type of Meeting: Part-Open.

Contact Person: Jean Cottam-Allen, Program Director for Physics Frontier Centers, Division of Physics; National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Room 9235, Alexandria, VA 22314; Telephone: (703) 292-8783.

Purpose of Meeting: Site visit to provide an evaluation of the progress of the projects at the host site for the Division of Physics at the National Science Foundation.

Agenda

April 27, 2020; 8:30 a.m.–7:00 p.m.

8:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Panel Session: Presentations on Center Overview, Management and Science

12:00 p.m.–1:30 p.m.

Lunch with Graduate Students and Postdocs

1:30 p.m.–4:00 p.m.

Panel Session: Continued Science Presentations, Education and Outreach

4:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m.

Executive Session—CLOSED SESSION

5:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m.

Poster Session

7:00 p.m.

Executive Session—CLOSED SESSION

April 28, 2020; 8:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

8:30 a.m.–11:00 a.m.

Meeting with University Administrators, Discussion with Center Directors

11:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Executive Session—CLOSED SESSION

3:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m.

Closure Session with Center Directors

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: March 5, 2020.

Crystal Robinson,

Committee Management Officer.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Proposal Review Panel for Physics; 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 the Division of Physics (1208)—PFC CUA Site Visit.

Date and Time: April 30, 2020; 8:30 a.m.–7:00 p.m.; May 1, 2020; 8:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

Place: Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 77 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02139-4307.

Type of Meeting: Part-Open.

Contact Person: Jean Cottam-Allen, Program Director for Physics Frontier Centers, Division of Physics, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Room 9235, Alexandria, VA 22314; Telephone: (703) 292-8783.

Purpose of Meeting: Site visit to provide an evaluation of the progress of the projects at the host site for the Division of Physics at the National Science Foundation.

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