

AGENDA

Astronomy and Astrophysics Advisory Committee

January 26-27, 2021

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Tuesday, January 26, 2021 (all times EDT)

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| 10:00 – 10:15 | Welcome, Opening Remarks and Introductions;
Sign-in, Logistics, Conflicts of Interest;
Review of Charge and New-Member Orientation;
Approval of Minutes (from September 2020);
Plans for Future Meetings, 2021 Meeting Dates | Sean Jones, Ralph Gaume,
John O’Meara, Renee
Adonteng, Allison Farrow |
| 10:15 – 11:00 | DOE/HEP Programs and Budget Update | Kathy Turner |
| 11:00 – 11:15 | Questions/Discussion | |
| 11:15 – 11:30 | <i>Break</i> | |
| 11:30 – 12:30 | Update from NASA Heliophysics | Nicky Fox |
| 12:30 – 12:45 | Questions/Discussion | |
| 12:45 – 1:45 | <i>Break</i> | |
| 1:45 – 2:45 | NSF/AST Programs and Budget Update | Ralph Gaume |
| 2:45 – 3:00 | Questions/Discussion | |
| 3:00 – 3:10 | Maunakea Governance Update | Dave Boboltz, Caroline |
| 3:10 – 3:20 | Questions/Discussion | Blanco, Karen Pearce |
| 3:20 – 3:35 | <i>Break</i> | |
| 3:35 – 4:05 | Dual Anonymous Peer Review within NASA Astrophysics | Dan Evans |
| 4:05 – 4:15 | Questions/Discussion | |
| 4:15 – 4:25 | Spectrum Management Update | Ashley Zauderer, Jonathan |
| 4:25 – 4:30 | Questions/Discussion | Williams |
| 4:30 – 4:40 | No-deadline Proposal Pilot Study at NSF | Jim Neff |
| 4:40 – 4:45 | Questions/Discussion | |
| 4:45 – 5:00 | Discussion and Planning for Day 2 | John O’Meara |
| 5:00 | <i>Adjourn for the Day</i> | |

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10:00 – 11:00	NASA/APD Programs and Budget Update	Paul Hertz
11:00 – 11:15	Questions/Discussion	
11:15 – 12:00	Arecibo Update	Ashley Zauderer, Alison Peck
12:00 – 12:10	Questions/Discussion	
12:10 – 12:40	<i>Break</i>	
12:40 – 1:10	Roman Space Telescope Update	Dominic Benford, Julie McEnery
1:10 – 1:20	Questions/Discussion	
1:20 – 1:30	Astro2020 Update	John O’Meara
1:30 – 1:40	Questions/Discussion	
1:40 – 2:00	Nomination of new AAAC Chair	Martin Still
2:00 – 2:45	<i>Break</i>	
2:45 – 3:15	James Webb Space Telescope Update	Eric Smith
3:15 – 3:25	Questions/Discussion	
3:25 – 4:05	Update from NSF Physics Division	Denise Caldwell
4:05 – 4:15	Questions/Discussion	
4:15 – 4:25	<i>Break</i>	
4:25 – 5:00	Topics for Future Meetings; Any Other Business	John O’Meara
5:00	<i>Adjourn</i>	

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 - ii. One tap mobile -
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