

7<sup>th</sup> KIEC and 16<sup>th</sup> KY EPSCoR Joint Annual Conference – May 26, 2011  
Galt House East, Louisville, KY

**SCHEDULE**

		<b>Registration, Poster Set-up and Breakfast (8:00 - 8:45 AM)</b>	
2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor,	Plenary Sessions	Ballroom C	8:45 A - 9:15 A <b>Welcome Remarks</b> Welcome: Maria Labreveux, Mahendra Jain, and Rick Kurzynske, KSEF/KSTC Welcome Remarks: Robert King, Council on Postsecondary Education
			9:15 A - 10:00 A <b>Session 1. Innovation Leading to Technology Transfer</b> Speaker: Stephen Fleming, Georgia Institute Of Technology Moderator: Kris Kimel, Kentucky Science & Technology Corporation
			10:00 A - 10:45 A <b>Session 2. Assessing Changes in Kentucky's Economy and Innovation Capacity</b> Speaker: Trent Williams, Regional Technology Strategies Moderator: Kris Kimel, Kentucky Science & Technology Corporation
10:45 to 11:30 AM – Poster Session ODD numbers / Table Top Presentations / Coffee Break (Exhibit Hall)			
3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor	Parallel Sessions Federal Funding Opportunities - Career Counseling	Jones	11:30 AM - 12:15 PM
		French	
		Segell	
		Stopher	
		<b>Session 3A. USDA-NIFA: The Future of Agriculture</b> Speaker: Diana Jerkins, USDA- National Institute of Food and Agriculture Moderator: Nancy Cox, University of Kentucky	
		<b>Session 3B. DOE: "Powering" Outside the Box</b> Speaker: Sirini Mirmira, ARPA-E Moderator: Len Peters, Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet	
		<b>Session 3C. International Space Station as a Platform for Innovation, Economic Development, and STEM Education</b> Speaker: Marybeth Edeen, ISS National Lab Office, NASA Moderator: Kris Kimel, Kentucky Science & Technology Corporation	
		<b>Session 3D. Graduating soon? Exploring Your Career Choices</b> Panel: Gregory M. Jones, Booz   Allen   Hamilton, and Don Fitzpatrick, IBM Moderator: Aman Singh, Vault Inc	
2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ballroom C		12:15 to 1:15 PM – LUNCH	
3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor	Parallel Sessions Fed Labs/ Innovating Local Economies / S&T Strategies	Jones	1:15 - 2:00 PM
		French	
		Segell	
		<b>Session 4A. Access to Federal Labs</b> Speaker: Rick Shindell, Federal Labs Consortium for Technology Transfer / Zyn Systems Moderator: Mahendra Jain, Kentucky Science & Technology Corporation	
		<b>Session 4B. Imagination Powering Local Economies – The role of university research and technology development in fostering growth</b> Speaker: Justin Anderson, Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation Moderator: Mehdi Yazdanpanah, NaugaNeedles	
		<b>Session 4C: Conversations on Kentucky's Science and Technology Strategy</b> Group Discussions led by Trent Williams, Regional Technology Strategies Moderator : Rick Kurzynske, Kentucky Science & Technology Corporation	
2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Exhibit Hall		2:00 to 2:45 PM – Poster Session EVEN numbers / Table Top Presentations / Coffee Break	
3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor	Parallel Sessions Women in Science / FDA Approval / Grantsmanship / e-Portfolios	Jones	2:45 - 3:30 PM
		French	
		Stopher	
		McCrea	
		<b>Session 5A. Women, Science and Entrepreneurship</b> Speakers: Lisa Sobolewski, DHS; Jenny Servo, Dawn Breaker, Jen White, University of Kentucky Moderator: Marybeth Edeen, ISS National Lab Office, NASA	
		<b>Session 5B. Navigating the FDA Approval Process</b> Speaker: Dan Wermeling, University of Kentucky Moderator: Ruth Voor, Vivorte	
		<b>Session 5C. Competitive Grantsmanship in a Tight Federal Budget: Strategies for Success</b> Speaker: Anna Palmisano, Department of Energy & USDA (Retired) Moderator: Nancy Martin, University of Louisville	
		<b>Session 5D. "Lost in Translation" Optimizing your resume and e-portfolio</b> Live Webinar Speaker: Jason Levin, Vault Inc Moderator: Aman Singh, Vault Inc	

<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Floor</b>	<b>KY EPSCoR / IDeA Sub-committee Meetings</b>	Segell	2:45 - 5:00 PM	<b>NSF EPSCoR Program: Ongoing Research</b> Directors: John Connolly (former) UK & Rodney Andrews (current), UK
		Coe		<b>NASA KY Space Grant &amp; EPSCoR Programs: Research &amp; Activities</b> Director: Suzanne Smith, UK Associate Director: Janet Lumpp, UK
		Beckhm		<b>DOE EPSCoR Program: NEW &amp; Existing Research Opportunities</b> Chair: Eric Grulke, UK
		Taylor		<b>NIH-IDEA Sub-committee Inaugural Session</b> Director: Nigel Cooper, UofL
	<b>Business</b>	Jones	3:30 P 4:15 P	<b>Session 6. Business Planning and Market Research</b> Speaker: Jenny Servo, Dawn Breaker Moderator: Vickie Yates Brown, Nucleus
	<b>Intellectual Property</b>	French	4:15 P 5:00 P	<b>Session 7. Protecting Intellectual Property</b> Speaker: Stephen C. Hall, Esq., Stoll Keenon Ogden PLLC. Moderator: Blaine Ferrell, Professor, WKU
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Exhibit Hall</b>		<b>4:30 PM to 5:00 PM – Poster Removal</b>		