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"ADVANCED BIOSCIENCES FOR MANUFACTURING: DRIVING SOLUTIONS IN ENERGY, HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT"

Thursday, July 28, 2016
Noon–1:30pm
B-338-339 Rayburn House Office Building

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Lunch Provided

Welcome and Introduction

- J. Robert (Bob) Sims, ASME President, 2014-2015
- Deborah Wince-Smith, President and CEO, The U.S. Council on Competitiveness

Moderator:

 Mary Maxon, Principal Deputy, Biosciences Area, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory

Panelists:

- Steve Evans, Fellow, Dow AgroSciences
- Rina Singh, Policy Director, Industrial Biotechnology, BIO
- Malin Young, Chief Research Officer, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory
- Anup Singh, Senior Manager of Biological Science and Technology, Sandia National Laboratories

This briefing will focus on how advances in biosciences can improve the nation's biomanufacturing competitiveness and address grand scientific challenges for energy, the environment, human health and agriculture. The panelists will focus on the development of cross-cutting technologies and platform scientific tools that will broaden and deepen the United States' biosciences and bioengineering capabilities. The briefing will examine the potential of shared resources and new technologies to drive progress across all agencies that depend on research, development and deployment to meet their mission objectives, and in the nation's manufacturing sector.

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