

Program

Monday, March 9, 2015

- 8:00 am** **Registration & Continental Breakfast**
- 8:30-8:45 am** **Welcome & Overview of the Program**
Felice J. Levine, Chair, COSSA Board of Directors, American Educational Research Association
Wendy A. Naus, COSSA Executive Director
- 8:45-9:30 am** **Setting the Context: The Politics of Social and Behavioral Science Research**
Wendy A. Naus, COSSA Executive Director
Jennifer Poulakidas, Association of Public and Land-grant Universities (APLU)
Joanne Padrón Carney, American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS)
- 9:30-10:30 am** **Social, Behavioral and Economic Science at the National Science Foundation**
Introduction: Wendy A. Naus, COSSA Executive Director
France Córdoba, Director, National Science Foundation (NSF)
- 10:30-10:45 am** **Coffee Break**
- 10:45-11:45 am** **Behavioral and Social Science Research at the National Institutes of Health**
Introduction: Angela Sharpe, COSSA Deputy Director
William Riley, Acting Director, Office of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research, National Institutes of Health (NIH)
- 12:00-1:30 pm** **Luncheon: Contributions of Social and Behavioral Science to Mission Agencies**
Introduction: Sally Hillsman, American Sociological Association
David Yoskowitz, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), U.S. Department of Commerce (DOC)
Rolf Schmitt, Bureau of Transportation Statistics (BTS), U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT)
Erin Fitzgerald, Minerva Initiative, U.S. Department of Defense (DOD)
- 1:30-3:00 pm** **Defending Sound Science: When Politics and Peer Review Collide**
Introduction: Edward Liebow, American Anthropological Association
David Scholnick, Pacific University (“Shrimp on a Treadmill”)
Megan Tracy, James Madison University (“China’s Dairy Industry”)
Filippo Menczer, Indiana University (“Truthy”)
Joanna Kempner, Rutgers University (“Reacting to Controversy”)
- 3:00-3:15 pm** **Coffee Break/Organize for Training**
- 3:15-4:45 pm** **Advocacy Training for Congressional Visits**
Wendy A. Naus, COSSA Executive Director
Christopher Kush, Soapbox Consulting
- 4:45-5:00 pm** **Wrap Up**
- 5:30-7:30 pm** **Congressional Reception on Capitol Hill (Off-site)**
Rayburn House Office Building, Gold Room 2168 (First floor)
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