

Agenda BIO Advisory Committee (AC) Meeting Directorate for Biological Sciences (BIO) National Science Foundation

Day 1	September 13, 2023
9:45 AM	Conflict of Interest Briefing for AC members
10:00 AM	Introductions and Agenda Review/Logistics
10:15 AM	Update from BIO Directorate
11:15 AM	Report out of Committee of Visitors (COV) Report for BIO/Division of Environmental Biology (DEB) and AC vote to Accept the Report
11:30 PM	Lunch Break
1:00 PM	Bold Goals for U.S. Biotechnology and Biomanufacturing: Harnessing Research and Development to Further Societal Goals
1:45 PM	AC member Breakout Groups – Opportunities and Bottlenecks for Advancing the Bioeconomy
2:45 PM	Break
3:00 PM	Report out from breakout groups
3:30 PM	Research Infrastructure to Support the Bioeconomy
4:00 PM	AC Discussion on Research Infrastructure Needs
4:30 PM	Initial Preparation for Visit with the Office of the Director (OD) Leadership
5:15 PM	Adjourn



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Day 2	September 14, 2023
10:00 AM	Bioeconomy-relevant Workforce for the Future
10:20 AM	AC Member Breakout Groups Opportunities, Gaps, Bottlenecks for Building the Bioeconomy-relevant Workforce of the Future
11:20 AM	Report out from Breakout groups
11:50 AM	Lunch Break / Waterman Lecture
1:30 PM	Final prep for OD Leadership visit
2:00 PM	Meeting with Dr. Sethuraman Panchanathan (NSF Director), Dr. Karen Marrongelle (NSF Chief Operating Officer), and Mr. Brian Stone (NSF Chief of Staff)
2:30 PM	Recap and Discussion of Topics for Spring 2024 Meeting
2:55 PM	Thank You to Retiring AC members
3:00 PM	Adjourn