

2010 STUDENT MEETING

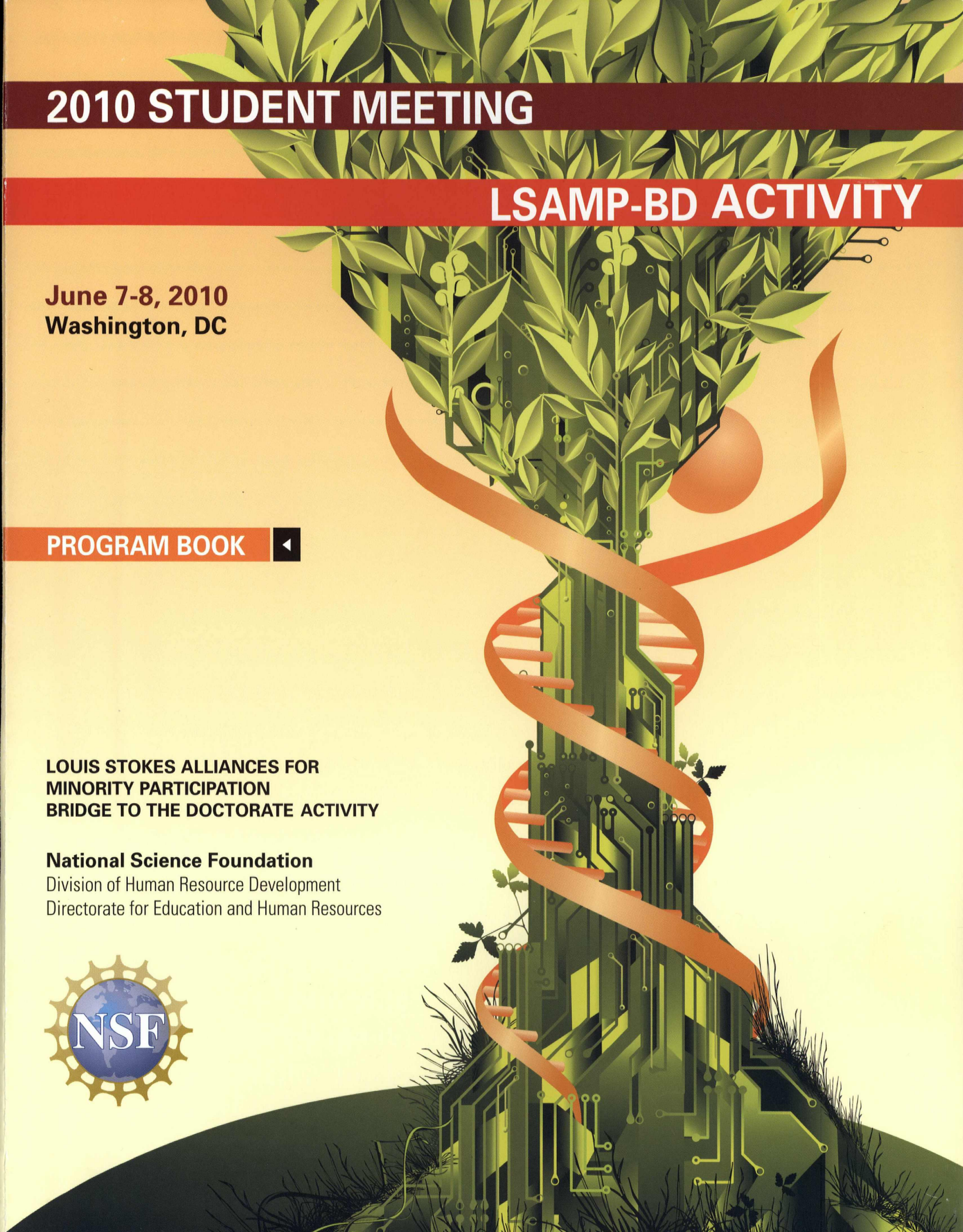
LSAMP-BD ACTIVITY

June 7-8, 2010
Washington, DC

PROGRAM BOOK ◀

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BRIDGE TO THE DOCTORATE ACTIVITY**

National Science Foundation
Division of Human Resource Development
Directorate for Education and Human Resources



AGENDA-AT-A-GLANCE

SUNDAY, JUNE 6

TIME	TOPIC	ROOM
4:00 – 6:00pm	Registration	Columbia Hall

MONDAY, JUNE 7

TIME	TOPIC	ROOM
7:30am	Registration	Columbia Hall
7:30 – 8:30am	Light Refreshments	Columbia Hall
8:30 – 9:30am	Opening Session	Columbia Hall - 6 and 8
	Welcome and Keynote Speaker <i>Shirley M. Malcolm, PhD, Director Education and Human Resources Programs American Association for the Advancement of Science</i>	
9:30 – 10:30am	Topic I: Developing a Compelling Research Idea/Project <i>Lesia Crumpton-Young, PhD, President and CEO PowerfulEducation Technologies, LLC</i>	
10:30 – 10:45am	Break	
10:45am – 12:15pm	Topic II: Devising a Research Plan Topic III: Developing a Research Proposal	
12:15 – 1:30pm	Plenary luncheon	International Ballroom
	Welcome and Introduction <i>Timothy L. Killeen, PhD Assistant Director Directorate for Geosciences</i>	
	Keynote Speaker <i>Jorge Sarmiento, PhD Geoscience, Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences Princeton University</i>	
	Participant Questions and Answers	
	Announcements	
1:45 – 4:00pm	Graduate Funding Opportunities <i>Gisele Muller-Parker, Division of Graduate Education, NSF Carmen Sidbury, Division of Graduate Education, NSF Christine M. O'Brien, Ford Fellowship Programs Julie Saltzman, Sloan Foundation Programs</i>	Columbia Hall - 6 and 8
4:00 – 4:30pm	Break	
4:30 – 5:30pm	Guest Speaker <i>Marybeth A. Edeen, PhD, Director International Space Station National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) The International Space Station as a National Laboratory</i>	Columbia Hall - 6 and 8
5:30 – 7:00pm	Reception and Networking	Columbia Hall

CONFERENCE INFORMATION

GENERAL

As a courtesy to other attendees, please switch off or turn to vibrate all cellular phones, Blackberries, and pagers during all sessions. Please arrive on time for all sessions.

All sessions are on a first come, first serve basis. Please fill the seats in the front to make room for late arrivals.

CONFERENCE HOTEL INFORMATION

Hilton Washington Hotel

1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20009
Phone: (202) 483-3000
Fax: (202) 232-0438

Hotel Concierge

A Concierge Desk is located on the Main Lobby Level of the hotel to the left of the entrance. Hours are 7:00 am – 11:00pm.

Parking

There is a parking garage located at the Hilton Washington Hotel. Valet parking fee is \$35.00 daily and \$28.00 daily parking.

Automatic Teller Machine (ATM)

For your convenience, there is a 24-hour ATM located in the lobby level next to the Transportation Desk.

Business Center

The business center is located on the main lobby. It can be accessed 24 hours with your room key.

CONFERENCE INFORMATION

Name Badges

Once registered your name badge is your admission to all sessions and must be worn at all times. If you misplace your badge, you will be required to show a photo ID at the registration desk to obtain a new badge. Please carry your photo ID with you at all times.

Poster and Exhibit Viewing Hours

Tuesday, June 8 7:00pm – 9:00pm
Wednesday, June 9 8:00am – 9:00am

Complimentary Shuttle Service

The Hilton Washington is 4 blocks north from the **Dupont Circle Metro Station** (red line). Complimentary shuttle service will be provided as a courtesy to our participants from the **Q Street Exit**, to the Hilton Washington Hotel and will be available to all NSF Attendees. Shuttle service will be available every 15 - 20 minutes and can accommodate a maximum of 20 guests at a time. The shuttle service is wheelchair accessible.

Schedule:

Saturday, June 5 - Sunday, June 6

Morning Schedule: 10:00am - 1:00pm
Afternoon Schedule: 2:00pm - 6:00pm

Monday, June 7 - Wednesday, June 9

Morning Schedule: 6:30am - 9:30am
Afternoon Schedule: 3:00pm - 7:00pm

Messages

Messages may be left or picked up at the various message boards located near the registration desk.

Conference Help Desk

The conference **help desk** will be located near the registration desk and open during the regular registration hours. The staff at the help desk will be able to address any questions or concerns that you may have for the duration of the conference.

Computer Kiosks

Computer kiosks are located on the **Columbia Hall - Terrace Level** and will be available for use during the regular registration hours for the duration of the conference. You may access your email and send messages from this location.

LSAMP-BD 2010 Participant Evaluation

Evaluations forms can be picked up from the Registration desk on site or downloaded from <http://guest.cvent.com/i.aspx?7E%2cM3%2cd683d620-5f8d-4fb3-9bd0-d6ecf680923c>

No Smoking Policy

Smoking is not allowed in any part of the conference including the public areas. Conference attendees should comply with the Hilton Washington Hotel policies in other parts of the hotel.

Emergency Evacuation Plan and Services

Please inform a member of the hotel staff to alert a CPR or AED certified person. In the event of an emergency, Fire, Police and EMS will be on the grounds of the hotel.

Non-emergency situations **dial 3600** from a House Phone

IN THE CASE OF AN EMERGENCY DIAL 60 FROM ANY HOUSE PHONE*

Nearest Hospital Location

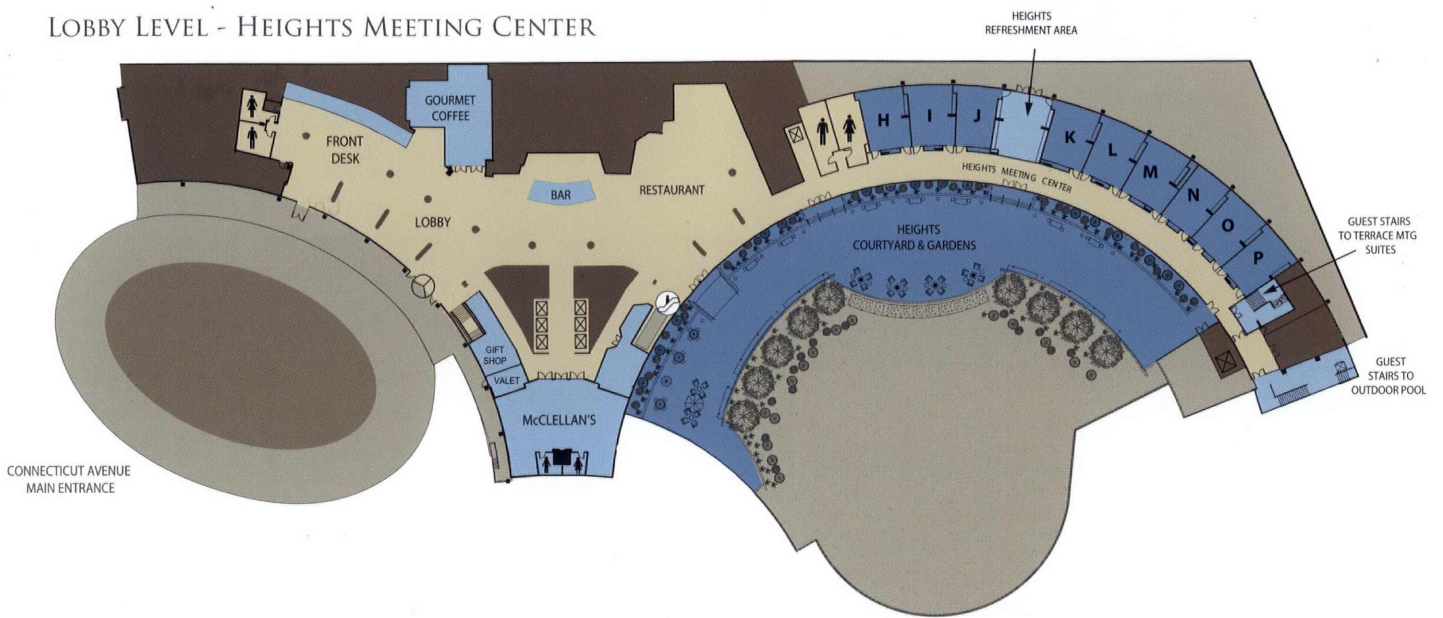
George Washington University Hospital
900 23rd Street, NW
Washington, DC 20037
Phone: (202) 715-4000

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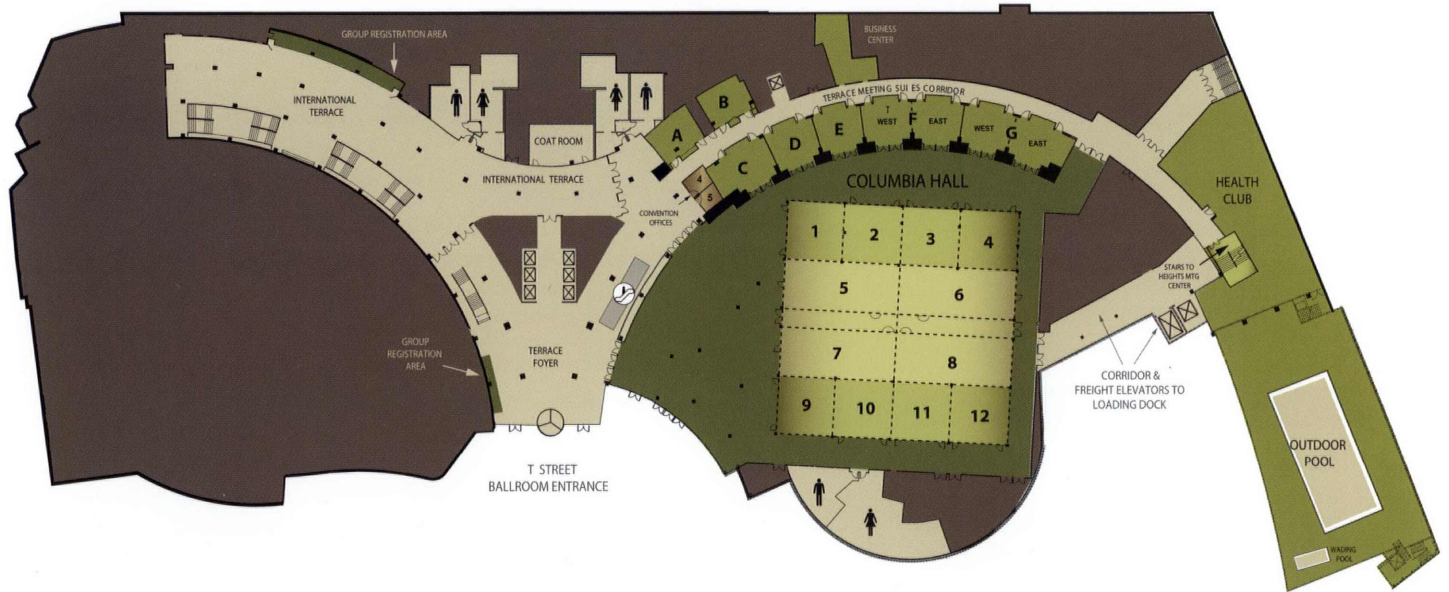
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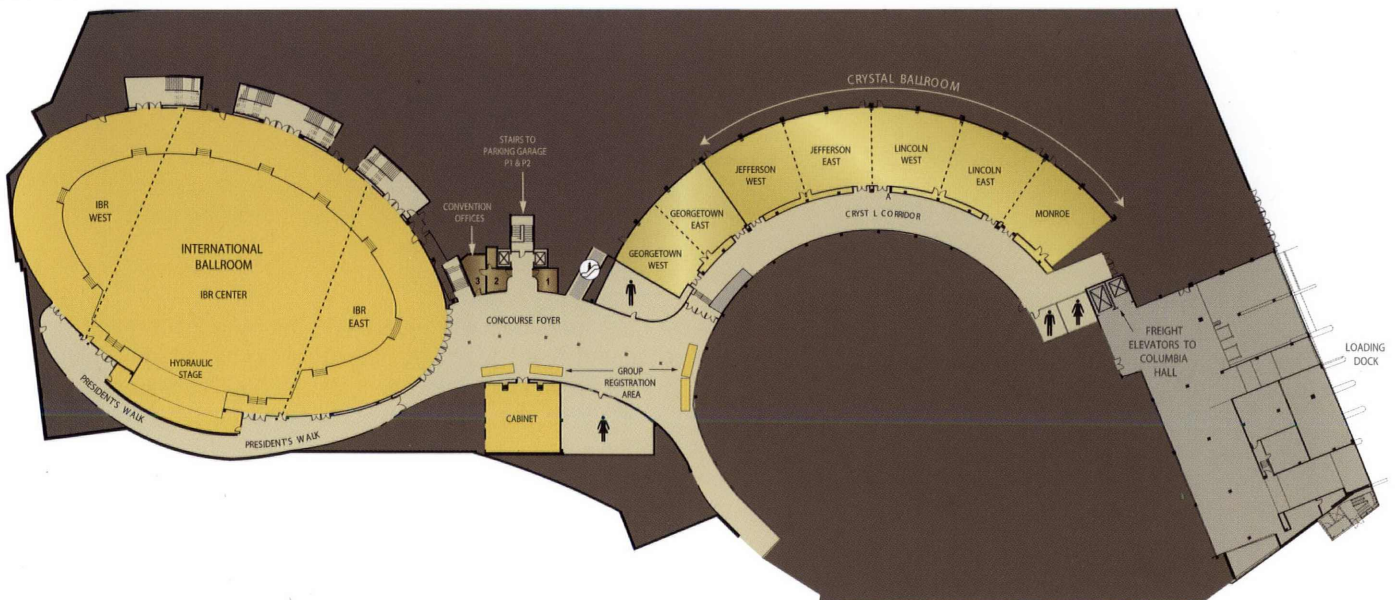
LOBBY LEVEL - HEIGHTS MEETING CENTER



TERRACE LEVEL - TERRACE MEETING SUITES & COLUMBIA HALL



CONCOURSE LEVEL - INTERNATIONAL & CRYSTAL BALLROOMS



AGENDA-AT-A-GLANCE

TUESDAY, JUNE 8

TIME	TOPIC	ROOM
7:30 – 8:30am	Light refreshments	Columbia Hall
8:30 – 9:30am	Opening Session <i>Scott C. Doney, PhD, Senior Scientist Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution Human Impact on US Oceans</i>	Columbia Hall - 6 and 8
9:30 – 10:30am	Topic IV: Conducting a Research Project <i>Lesia Crumpton-Young, PhD, President and CEO PowerfulEducation Technologies, LCC</i>	
10:30 – 10:45am	Break	
10:45am – 12:15pm	Topic V: Producing a Scholarly Publication Topic VI: Developing and Delivering a Technical Presentation	
12:15 – 1:30pm	Plenary Luncheon Welcome and Introduction <i>Joanne S. Tornow Executive Officer (Acting) Directorate for Biological Sciences</i> Keynote Speaker <i>Tyrone B. Hayes, PhD Integrative Biology University of California, Berkeley</i> Participant Questions and Answers Announcements	International Ballroom
1:45 – 3:00pm	Panel Session <i>Vincent Hathaway Laura Pedro Rosa Matthew Martinez Andrea Rocha Mycah Wilson</i>	Columbia Hall - 6 and 8
3:15 – 3:30pm	Break	
3:30 – 4:30pm	Graduate and Post Graduate Funding Opportunities <i>Vicky Rahamatali, AAAS Post Doctoral Fellowships</i>	
4:30 – 5:30pm	Closing	Columbia Hall - 6 and 8



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