



Agriculture, Food, Nutrition and Natural Resources R&D Round Table

*March 15, 2011
Abelson/Haskins Conference Room
American Association for the Advancement of Science
1200 New York Ave. NW, Washington, D.C. (Enter at 12th and H Streets)*

Round Table Agenda

7:45 a.m. Registration and continental breakfast

8:30 a.m. Introductions

Neil Conklin, Farm Foundation, NFP

8:40 a.m. Opening Session

Moderator: Cathie Woteki, USDA Under Secretary for Research, Education and Economics

Keynote Address

Shere Abbott, Office of Science and Technology Policy of the Executive Office of the President

9:30 a.m. Overview of Federal R&D Budgets and the R&D Round Table

Panel:

Patrick Clemins, American Association for the Advancement of Science
Karl Glasener, American Society of Agronomy, Soil Science Society of America and Crop Science Society of America
William Fisher, Institute of Food Technologists

10:00 a.m. Break

10:15 a.m. Session I

Moderator: Wendy Wintersteen, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa

Science Agenda for the 21st Century, Cathie Woteki, USDA Under Secretary for Research, Education and Economics

Sequencing the Bovine Genome, Jerry Taylor, University of Missouri, and Steve Kappes, USDA, Agricultural Research Service, (ARS), Beltsville, Md.

National Food and Nutrient Analysis Program, John Milner, National Institutes of Health, Rockville, Md. and Dave Klurfeld, USDA ARS, Beltsville. Md.

Cooperative Partnerships to Improve Food Safety and Public Health,
Mindy Brashears and Mark Miller, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas

*Providing Needed Pest Control Tools Through a Crop Grouping
System*, Steven Bradbury, OPP, EPA, Alexandria, Va.

12:20 p.m. Box Lunch

1:10 p.m. Session II

Moderator: Molly Jahn, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

NSF Partnerships in Plant Genomics
Jane Silverthorne, National Science Foundation

*Sustaining Rural Economies Through Agricultural Production and Water
Management*: David Brauer, USDA ARS, Bushland, Texas, and Daniel
Devin, Kansas State University

Benefits of Farm Bill Conservation Programs, Mark R. Walbridge, USDA
ARS, Beltsville, Md., and Lisa Duriancik and Michelle Laur, USDA Natural
Resources Conservation Service, (NRCS), Beltsville, Md.

2:45 p.m. Break

3:00 p.m. Session III and Wrap Up

Moderator: Lowell Randel, Federation of Animal Science Societies

*Making Informed Wildland Restoration Decisions in the Northwest and
Southwest*, Janine Salwasser, Institute for Natural Resources, Corvallis,
Ore., Miles Hemstrom, USDA Forest Service, Corvallis, Ore., and Lisa
Gaines, Institute for Natural Resources, Corvallis, Ore.

Cellulosic Biofuel Production, Junyong Zhu, U.S. Forest Service,
Madison, Wis.

Lessons Learned and Opportunities for the Future,
Edward Hiler, Texas A&M University

4:40 p.m. Discussion

4:50 p.m. Adjourn

5:00 p.m. Reception

5:30 p.m. Reception Remarks

Monica Bradford, *Science* magazine
Julie Staiano, American Association for the Advancement of Science

6:30 p.m. Adjourn

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