

APPENDIX II. – SCHEDULE OF PROGRAM EVALUATIONS

The following table provides information on the scheduling of meetings for Committees of Visitors (COVs) for our programs. The table lists the fiscal year of the most recent COV meeting for the program and the fiscal year for the next COV review of the program. We have highlighted the COV meetings that were held in FY 2002 in bold font.

Committee of Visitors Meetings By Directorate

(COV meetings held during FY 2002 are highlighted in bold font)

DIRECTORATE <i>Division</i> Program	Fiscal Year of Most Recent COV	Fiscal Year of Next COV
BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES		
<i>Biological Infrastructure</i>	2000	2004
Instrument Related Activities	2002	2005
Research Resources	2000	2003
Training	2000	2003
Plant Genome	2001	2004
<i>Environmental Biology</i>	1999	2003
Ecological Studies	2002	2005
Thematic Review	2001	2005
Systematic and Population Biology	2000	2004
<i>Integrative Biology and Neuroscience</i>	2001	2005
Neuroscience	1999	2003
Developmental Mechanisms	2000	2004
Physiology and Ethnology	2002	2005
<i>Molecular and Cellular Biosciences</i>	2002	2005
Biomolecular Structure and Function	2000	2004
Biomolecular Processes	2000	2004
Cell Biology	2001	2005
Genetics	1999	2003

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COMPUTER AND INFORMATION SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING		
<i>Advanced Computational Infrastructure and Research</i>		
Advanced Computational Research	2001	2004
PACI	2002	2004
<i>Computer-Communications Research</i>		
Communications	2000	2003
Computer Systems Architecture	2000	2003
Design Automation	2000	2003
Hybrid and Embedded Systems (new in '02)	N/A	2006
Numeric, Symbolic and Geometric Computation	2000	2003
Operating Systems and Compilers	2000	2003
Signal Processing Systems	2000	2003
Software Engineering and Languages	2000	2003
Theory of Computing	2000	2003
Trusted Computing (new in '02)	N/A	2006
<i>Information and Intelligent Systems</i>		
Computation and Social Systems	1999	2003
Human Computer Interaction	1999	2003
Knowledge and Cognitive Systems	1999	2003
Robotics and Human Augmentation	1999	2003
Information and Data Management	1999	2003
<i>Advanced Networking Infrastructure and Research</i>		
Networking Research	2000	2003
Special Projects in Networking Research	2000	2003
Advanced Networking Infrastructure	2000	2003
<i>Information Technology Research (ITR) (new in '00)</i>	N/A	2003
<i>Experimental and Integrative Activities</i>	2001	2004
-Instrumentation Infrastructure Cluster		
Research Infrastructure	2001	2004
Research Resources (new in '02)	N/A	2004
-Multidisciplinary Research Cluster		
Biological Information Technology and Systems (new in '02)	N/A	2004
Quantum and Biologically Inspired Computing (new in '02)	N/A	2004
Digital Government	2001	2004
Next Generation Software	2001	2004
-Education Workforce Cluster		
Information Technology Workforce (new in '02)	N/A	2004
Minority Institutions Infrastructure	2001	2004
CISE Educational Innovation	2001	2004
**CISE Postdoctoral Research Associates	2001	

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-EIA Special Projects Cluster Special Projects (new in '02) **NSF-CONACyT Collaborative Research **NSF-CNPq Collaborative Research **EIA monitored, managed/reviewed by Division in Partnership with Engineering	N/A 2001 2001	2004
DIRECTORATE <i>Division</i> Program	Fiscal Year of Most Recent COV	Fiscal Year of Next COV
EDUCATION AND HUMAN RESOURCES		
<i>Educational Systemic Reform</i> Statewide Systemic Initiatives Urban Systemic Initiatives Rural Systemic Initiatives	2001 2001 2001	2004 2004 2004
<i>Office of Innovation Partnerships</i> Innovation Partnership Activities (new in '01) EPSCoR	N/A 2000	2004 2005
<i>Elementary, Secondary and Informal Education</i> Informal Science Education Teacher Enhancement Instructional Materials Development Centers for Learning and Teaching (new in '01)	2001 2000 2002 N/A	2005 2003 2005 2004
<i>Undergraduate Education</i> Teacher Preparation Advanced Technological Education NSF Computer, Science, Engineering and Mathematics Scholarships (new in '01) Distinguished Teaching Scholars (new in '02) Scholarship for Service (new in '01) National SMETE Digital Library (new in '01) Course, Curriculum, and Laboratory Improvement Undergraduate Assessment (new in '02) The STEM Talent Expansion Program (STEP)	2000 2000 N/A N/A N/A N/A 2000 N/A N/A	2003 2003 2003 2004 2005 2005 2003 2004 2005
<i>Graduate Education</i> Graduate Research Fellowships NATO Postdoctorate Fellowships IGERT (new in '97) GK-12 Fellows (new in '99)	1999 2001 2002 2002	2003 2004 2005 2005
<i>Human Resource Development</i> The Louis Stokes Alliances for Minority Participation Centers for Research Excellence In Science and Technology (CREST) Programs for Gender Equity (PGE) Programs for Persons with Disabilities (PPD) Alliances for Graduate Education and the Professoriate (AGEP) Tribal Colleges Program (TCP) (new in '01) Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU)	2001 2001 2000 2000 2001 N/A 2001	2005 2005 2003 2003 2005 2005 2005

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<i>Research, Evaluation & Communications</i>		
REPP/ROLE (new in '96)	2002	2005
Evaluation	2000	2003
Interagency Education Research Initiative (IERI) (new in '01)	2002	2005
<i>Other</i>		
H-IB VISA K-12	N/A	2004
Math and Science Partnership (MSP) (new in '02)	N/A	2005

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<i>Division</i>		
Program		
ENGINEERING		
<i>Bioengineering and Environmental Systems</i>	2002	2005
Biochemical Engineering	2002	2005
Biotechnology	2002	2005
Biomedical Engineering	2002	2005
Research to Aid the Disabled	2002	2005
Environmental Engineering	2002	2005
Environmental Technology	2002	2005
<i>Civil and Mechanical Systems</i>	2001	2004
Dynamic System Modeling, Sensing and Control	2001	2004
Geotechnical and GeoHazard Systems	2001	2004
Infrastructure and Information Systems	2001	2004
Solid Mechanics and Materials Engineering	2001	2004
Structural Systems and Engineering	2001	2004
Network for Earthquake Engineering Simulation	2001	2004
<i>Chemical and Transport Systems</i>		2003
Chemical Reaction Processes	2000	2003
Interfacial, Transport and Separation Processes	2000	2003
Fluid and Particle Processes	2000	2003
Thermal Systems	2000	2003
<i>Design, Manufacture and Industrial Innovation</i>		
-Engineering Decision Systems Programs (new in '02)	N/A	2003
Engineering Design	2000	2003
Manufacturing Enterprise Systems (new in '02)	N/A	2003
Service Enterprise Systems (new in '02)	N/A	2003
Operations Research	2000	2003
-Manufacturing Processes and Equipment Systems	2000	2003
Materials Processing and Manufacturing	2000	2003
Manufacturing Machines and Equipment	2000	2003
Nanomanufacturing (new in '02)	N/A	2003

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-Industrial Innovation Programs Cluster		
Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR)	2001	2004
Innovation and Organizational Change	2000	
Grant Opportunities for Academic Liaison with Industry	2000	2003
Small Business Technology Transfer	2001	2004
<i>Electrical and Communications Systems</i>		
Electronics, Photonics and Device Technologies	2002	2005
Control, Networks, and Computational Intelligence	2002	2005
Integrative Systems (new in '02)	2002	2005
<i>Engineering, Education and Centers</i>	2001	2004
Engineering Education	2001	2004
Engineering Research Centers	2001	2004
Earthquake Engineering Research Centers	2001	2004
Human Resource Development	2001	2004
State/Industry/University Cooperative Research Centers	2001	2004
Industry/Univ. Cooperative Research Centers	2001	2004

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<i>Division</i>		
Program		
GEOSCIENCES		
<i>Atmospheric Sciences</i>		
-Lower Atmosphere Research Section		
Atmospheric Chemistry	2001	2004
Climate Dynamics	2001	2004
Mesoscale Dynamic Meteorology	2001	2004
Large-scale Dynamic Meteorology	2001	2004
Physical Meteorology	2001	2004
Paleoclimate	2001	2004
-Upper Atmosphere Research Section		
Magnetospheric Physics	2002	2005
Aeronomy	2002	2005
Upper Atmospheric Research Facilities	2002	2005
Solar Terrestrial Research	2002	2005
-UCAR and Lower Atmospheric Facilities Oversight Section		
Lower Atmospheric Observing Facilities	2000	2003
UNIDATA	2000	2003
NCAR/UCAR	2000	2003
<i>Earth Sciences</i>		
Instrumentation and Facilities	2001	2004
-Research Support		
Tectonics	2002	2005
Geology and Paleontology	2002	2005
Hydrological Sciences	2002	2005
Petrology and Geochemistry	2002	2005
Geophysics	2002	2005

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Continental Dynamics	2002	2005
<i>Ocean Sciences</i>		
-Integrative Programs Section		
Oceanographic Technical Services	2002	2005
Ship Operations	2002	2005
Oceanographic Instrumentation	2002	2005
Ship Acquisitions and Upgrades (new in '02)	2002	2005
Shipboard Scientific Support Equipment (new in '02)	2002	2005
Oceanographic Tech and Interdisciplinary Coordination	1998	2003
-Marine Geosciences Section		
Marine Geology and Geophysics	1998	2003
Ocean Drilling	1994	2003
-Ocean Section		
Chemical Oceanography	1998	2003
Physical Oceanography	1998	2003
Biological Oceanography	1998	2003

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<i>Division</i> Program		
MATHEMATICAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES		
<i>Astronomical Sciences</i>		
Planetary Astronomy	2002	2005
Stellar Astronomy and Astrophysics	2002	2005
Galactic Astronomy	2002	2005
Education, Human Resources and Special Programs	2002	2005
Advanced Technologies and Instrumentation	2002	2005
Electromagnetic Spectrum Management	2002	2005
Extragalactic Astronomy and Cosmology	2002	2005
-Facilities Cluster		
Gemini 8-Meter Telescopes	2002	2005
National Radio Astronomy Observatory (NRAO)	2002	2005
National Optical Astronomy Observatories (NOAO)	2002	2005
National Astronomy and Ionosphere Center (NAIC)	2002	2005
<i>Chemistry</i>		
Office of Special Projects	2001	2004
Chemistry Research Instrumentation and Facilities (CRIF)	2001	2004
Organic Chemical Dynamics	2001	2004
Organic Synthesis	2001	2004
Chemistry of Materials	2001	2004
Theoretical and Computational Chemistry	2001	2004
Experimental Physical Chemistry	2001	2004
Inorganic, Bioinorganic and Organometallic Chemistry	2001	2004
Analytical and Surface Chemistry	2001	2004

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<i>Materials Research</i>	2002	2005
-Base Science Cluster		
Condensed Matter Physics	2002	2005
Solid-State Chemistry	2002	2005
Polymers	2002	2005
-Advanced Materials and Processing Cluster		
Metals	2002	2005
Ceramics	2002	2005
Electronic Materials	2002	2005
-Materials Research and Technology Enabling Cluster		
Materials Theory	2002	2005
Instrumentation for Materials Research	2002	2005
National Facilities	2002	2005
Materials Research Science and Engineering Centers	2002	2005
<i>Mathematical Sciences</i>	2001	2004
Applied Mathematics	2001	2004
Topology and Foundations	2001	2004
Computational Mathematics	2001	2004
Infrastructure	2001	2004
Geometric Analysis	2001	2004
Analysis	2001	2004
Algebra, Number Theory, and Combinatorics	2001	2004
Statistics and Probability	2001	2004
<i>Physics</i>	2000	
Atomic, Molecular, Optical and Plasma Physics	2000	2003
Elementary Particle Physics	2000	2003
Theoretical Physics	2000	2003
Particle and Nuclear Astrophysics (new in '00)	N/A	2003
Nuclear Physics	2000	2003
Education and Interdisciplinary Research (new in '00)	N/A	2003
Gravitational Physics	2000	2003

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<i>Division</i>		
<i>Program</i>		
SOCIAL, BEHAVIORAL, AND ECONOMIC SCIENCES		
<i>Office of International Science and Engineering (INT)</i>	2002	2005
<i>Science Resource Statistics (SRS) (new in '99)</i>		2004
-NSF-wide Programs Cluster		
CAREER	2001	TBD
ADVANCE (new in '01)		TBD
<i>Behavioral and Cognitive Sciences (BCS)</i>		2003
Archeology and Archaeometry	1999	2003
Child Learning and Development	1997	2003

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Cultural Anthropology	1999	2003
Linguistics	1999	2003
Human Cognition and Perception	1999	2003
Social Psychology	1999	2003
Physical Anthropology	1999	2003
Geography and Regional Sciences	1999	2003
<i>Social and Economic Sciences (SES)</i>		2004
Decision, Risk, and Management Sciences	2000	2004
Political Science	2000	2004
Law and Social Science	2000	2004
Innovation and Organizational Change	2000	2004
Methodology, Measurement and Statistics	2000	2004
Science and Technology Studies	2000	2004
Societal Dimensions of Engineering, Science, and Technology	2000	2004
Economics	2000	2004
Sociology	2000	2004

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OFFICE OF POLAR PROGRAMS		
<i>Polar Research Support</i>	2001	2004
<i>Antarctic Sciences</i>		2003
Antarctic Aeronomy and Astrophysics	2000	2003
Antarctic Biology and Medicine	2000	2003
Antarctic Geology and Geophysics	2000	2003
Antarctic Glaciology	2000	2003
Antarctic Ocean and Climate Systems	2000	2003
<i>Arctic Sciences</i>		2003
Arctic Research Opportunities	2000	2003
Arctic Research and Policy	2000	2003
Arctic System Sciences	2000	2003
Arctic Natural Sciences	2000	2003
Arctic Social Sciences	2000	2003

DIRECTORATE <i>Division</i> Program	Fiscal Year of Most Recent COV	Fiscal Year of Next COV
OFFICE OF INTEGRATIVE ACTIVITIES		
Major Research Instrumentation (MRI)	2000*	2007
Science and Technology Centers (STC)	1996*	
*External evaluations		