

9th Annual EPSCoR Conference
Advances in Research Through EPSCoR

Conference Agenda

Sunday, May 11

5:00 – 7:30PM Reception at Kentucky Basketball Museum in Rupp Arena
(next door to the Hyatt)

Monday, May 12

7:45AM-8:20AM Continental Breakfast

8:00AM Welcome/Registration desk open

8:20AM - 8:30AM Welcoming remarks: **Rick Kurzynske, Wimberly Royster**

8:30AM - 9:00AM: **Keynote address:**
Thomas D. Layzell, President,
Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education

9:00AM - 9:30AM: **DOD**
Keith Thompson, OSD DEPSCoR Program manager
"DEPSCoR - Getting Connected & Who's Doing What"

9:30AM-10:00AM: **DOE**
Joseph Rizzo, Harvard University
"Restoring Vision to the Blind with an Implantable Computer Chip
Device"

10:00AM-10:30AM Break

10:30AM-11:00AM **NSF**
Fae Korsmo, NSF Program Director
"Crossing the Boundaries at NSF: Trends in Interdisciplinary
Research Support"

11:00AM-11:30AM **EPA**
Patrick Hatcher, Ohio State University, Dept. of Chemistry
"Biomarkers for PAH Exposure, An Example of the Future of
Environmental Research"

11:30AM-12:00PM **NASA**
Edwin Prior, Deputy Director, Office of Education, NASA Langley
Research Center
"NASA Research Opportunities"

12:00PM	Lunch
1:00PM-4:00PM	Poster Session Open
1:30PM-4:30PM	Break-out Sessions <i>(Conducted by EPSCoR Subcommittee chairs)</i>
1:30 – 4:30	<u>NSF</u> John Connolly University of Kentucky
1:30 – 4:00	<u>DOD</u> Darrell Chenoweth University of Louisville
1:30 – 4:00	<u>EPA</u> David White Murray State University
1:30 – 4:00	<u>DOE</u> John Stencil University of Kentucky
1:30 – 4:00	<u>NASA</u> Richard Hackney Western Kentucky University