

# THE NATIONAL ACADEMIES

*Advisers to the Nation on Science, Engineering, and Medicine*

## **Thirteenth Meeting of the Committee on Science, Technology, and Law**

**Lecture Room  
The National Academies  
2100 Constitution Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC  
March 22-23, 2007**

### **AGENDA**

**Thursday, March 22, 2007**

#### **CLOSED SESSION**

**7:45** *Continental Breakfast*

**8:00** *Welcome and Introductions*

CSTL Co-chairs:

Donald Kennedy  
Richard A. Merrill

**8:10** *Conflict of Interest/Bias Discussion*

Richard Bissell, Executive Director, Policy and Global Affairs Division

#### **OPEN SESSION**

**9:00** *Reproductive Medicine: Is Regulation Needed?*

Speakers: Steve J. Ory, President, American Society for Reproductive Medicine  
John Robertson, Vinson & Elkins Chair, University of Texas School of Law  
Judith F. Daar, Professor of Law, Whittier Law School and Clinical Professor of  
Medicine, UC-Irvine College of Medicine

**11:00** *Trade Secrets and Voting Machines*

Speaker: Sam Hirsch, Partner, Jenner & Block

**12:00** *Lunch*

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## **1:00**    *Science and Regulation*

Speakers:        Jay Dyckman, Director, The Knowledge Project: Censorship and Science,  
National Coalition Against Censorship  
Jason Mazzone, Associate Professor of Law, Brooklyn Law School  
Tom McGarity, Joe R. and Teresa Lozano Long Endowed Chair in  
Administrative Law, University of Texas  
Jamie Conrad, Associate General Counsel, American Chemistry Council

## **3:00**    *Break*

## **3:15**    *Gene Patenting*

Speakers:        Xavier Becerra (D-CA)  
Lori B. Andrews, Distinguished Professor of Law; Director of the Institute for  
Science, Law and Technology; Associate Vice President, Chicago-Kent College  
of Law  
Hans Sauer, Associate General Counsel for Intellectual Property, Biotechnology  
Industry Organization

## **4:30**    *Briefings on Academy Reports*

*Scientific Review of the Proposed Risk Assessment Bulletin for the Office of Management and Budget*

*Asbestos: Selected Cancers*

*The Future of Drug Safety: Promoting and Protecting the Health of the Public*

## **5:15**    *Adjourn*

**5:30**    *Reception and Dinner – Members Room, National Academy of Sciences, 2100 C Street, NW*  
*Working Dinner to Discuss Future Projects and Activities*

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**8:30** **fMRI and Lie Detection: Is the Science There? Where Does the Law Stand?**

Speakers: Steven J. Laken, President and CEO, Cephus Corp.  
Nancy Kanwisher, Ellen Swallow Richards Professor of Cognitive Neuroscience,  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Hank Greely, Deanne F. and Kate Edelman Johnson Professor of Law, Stanford  
University

**10:30** *Break*

**10:45** *Defining a Legal and Regulatory Structure for Synthetic Biology*

Speakers: Richard A. Johnson, Partner, Arnold and Porter  
Drew Endy, Assistant Professor, Division of Biological Engineering,  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
R. Alta Charo, Warren P. Knowles Professor of Law & Bioethics,  
University of Wisconsin Law School (via conference call)

**12:30** *Lunch*

#### **Closed Session**

**1:30** *Update on Current Projects*

Science and Security – Richard A. Meserve  
Reference Manual on Scientific Evidence – Margaret Berger and Joe S. Cecil  
Forensic Sciences – Margaret A. Berger and Joe S. Cecil

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## *Discussion of Future Projects*

**3:00 Adjourn**