

# **THE NATIONAL ACADEMIES**

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

**Committee on a New Government-University Partnership for Science and Security  
Southern Regional Meeting**

**Hosted By  
Georgia Institute of Technology  
Emory University**

**Southeast Regional Center of Excellence for Biodefense and Emerging Infections  
Agenda**

Monday, June 5, 2006

9:00 Introductions and Purpose of Meeting

**Jacques S. Gansler and Alice P. Gast, Committee Co-chairs**

9:20 Welcome and Opening Remarks

**Jilda Diehl Garton, Associate Vice Provost for Research and General Manager, GTRC**

**G. Wayne Clough, President, Georgia Tech**

9:45 Keynote Address: Challenges and Opportunities for the Research University in National Security

**Frank Gaffney, Founder and President, Center for Security Policy**

10:15 Discussion

10:30 Break

10:45 Sensitive But Unclassified Information: Challenges for the Government

**Grace L. Mastalli, Director, Information Sharing and Collaboration, Department of Homeland Security**

11:10 Discussion

11:30 Classified Research on University Campus

**Stephen E. Cross, Vice President, Georgia Tech, and Director, Georgia Tech Research Institute**

12:00 Discussion

12:15 Lunch

1:30 Dual Use Life Sciences Research: Government Perspective

**Moderator: Ruth L. Berkelman**, Rollins Chair and Director of the Center for Public Health Preparedness and Research, Emory University

**Dennis M. Dixon**, Chief, Bacteriology and Mycology Branch, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases

**Lisa M. Lee**, Assistant Science Officer, Office of the Chief Science Officer, Centers for Disease Control

**Gretchen L. Lorenzi**, Intelligence Analyst, Federal Bureau of Investigations

**Carol D. Linden**, Senior Scientist, Office of Research and Development, Science and Technology Directorate, Department of Homeland Security

2:45 Discussion

3:15 Dual Use Life Sciences Research: Regulation or Self-Governance?

**Moderator: Richard Compans**, Professor and Chairman, Department of Microbiology Immunology, Emory University School of Medicine

**Elisa D. Harris**, Senior Research Scholar, Center for International and Security Studies at Maryland, University of Maryland

**Gigi Kwik Gronvall**, Associate, Center For Biosecurity; Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh

4:00 Discussion

4:30 Adjourn

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Tuesday, June 6

9:00 Welcome: **Jacques S. Gansler and Alice P. Gast**, Committee Co-chairs

9:10 Concerns of the Academic Community

**Moderator: Paul Gilman**, Director, Oak Ridge Center for Advanced Studies

Biodefense-Policy, Ethics, and Law

**Robert Cook-Deegan**, Director, IGSP Center for Genome Ethics, Law and Policy, Duke University

Challenges for Institutional Biosafety Committee

**Gary Miller**, Associate Professor, Department of Environmental and Occupational Health, Rollins School of Public Health, Emory University

Implications for Distance Learning and Professional Education

**William J. Wepfer**, Vice Provost, Georgia Tech

Export Controls

**Gary K. Bertsch**, University Professor of Public and International Affairs, and Director, Center for International Trade and Security, University of Georgia

10:15 Discussion

10:45 Break

11:00 Deemed Exports and Academic Research

**David McCormick**, Undersecretary, Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce

11:15 Discussion

12:00 Adjourn