

**Committee on Closing the Equity Gap: Revitalizing Stem Education and Workforce
Readiness Programs in the Nation's Minority-Serving Institutions
Committee Meeting 1**

April 10, 2017

Meeting Location

The National Academies' Keck Center
Room 201
500 5th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20001

Open Session Agenda

- 1:00 Welcome, Introductions, and Opening Remarks
Kent McGuire, Committee Chair
- 1:10
- Introductory Remarks
 - **Kenneth Wright**
*Policy Advisor
Office of Science and Technology Policy
Executive Office of the President*
 - **Ja'Ron K. Smith**
*Director of Urban Affairs and Revitalization Policy
Domestic Policy Council
Executive Office of the President*
 - Remarks from Sponsor Organizations
 - **Elizabeth Boylan**
*Program Director, Programs on STEM Higher Education
Alfred P. Sloan Foundation*
 - **Mary K. Blanusa (via WebEx)**
*Program Officer, Education
The Leona M. and Harry B. Helmsley Charitable Trust*
 - **Carol S. Jimenez**
*Acting Director, Deputy Director
Office of Minority Health
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services*
 - Question and Answer Session with Committee and Sponsors
 - Public Comment Period
- 3:00 Adjourn Open Session