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**First Meeting of the Committee on Assessing the Minerva Research Initiative
and the Contribution of Social Science to Addressing Security Concerns**

The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine
National Academy of Sciences Building, Room 120
2101 Constitution Ave., N.W., Washington D.C.
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TUESDAY, JANUARY 16

PUBLIC SESSION

- 10:45-10:55 Introductions
Allen Schirm, Committee Chair, Mathematica Policy Research (retired)
- 10:55-11:05 Welcome on behalf of the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and
Medicine
*Barbara Wanchisen, Director, Board on Behavioral, Cognitive, and Sensory
Sciences*
- 11:05-11:20 Welcome on behalf of the Department of Defense and discussion of study goals
Bindu Nair, Basic Research Office
- 11:20-12:15 Detailed discussion of the committee's charge
*Lisa Troyer, Program Manager, Social and Behavioral Sciences, Army Research
Office*
- 12:15-1:05 Working lunch to continue discussion of the charge
Lunch delivered outside of the meeting room
- 1:05-2:50 Overview of the Minerva Research Initiative
*Lisa Troyer, Army Research Office
David Montgomery, University of Maryland*
- 2:50-3:05 Coffee break

- 3:05-4:05 Discussion of the Minerva grants
Martin Kruger, Office of Naval Research
Gary Kollmorgen, SETA Contractor; GSK Inc.
Benjamin Knott, Air Force Office of Scientific Research
Lisa Troyer, Army Research Office
- 4:05-4:20 Perspectives on the Minerva Research Initiative
Kaleb Redden, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy
- 4:20-4:50 Revisit the study goals and charge--questions from the committee
- 4:50-5:00 Floor discussion
- 5:00 ADJOURN PUBLIC SESSION