

Seventh Annual NSF Robert Noyce Teacher Scholarship Program Conference  
*Building Excellence in STEM Teaching*  
Washington, DC – May 23-25, 2012  
Conference Agenda

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 2012

- 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm    **Museum Tours for Scholars and Fellows (optional)**  
*(Grand Registration)*
- 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm    **New Awardees Session with National Science Foundation (NSF)**  
*(Mount Vernon Square)*  
Joan Prival, *Noyce Lead Program Director, Division of Undergraduate Education (DUE), NSF*  
Mary Lee Ledbetter, *Program Director, DUE, NSF*  
**Noyce Monitoring System**  
*Chris Griffith, ICF International*
- 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm    **Registration (Grand Registration)**  
**Poster Setup (Renaissance Ballroom)**

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 2012

- 7:00 am - 8:00 am    **Registration (Grand Registration)**  
**Poster Setup (Renaissance Ballroom)**  
**Continental Breakfast (Foyer Grand Ballroom North)**
- 8:00 am - 9:00 am    **Opening and Welcome:**  
*(Grand Ballroom North & Central)*  
Joan Prival, *Noyce Lead Program Director, DUE, NSF*  
Katherine J. Denniston, *Acting Division Director, DUE, NSF*  
Alan I. Leshner, *Chief Executive Officer, AAAS and Executive Publisher, Science*  
**Introduction:**  
Joan Ferrini-Mundy, *Assistant Director, Directorate for Education and Human Resources, NSF*  
**Plenary Speaker:**  
Carl Wieman, *Associate Director for Science, White House Office of Science and Technology Policy*
- 9:15 am - 10:30 am    **Concurrent Workshops: Session I**  
*(Meeting Rooms 2-15)*

10:45 am - 11:45 am **Panel: Voices from the Field**  
(Grand Ballroom North & Central)

**Moderator:**

V. Celeste Carter, *Program Director, DUE, NSF*

**Panelists: (Scholars)**

Jessie Campbell, *Luella High School, Locust Grove, GA*

Mindy Chapell, *Jane Adams High, Chicago, IL*

Ginnie Chu, *Pine High School and Grace High School, Santa Rosa, CA*

Emily Koehler, *De Smet High School, De Smet, SD*

Jamario Twitty, *Lakeview Middle School, Greenville, SC*

Abner Zorilla, *Community Academy of Science and Health, Boston, MA*

12:00 pm - 1:30 pm **Lunch and Keynote**  
(Grand Ballroom North & Central)

**Keynote: "Enabled, Engaged, Empowered: The K-12 Student Vision for Personalized Learning and STEM Education"**

**Introduction:**

Lee Zia, *Program Director, DUE, NSF*

**Keynote Speaker:**

Julie Evans, *Chief Executive Officer, Project Tomorrow*

1:30 pm - 2:45 pm **Poster Session 1**  
(Renaissance Ballroom)

3:00 pm - 4:15 pm **Concurrent Workshops: Session II**  
(Meeting Rooms 2-15)

4:30 pm - 5:45 pm **Poster Session 2**  
(Renaissance Ballroom)

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm **Reception and Networking**  
(Grand Ballroom South)

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 2012

7:00 am - 8:00 am **Continental Breakfast**  
(Foyer Grand Ballroom North)

**Remove Poster Boards**

(Renaissance Ballroom)

8:00 am - 9:00 am **Plenary Session**  
(Grand Ballroom North & Central)

**Introduction:**

Shirley M. Malcom, *Director, EHR, AAAS*

**Plenary Speaker:**

James H. Shelton III, *Assistant Deputy Secretary for Innovation and Improvement, U. S. Department of Education*

9:10 am - 10:25 am **Concurrent Workshops - Session III**  
(Meeting Rooms 2-15)

10:35 am - 11: 50 am **Concurrent Workshops - Session IV**  
(Meeting Rooms 2-15)

12:00 pm - 12:45 pm **Plenary and Closing Remarks**  
(Grand Ballroom North & Central)

**Plenary:**

***“Catalyzing Partnerships for Developing STEM Outreach Programs”***

**Introduction:**

Shirley M. Malcom, *Director, EHR, AAAS*

**Plenary Speaker:**

Lynford L. Goddard, *Assistant Professor, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Illinois, Urbana*

**Closing Remarks:**

Joan Prival, *Noyce Lead Program Director, DUE, NSF*

12:45 pm **Conference Adjourns**

1:00 pm - 2:30 pm **Museum Tours for Scholars and Fellows (optional)**  
(Grand Registration - Grand Ballroom Level)