R&D in FY 1986: Outlook for the Next Four Years

Tenth Annual AAAS Colloquium on R&D Policy

3 & 4 April 1985

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- Discussion will be based on AAAS Report X: Research and Development, FY 1986, a timely and comprehensive analysis of the proposals for R&D in the FY 1986 budget, prepared by AAAS and a group of its affiliated scientific, engineering, and higher education associations. Registrants will also receive Proceedings following the Colloquium and Congressional Action on R&D in the FY 1986 Budget in the fall.
- Trends and prospects for R&D in defense, energy, health, space, and other areas will be explored by leaders from industry, universities, agencies of the federal government, Congress, the White House, and the scientific and engineering communities.
- Perspectives will be provided on topics such as deficits and the overall budget climate, R&D and industrial innovation, government organization for science and technology, public and private roles in research, and strategies for governmentindustry-university cooperation.

For further details, write: R&D Colloquium, AAAS Office of Public Sector Programs, 1776 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036

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Wednesday, 3 April

8:00 a.m. Registration

8:45 a.m. Welcome

David A. Hamburg, President, AAAS; and President, Carnegie Corporation

Overview of R&D in the FY 1986 Budget

Willis H. Shapley, Consultant to AAAS for the R&D Budget Project Stephen D. Nelson, Manager, Science Policy

Studies, AAAS

9:30 a.m. **R&D in FY 1986: Budgetary and** Policy Context

Administration proposals for R&D • New initiatives and highlights • Overall budget and economic context • R&D community perspectives

Moderator:

J. Thomas Ratchford, Associate Executive Officer, AAAS

Speakers:

George A. Keyworth, II, Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy, Executive Office of the President

Frank Press, President, National Academy of Sciences

Speaker from Office of Management and Budget to be announced.

12:30 p.m. Luncheon

Presiding:

Patricia McFate, Chair, Committee on Science, Engineering and Public Policy, AAAS; President, American Scandinavian Foundation

Address:

Robin Nicholson, Chief Scientific Advisor to the Prime Minister of Great Britain

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2:15 p.m. Public and Private Sector Roles in R&D

Federal policies toward private sector
R&D ● Climate for industry R&D ●
Tax incentives ● Antitrust policies
● Federal R&D cutbacks ● Universityindustry research relationships● Factors influencing entrepreneurship

Moderator:

To be announced

Speakers:

Arno A. Penzias, Vice President for Research, Bell Laboratories

Alexander MacLachlan, Director, Central Research and Development Department, E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co.

Robert M. Goodman, Vice President of Research and Development, Calgene

Additional speaker to be announced.

4:30 p.m. Agency Perspectives on R&D in the FY 1986 Budget

Simultaneous small group sessions

Highlights of major agency R&D budgets
Congressional reactions
Opportunities for questions and discussion

Department of Defense

Speaker:

Leo Young, Director, Research and Laboratory Management, Office of the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering

Discussant:

To be announced

Department of Energy

Speaker:

Joel A. Snow, Director, Science and Technology Affairs, Office of Energy Research, DOE

Discussant:

Bill Harvey, Staff Director, Subcommittee on Energy Development and Applications, House Committee on Science and Technology

National Aeronautics and Space Administration

Speaker:

Frank B. McDonald, Chief Scientist, NASA

Discussant:

To be announced

National Institutes of Health

Speaker:

Norman Mansfield, Director, Division of Financial Management, NIH

Discussant:

David N. Sundwall, Professional Staff Member, Senate Committee on Labor and Human Resources

National Science Foundation

Speaker: Edward F. Hayes, Comptroller, NSF

Discussant:

Ezra Heitowit, Staff Director, Subcommittee on Science, Research and Technology, House Committee on Science and Technology

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Speaker:

John Carey, Director, Office of Budget and Finance, NOAA

Discussant:

To be announced

U.S. Department of Agriculture

Speaker:

Orville G. Bentley, Assistant Secretary for Science and Education Administration, USDA

Discussant:

Skip Stiles, Administrative Assistant, Office of Representative George E. Brown, Jr.

6:00 p.m. Reception

Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres • AAAS host

Thursday, 4 April

7:45 a.m. Breakfast

Presiding: To be announced

Speaker:

Manuel Lujan, Member, U.S. House of Representatives; Ranking Minority Member, House Committee on Science and Technology

9:00 a.m. Institutional Impacts: Initiatives and Reforms

University research in difficult times • Future directions for major R&D agencies
State and local science and technology activities

Moderator:

Albert H. Teich, Head, Office of Public Sector Programs, AAAS

Speakers:

Linda S. Wilson, Associate Vice Chancellor for Research and Associate Dean of the Graduate College, University of Illinois

Erich Bloch, Director, National Science Foundation

James Wyngaarden, Director, National Institutes of Health

12:15 p.m. Reception

Cocktails • Cash bar

12:45 p.m. Luncheon

Presiding:

Gerard Piel, President-elect, AAAS; and Chairman, Scientific American, Inc.

Speaker:

Richard Bolling, Former Member, U.S. House of Representatives

Concluding Remarks: William D. Carey, Executive Officer, AAAS

2:30 p.m. Adjournment