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**Committee on Increasing Diversity and Inclusion in the Leadership of  
Competed Space Missions  
Meeting #7**

June 30, 2021  
Public Agenda

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**Wednesday June 30th**

- 1:00 p.m.     **Meeting Welcome**  
*Fran Bagenal*, Study Co-Chair
- 1:05 p.m.     **NASA Strategies to Enhance DEIA in Internal and External STEM  
Programs and Activities (2006-2016)**  
*Brenda Manuel*, Former Associate Administrator for Diversity and Equal  
Opportunity, NASA
- 1:30 p.m.     **Q&A**
- 1:45 p.m.     **NASA Policies and Programs for STEM Engagement and for Addressing  
DEIA in STEM**  
Moderator: *Christopher Newman*, Committee Member
- *Elaine Ho*, Deputy Associate Administrator for STEM Engagement Program,  
Office of STEM Engagement, NASA
  - *Kris Brown*, Deputy Associate Administrator for Strategy & Integration,  
Office of STEM Engagement, NASA
  - *Torry Johnson*, Program Manager, Office of STEM Engagement, NASA
  - *Richard Gilmore*, Education Programs Specialist/Evaluation Manager, NASA
  - *Phil Sakimoto*, Director of Academic Excellence, University of Notre Dame  
and Former Program Manager of Space Science Education and Public  
Outreach, NASA
- 2:55 pm     **Q&A**

- 3:15 p.m.      **Break**
- 3:30 p.m.      **Policies and Programs for STEM Public Engagement at the Department of Defense**  
*Louie Lopez*, Director of DoD STEM, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Research & Engineering, Department of Defense
- 3:50 p.m.      **Q&A**
- 4:00 p.m.      **Adjourn Open Session**

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