Committee on Seismology and Geodynamics

Spring Meeting May 8-9, 2017 Keck Center 500 5th St NW Washington, DC 20001

AGENDA

Monday, May 8 – Room 206

CLOSED SESSION – Committee and Staff Only: 8:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

10:30 a.m. Discussion with Sponsors and Relevant Federal Agencies

- What are current sponsor interests?
- What are present and future challenges?
- Update on important agency activities since last mtg

Jill Franks and Mike Blanpied, USGS Ben Phillips, NASA Jim Rustad, DOE Greg Anderson, NSF Rick Murray, NSF Neil Weston, NOAA

Noon Working lunch

1:00 p.m. **Communicating the Value of Geoscience to Society**

- How do professional societies go about educating policymakers/public of value of geosciences to society?
- What efforts are already in place?
- How does geophysics fit within the broader role of communicating the value of geoscience?

Kasey White, GSA Maeve Boland, AGI Liz Landau, AGU Elizabeth Duffy, Federal Affairs Office

3:00 p.m. Open session adjourns