



AISES Government Relations Council Meeting Washington, D.C. - July 25th, 2007

Title: Non-Traditional Pipeline Recruitment

Recruitment, Employment and Advancing AISES & American Indians/Alaska Natives (AI/AN) in Federal Agencies

Emcee: Carl Etsitty, EPA

- 8:30 a.m. Registration
- 9:00 a.m. Welcome/Greetings Pam Silas, Executive Director, AISES
- 9:15 a.m. Blessing Richard Regan, USDA
- Self Introduction of Meeting Participants (Name, Title, Agency)
- 9:30 a.m. Hosting Agency: USDA- Welcome –USDA & Tribal Relations
Patrick Atagi, Director, Office of Native American Programs
- 9:45 a.m. Bill Valdez, Director, Workforce Development for Teachers & Scientists
Office of Science,
DOE Presentation on emerging technology in Indian Country
- 10:00 a.m. Richard Regan, Departmental American Indian/Alaska Native Employment
Program Manager, Office of Diversity, Office of the Assistant Secretary for
Civil Rights
Employment Statistics and ways to overcome the statistics)
- 10:30 a.m. BREAK
- 10:45 a.m. Cross Cultural A likeness – “Giveaway”: Networking, Appreciation, Respect,
Rites of Passage, etc.
- 11:15 a.m. Film and Discussion: REACH for Diversity
- 12:00 p.m. WORKING LUNCH (Presentation TBD) – Lunch courtesy of USDA
- 1:00 p.m. Shirley LaCourse, Program Officer, AISES (Utilizing AISES National
Conference) (General presentation on AISES)
- Interactive Town Hall Discussion: Working for the Government
- 1:30 p.m. Moderator: Andrew Duff
Co-Moderators:
Monica Zuray – NASA
Edie Morgieu – NRCS
Fred Clarke – U.S. Forest Service

3:15 p.m. Break

3:30 p.m. Open discussion – Where do we go from here—GRC business

4:00 p.m. Closing Remarks – Maxine Hillary, USDA