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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2021

- 2:00 – 2:05 p.m.** **Welcome**
Moderator: **Alex Krigstein, University of Florida**
- 2:05 – 2:45 p.m.** **Congressional Outlook for Cures 2.0 and ARPA-H**
Speakers: **Rep. Diana DeGette (D-CO-01)**
 Rep. Fred Upton (R-MI-06)
Introductions: **Heather Bene, University of Colorado**
 Kristina Ko, University of Michigan
Moderator: **Dr. Aimee Grace, University of Hawaii**
- 2:45 – 3:15 p.m.** **Administration Update on ARPA-H**
Speaker: **Dr. Tara A. Schwetz, Assistant Director for Biomedical Science Initiatives, Office of Science and Technology Policy [Invited]**
Resources: [Science Magazine: ARPA -H: Accelerating Biomedical Breakthroughs](#)
Moderator: **Lizbet Boroughs, AAU**
- 3:15 – 3:30 p.m.** **BREAK**
- 3:30 – 4:00 p.m.** **Agency Perspective on ARPA-C and Climate Science**
Speaker: **Dr. Ali Nouri, Assistant Secretary for Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs, Department of Energy**
Moderator: **John Latini, Penn State University**
- 4:00 – 4:30 p.m.** **Congressional Perspective on Climate and Energy Research**
Speaker: **Dr. Aaron Goldner, Professional Staff, Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development**
Moderator: **Rachana Shah, Director of Federal and State Relations, Pace University**
- 4:30 – 5:00 p.m.** **Discussion: CFR/CGA/TSC Debrief and Outlook for Federal Research Investments**
Moderator: **Alex Krigstein, University of Florida**
 Dianne Miller, Cornell University
 John Latini, Penn State University
- 5:00 p.m.** **ADJOURN**