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Explore the relationship between materials scientists and the science policy community at this one-day symposium that provides real-world examples and first-hand experiences from program managers, administrators, academic researchers, industry professionals, former Congressional Science & Engineering Fellows, and congressional consultants working in science policy.

This symposium will focus on the interconnection between the scientific community and science policies, the common obstacles that should be addressed in order to move forward with future research, and how science policy decisions affect the various scientific and engineering communities.

**PLANNED PRESENTERS**



"Role of Public- Private Initiatives in Scientific Research"  
**Alan Taub**, Senior Technical Advisor, Lightweight Innovations for Tomorrow (LIFT) and University of Michigan



"Program Management in a Federal Agency"  
**John Vetrano**, Office of Basic Energy Sciences, Department of Energy



"The Interplay of Materials Research, Advocacy, and Policy Development"  
**Charles Ward**, Air Force Research Laboratory



"Advocating the Vital Importance of Support for Materials Research and Engineering Education"  
**Iver Anderson**, Ames Laboratory



"Opportunities and Trends in Materials Engineering Research Funding at the National Science Foundation"  
**Alexis Lewis**, National Science Foundation



"How Science Policy Really Gets Done in Congress"  
**Scott Litzelman**, 2017-2018 Congressional Science & Engineering Fellow



"The MGI and Materials Research Policy"  
**James Warren**, National Institute of Standards and Technology



"From the Lab to The Hill: How to Get a Job in Policy and What You'll Do When You Get There"  
**Edward Herderick**, The Ohio State University, 2009-2010 Congressional Science & Engineering Fellow

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