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**Advancing Energy Science & Technology
Through Partnerships**
A Workshop to Initiate and Develop Multi-institutional Research Teams

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Hosted by
Brookhaven National Laboratory (BNL)

When: Wednesday, May 30 & Thursday, May 31, 2001

What: The workshop is designed to give researchers from the EPSCoR states and the DOE National Laboratories an opportunity to meet with leading experts, to share their own work, and develop multi-institutional research collaborations. There will be eight focus areas featured at the meeting, which represent areas of research excellence in the host laboratory, including:

- Materials Science, Condensed Matter Physics and Materials Chemistry
- Chemistry, Catalysis and Fuel Cells
- Instrumentation Engineering and Accelerator Physics
- High Energy Physics and Accelerator Physics
- Advanced Computing
- Energy Technology and Renewables
- Atmospheric Sciences
- Biology and Medicine (Structural Biology, Genomics, Imaging, and Radiation Responses)

In addition to these breakout areas, there will be tours of BNL's national user facilities.

Who: The workshop provides a meeting place for researchers and research administrators from universities in those states (and Puerto Rico) that participate in the EPSCoR program, from the DOE national laboratories, and from historically minority-serving universities and colleges.

Why: The primary purpose of the workshop is to stimulate and facilitate research collaborations among researchers from EPSCoR States and DOE Laboratories. It should also provide participants with a better understanding of DOE research priorities and help them to become more competitive for mainstream funding. We also intend to give EPSCoR State Coordinators the chance to meet laboratory EPSCoR and diversity representatives in parallel sessions.

Registration: Registration for attending the conference can be done on-line. Since the number of participants is limited, those interested in attending must have the endorsement of their DOE or NSF EPSCoR State Contact listed below, or be recommended by their DOE Laboratory Director. It is recommended that investigators interested in attending, should first notify their EPSCoR State Contact / Laboratory Director prior to registering and submitting an abstract. Following registration, EPSCoR State Contacts will be notified by email.

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