



NSF Engineering Research Center for **Cell Manufacturing Technologies (CMaT)**
Agenda for First Annual Site Visit (Year Two)

Lead University

Georgia Institute of Technology

Partner Universities

University of Georgia, University of Wisconsin-Madison, University of Puerto Rico at Mayagüez
University of Pennsylvania, Emory University, Gladstone Institutes, Michigan Technological University
University of Oregon, CCRM – Toronto, National University of Ireland Galway, Osaka University

*Unless otherwise indicated, all meetings will take place at
the Marcus Nanotechnology Building, Room 1116-1118 – Georgia Tech, Atlanta, GA*

Sunday, February 24

- 2:00 TBD Trainee activity
Petit Institute (IBB) Room 1128
- 4:00 All are invited to keynote by patient advocate, Amy Kappen
Petit Institute (IBB) Room 1128
- 6:00 Dinner at Kuroshio – **Must RSVP to andrea.soyland@ibb.gatech.edu**
950 West Peachtree Street Northwest, Atlanta, GA 30309
- 7:30-8:30 Trainee networking event with industry
Kuroshio

Monday, February 25

- 6:50 Van departs from hotel with NSF Site Visit Team (SVT)
- 7:00-7:30 Check in, breakfast and poster viewing
- 7:30-7:45 Welcome and site visit team introductions
Georgia Tech President: G.P. “Bud” Peterson
Georgia Tech Executive Vice President for Research: Chaouki Abdallah
Council of Deans: Donald Leo, Steven McLaughlin, Ian Robertson, and Agustín Rullán
- 7:45-8:30 Director’s overview (35 mins + 10 min Q/A)
Krish Roy and Johnna Temenoff
- 8:30-8:45 Break
- 8:45-10:30 Research program by Thrusts with Test-bed updates included

- 8:45-9:00 *Research Program Strategic Plan and Key Accomplishments in Y1 – Sean Palecek (10 mins + 5 mins Q/A)*
- 9:00-9:15 *Thrust 1 Overview – Melissa Kemp*
- 9:15-9:30 *Thrust 2 Overview – Andrés García*
- 9:30-9:45 *Thrust 3 Overview – Randy Ashton*
- 9:45-10:10 *Deep Dive into one cross-cutting Test-Bed project – Krish Roy, Wandaliz Torres-García, Ben Wang and Chip White*
- 10:10-10:30 *Q/A for all Thrusts and Test-beds*
- 10:30-10:35 Group Photo
Meet in Atrium
- 10:35-11:45 Poster session & Pilot Manufacturing Facility Tour
- 11:45-12:30 NSF SVT Executive Session #1
Closed Door Session - Petit Institute (IBB) Room 1128
Break for everyone else
- 12:30-1:20 Lunch
- 1:20-1:30 Break + Come back to presentation room
Room 1116-1118
- 1:30-2:00 Innovation Ecosystem (20 mins + 10 mins Q/A)
Carl Rust and Carolyn Yeago
- 2:00-2:50 NSF SVT Private meeting with industry partners
Closed Door Session - Room 1116-1118
Break for everyone else
- 2:50-3:00 Break + Come back to Main Presentation Room
Room 1116-1118
- 3:00-3:30 Engineering Workforce Development (20 mins + 10 mins Q/A)
Aaron Levine, Agnes Padovani, and James Warnock
- 3:30-4:00 Diversity and Inclusion (20 mins + 10 mins Q/A)
Felicia Benton-Johnson and Mary Fitzpatrick
- 4:00-4:20 Assessment (15 mins + 5 mins Q/A)
Lizanne Destefano
- 4:20-4:30 Break
- 4:30-5:15 NSF SVT Private meeting with CMaT ERC trainees
Closed Door Session - Room 1116-1118
Break for everyone else
- 4:30-4:45 *SLC presentation – Katie Mueller (10 mins + 5 mins Q/A)*
- 4:45-5:15 *Discussion*

- 5:15-6:30 NSF SVT Executive Session #2
Closed Door Session - Petit Institute (IBB) Room 1128
Break for CMaT Leadership Team, all others are dismissed
5:15-5:30 NSF SVT meets with CMaT leadership team to debrief
5:30-6:30 NSF SVT works on overnight questions
- 6:30 NSF SVT delivery of overnight questions to CMaT leadership team
- 6:45 Van departs to take NSF SVT to hotel
NSF SVT will meet together in executive session for dinner and discussions
- 6:45 CMaT Leadership Team collaborates to respond to overnight questions

Tuesday, February 26*

**CMaT Leadership Team and NSF SVT Only*

- 7:15 Van departs from hotel with the site visit team
- 7:30-8:30 NSF SVT breakfast with Deans, Director, and Deputy Director
Petit Institute (IBB) Room 1128
- 8:30-9:30 Response to overnight questions presentations
Marcus Nanotechnology Building Room 1116-1118
- 9:30-4:00 NSF SVT – report writing
Petit Institute (IBB) Room 1128