

Annual Conference Agenda June 7- 8, 2018

Thursday, June 7				
McKimmon Center				
8:00am	Registration & Coffee			
8:30am	Introduction	Dr. Louis Martin-Vega, Dean of the College of		
		Engineering, NCSU		
8:40am	Welcome	Dr. Randy Woodson, Chancellor, NCSU		
9:00am	FREEDM Overview	Dr. Iqbal Husain, Director, FREEDM		
9:30am	Graduate Education Programs	Dr. Mesut Baran, Professor and College		
		Education Program Director, FREEDM		
9:40am	FREEDM Innovations	FREEDM Faculty		
10:00am	Break			
10:30am	FREEDM Innovations	FREEDM Faculty		
11:30am	National Science Foundation Presentation	Dr. Carmiña Londoño, National Science		
		Foundation		
11:45am	Industry Speaker	Dr. Iulian Nistor, Department Manager,		
		Corporate Research, ABB		
12:00pm	Lunch and Networking			
1:00pm	Introduction to Perfect Pitch	Susan Sanford, Executive Director, Research		
		Triangle Cleantech Cluster		
1:10pm	Perfect Pitch Contest	FREEDM Students		
1:30pm	Grid Resiliency	Faculty and Industry Panel		
2:15pm	Education and Workforce	Dr. Pam Carpenter, Director of Education and		
		Workforce Development, FREEDM		
2:25pm	Alumni Speaker	Likhita Ravuri, Research Electrical Engineer,		
		Voltserver		
2:35pm	FREEDM and Power America	Dr. Dan Stancil, Department Head, Electrical		
		and Computer Engineering, NCSU		
2:50pm	Break			
3:05pm	Energy Priorities for Department of Defense	Joseph Corrigan, Senior Advisor, Kelley Drye &		
	Installations	Warren, LLP		
3:45pm	Research Project Summaries	FREEDM PhD Candidates		
4:30pm	Poster Session			
5:30pm	Transition to Alumni Center			

FREEDM 10 Year Celebration Reception				
The Dorothy and Roy Park Alumni Center				
6:00pm- 8:00pm	Reception & Dinner with Guest Speaker	Nelson Peeler, Senior Vice President,		
		Duke Energy		



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8:00am	Registration and Coffee			
8:30am	Introduction	Dr. Iqbal Husain, Director, FREEDM		
8:40am	Alumni Speaker	Kat Sico, Substation Engineer, Duke Energy		
8:50am	Communications and Analytics	Faculty and Industry Panel		
9:30am	Alumni Speaker	Arvind Govindaraj, Hardware Engineer, Verily		
		(Google Life Sciences)		
9:40am	Power Electronics on the Grid	Faculty and Industry Panel		
10:20am	Break			
10:40am	Advances in EV Deployment	Faculty and Industry Panel		
11:20am	NC Storage Project Update	Dr. Joe DeCarolis, Associate Professor, NCSU		
		Civil Engineering		
11:40am	Faculty Research Highlights	Lunch with your favorite researcher		
12:00pm	Lunch and Transition to Lab			

Keystone Science Center				
1:00pm- 2:30pm	Review of Simulation Lab, High Bay and Low Bay	Keystone Science Center		