

## NSRC National Science Education Leadership Development Forum

March 18, 2009

## NSRC NATIONAL SCIENCE EDUCATION LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT FORUM

The National Science Resources Center (NSRC) of the Smithsonian Institution and the National Academies is launching a new NSRC National Science Education Leadership Development Forum series in 2009 to build upon and advance its two decades of work with more than 5,000 leaders representing 30% of the U.S. student population.

### ***THE SERIES***

The NSRC National Science Education Leadership Development Forums are a series of leadership development and networking programs that coincide with the National Science Teachers Association's National Conference. The NSRC Science Education Leadership Development Forums are designed to disseminate information about research and promising practices with a different content focus each year.

### ***GOALS***

The NSRC National Science Education Leadership Development Forums are designed to accomplish the following:

- Disseminate research studies from the National Research Council to hundreds of leaders to support the improvement of pre-college science education;
- Provide a forum for leaders to meet and exchange information about effective science education reform strategies and resources;
- Sustain and expand an active network of informed professionals representing the education and scientific communities working to improve K-12 science teaching and learning;
- Showcase and recognize exemplary science education programs; and
- Discuss the evidence of impact of science education reform while reviewing lessons learned.

### REGISTRATION

The registration fee is the following:

\$75.00 before December 15, 2008.

\$100.00 before February 1, 2008

\$125.00 before March 6, 2008.

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### 2009 PROGRAM

The 2009 program focuses on high school science education:

- Research on adolescent cognitive development and motivation as it applies to learning for high school students;
- Research about “high schools that work”; and
- Examination and discussion of current strategies being employed to reform high school science programs

### ***2009 PROGRAM DATE***

Wednesday, March 18, 2009

Registration 12:00 p.m.

Program 1:00 p.m.

Reception 6:30 pm.

Dinner 7:15 p.m.

W Hotel  
333 Poydras Street  
New Orleans, Louisiana