



TEXAS REGIONAL COLLABORATIVES FOR EXCELLENCE IN SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS TEACHING

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SCIENCE PROJECT DIRECTORS MEETING

Wednesday, February 10, 2010
8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (Lunch will be provided)
Hilton Austin Airport Hotel, Austin, Texas

PRESENTERS

Texas Regional Collaboratives

Kamil A. Jbeily, Ph.D., Executive Director
Carol Fletcher, Ph.D., Assistant Director/R&D Coordinator
Mary Hobbs, Ph.D., Coordinator for Science Initiatives
Marsha Willis, Ph.D., Professional Development Coordinator
Keith Mitchell, Ph.D., Coordinator for Technology Initiatives
Todd Sherron, Ph.D., Evaluation Coordinator
Jeff Early, Manager of Central Operations
Ginger Gibson, Manager of External Operations
Karl Hereim, Contracts and Grants Specialist

Texas Education Agency

Anne Vexler, Manager, Math and Science Partnerships
Kenn Heydrick, Ed.D., Director of Science
Irene Pickhardt, Assistant Director of Science

AGENDA

Welcome and Introductions	Kamil A. Jbeily
Business Items	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reporting and Evaluation ▪ Sixteenth Annual Meeting Update ▪ Status of 2009-2010 Invoicing & Amendments ▪ Introducing Karl Hereim 	Todd Sherron Carol Fletcher, Jeff Early Ginger Gibson Karl Hereim
Greetings and Updates from the Texas Education Agency	Anne Vexler, Kenn Heydrick Irene Pickhardt
PDA Updates	Mary Hobbs, Marsha Willis
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fire Ant Epidemiology—An Environmental Science PDA ▪ Imagine Mars—An Art/Science Integration PDA ▪ Making Science Accessible for English Learners ▪ TXESS Revolution 	
Update on Special Projects	Carol Fletcher
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Physics Research Project ▪ SECO ▪ UT Austin Summer Writing Series 	
Technology Update	Keith Mitchell
Roundtable Discussion	Mary Hobbs
Generating a Wish List for General Session Speakers and other Annual Meeting Events and Activities	

UPCOMING EVENTS AND DEADLINES

February 25-27, 2010	TXESS Revolution PDA #6 Cohort C
March 1, 2010	TRC Advisory Board Meeting
March 1-2, 2010	Making Science Accessible for English Learners
March 11, 2010	2009-2010 MSP Interim Report B due with Invoice #2
April 12-13, 2010	Imagine Mars PDA
April 14, 2010	Science Project Directors Meeting
May 10-12, 2010	Fire Ant Epidemiology PDA
June 10, 2010	2009-2010 MSP Interim Report C due with Invoice #3
June 28, 2010	Science and Mathematics Project Directors Meeting
June 29-July 1, 2010	TRC Sixteenth Annual Meeting