SAN ANTONIO NANOTECHNOLOGY FORUM (SANTF)

2nd ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Expanding the Frontiers of Nanotechnology in San Antonio and South-Central Texas

Date: **February 21st, 2014**
Location: **HUC Ball Room, UTSA**

Program Schedule:

8.30 – 9.00 AM:	Registration/Coffee/Refreshments
Session I:	**Inauguration of the Forum, Welcoming Remarks, Invited Presentations**
Session Chair:	**Qiaoying Zhou (Joy), Northwest Vista College, San Antonio**
9.00 – 9.20 AM:	Welcoming remarks: Dr. Shadaram, Acting Dean, College of Engineering, UTSA.
	Program Overview: Dr. Madhavrao Govindaraju, Dept of Mechanical Engineering, UTSA.
9.20 – 9.45 AM:	Nanotechnology for Energy Conversion and Storage, **Prof. Vinayak Dravid**, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL 60208
9.50-10.15:	Applications of Nanotechnology to Biomedicine at Southwest Research Institute, **Dr. Stephen T. Wellinghoff, Ph.D.,** Southwest Research Institute, San Antonio
10.20 -10.45:	Translational Imaging Studies of Nanoparticle Drug Delivery, **Prof. Beth A. Goins, Ph.D.,** University of Texas Health Science Center San Antonio (UTHSCSA), San Antonio
10.50 – 11.20:	Coffee Break/Poster Session
Session II:	**Session Chair: Prof. Arturo Ayon, Department of Physics and Astronomy**
11.20 – 11.45:	**Prof. Rena Bizios, Ph.D.,** Peter T. Flawn Professor, Department of Biomedical Engineering, The University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX 78249.
11.45 – 12.10:	2 Minute presentations by Poster Presenters
12.10 – 1.15 PM	Lunch/Poster Session [Posters available throughout lunch]
Session III:	**Session Chair: Vasiliki (Vicky) Zorbas Poenitzsch, Southwest Research Institute, San Antonio.**
1.15 PM:	**Prof. Gary Beall**, Texas State University "*The Business Challenges of Nanotechnology*"
1.45 PM – 3.15 PM:	Panel Discussion [How and Where to get assistance in developing business]
	Panel members: **Stephen Frayser**, Director STAR Park, Texas State University, **Stephen Squires**, President & CEO, Quantum Materials Corp., **York Duncan**, President Texas Research & Technology Foundation, and **Bert Quintanilla**, Hydro Enviro Clean, Corpus Christie, Texas.
3.15 PM:	**Concluding Remarks: Prof. Randolph Glickman, UTHSCSA, San Antonio.**
3.30 PM:	Optional Tour of UTSA Laboratory Facilities.