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# Visiting Committee on Advanced Technology October 16-17, 2012

## **Dr. Patrick Gallagher**

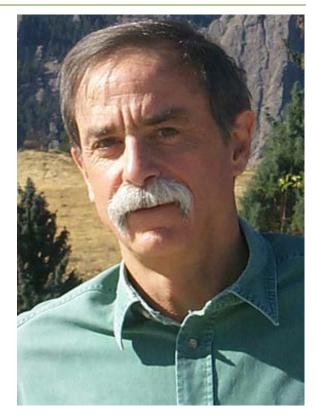
Under Secretary of Commerce for Standards and Technology and NIST Director



# Congratulations Dr. Wineland! – NIST's 4<sup>th</sup> Nobel Laureate

On October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2012, National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) physicist David Wineland received a **Nobel Prize in Physics** 

- Co-awarded with Serge Haroche, College de France, Paris, France
- "for ground-breaking experimental methods that enable measuring and manipulation of individual quantum systems"
- Award ceremony to be held on December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2012



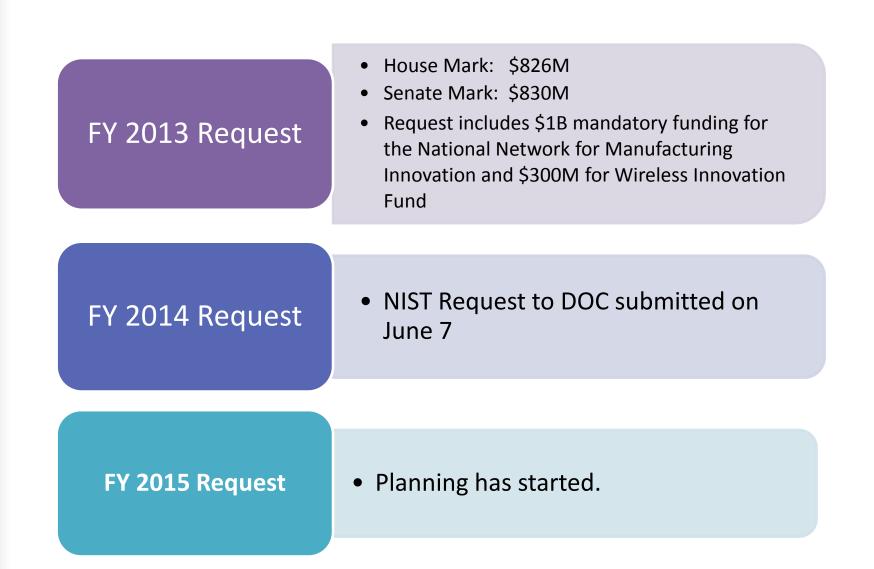
## Awards

On September 13, 2012, National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) physicist Jacob Taylor received **a Samuel J. Heyman Service to America Medal** 

- Advanced scientific research, with potential for advances in health care, communications, computing, and technology.
- Presented by Acting Commerce Secretary Rebecca Blank
- Taylor was one of just nine winners chosen from nearly 400 nominees for awards honoring excellence in public service.



# **Budget Update**



# **Program Updates -- Smart Grid**

NIST sponsored Smart Grid Interoperability Panel (SGIP)

- Starting January 1<sup>st</sup>, will become fully private entity referred to as "SGIP 2.0"
- Tax-exempt, not-for-profit membership organization
- NIST will provide limited funding through cooperative agreement
- NIST will maintain seat on technical committee
- NIST personnel will lead the SGIP Cyber Security Working Group





# SHA-3 Cryptographic Hash Algorithm Competition

SHA-3 competition originally announced on November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2007 in response to advances in the cryptanalysis of hash algorithms

- Received 64 submission from cryptographers from around the world by October, 2008
- Through internal review and public feedback, 5 finalists announced on December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2010

NIST/ITL Announces KECCAK as winner on October 2<sup>nd</sup>

• Will augment algorithms currently specified in FIPS 180-4, Secure Hash Standard



## **National Cybersecurity Center of Excellence**

- National Cybersecurity Center of Excellence (NCCoE)
  - Center will undertake carefully developed use cases and associated technology implementations for the proposed solutions to resolve cybersecurity challenges through teams of public and private sector experts
  - \$10M received in FY2012 to establish a privatepublic partnership to operate the center
  - \$10M for FY2013/2014 planned
  - Currently exploring a Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) as possible governance structure







## Program Updates -- National Strategy for Trusted Identities in Cyberspace (NSTIC)

- National Strategy for Trusted Identities in Cyberspace (April 2011)
- National Program Office (interagency)
- Identity Ecosystem Steering Group (private sector)

#### September 20<sup>th</sup>, over \$9M in pilot awards to 5 organizations

- The American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators (AAMVA) (Va.): \$1,621,803
- Criterion Systems (Va.): \$1,977,732
- Daon, Inc. (Va.): \$1,821,520
- Resilient Network Systems, Inc. (Calif.): \$1,999,371
- University Corporation for Advanced Internet Development (UCAID) (Mich.): \$1,840,263

## New Issues -- Center for Advanced Communications Technology (CACT)

- NIST is in planning stages with DOC to create a center for Advanced Communications
- The Center will provide unique infrastructure available to Government and industry partners for the testing research, and standards capabilities needed to address spectrum sharing and other advanced communication technology challenges
- A potential role of the Center being discussed is the coordination of a National test-bed infrastructure, that would align multiple federal test-range capabilities to meet national need

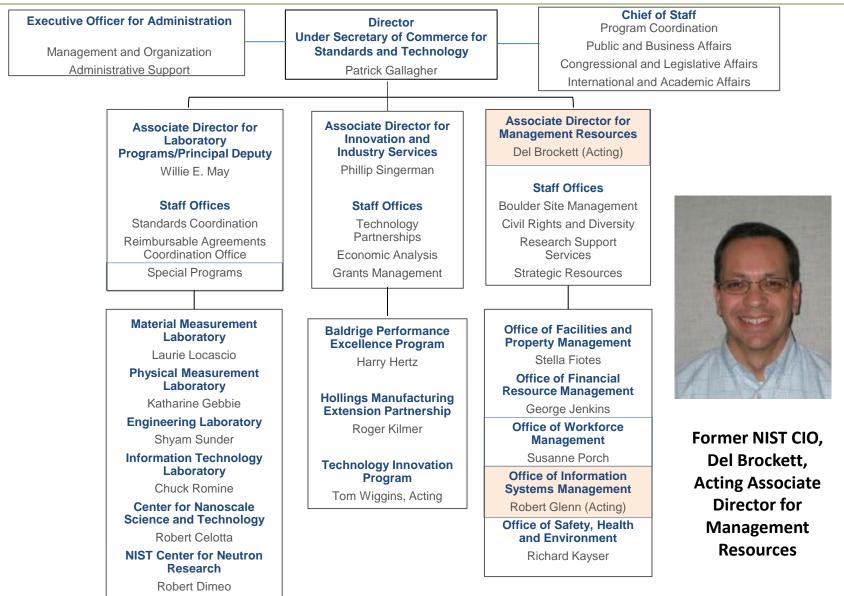


# Manufacturing portfolio



- MEP program
- NIST Laboratory Program
  - NRC review
  - Mission alignment
- Baldrige
- AMTech
- NNMI

# Organization



## **New Issues -- Business of NIST**

- "Safety-like" transformation of NIST business practices involving fund transfers: acquisitions, grants, and interagency agreements.
- Revision of the NIST working capital fund collection to provide a budget for indirect funded activities
- New budget planning process for indirect accounts, and new service level agreements for programs.
- Plan to make changes starting this fiscal year (2013)



# **VCAT Meeting Agenda Review**

### <u>Day 1</u>

- Call to Order, Announcements, VCAT Business Vinton Cerf, VCAT Chair
- Agenda Review and NIST Update
  Pat Gallagher, Under Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology and NIST Director
- Review Activities of the VCAT Subcommittee on Safety Tony Haymet, Chair, VCAT Subcommittee on Safety
- Visit by David Wineland 2012 Nobel Laureate in Physics
- NIST on a Chip: Revolution in Measurement Services Thomas O'Brian, Chief, Time and Frequency Division and Quantum Physics Division, Physical Measurement Laboratory (PML), NIST

#### • NIST Chip-scale Atomic Sensors

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#### • Tour of Quantum Voltage Laboratory

Samuel Benz, NIST Fellow, Quantum Electronic and Photonics Division, PML, NIST

#### Tour of the Public Safety Communications Research Demonstration Network Dereck Orr, Program Manager, Public Safety Communications Research, Law Enforcement Standards Office, NIST

- Update on NIST Centers of Excellence Program Jason Boehm, Director of the NIST Program Coordination Office
- Update on Technology Transfer
  Phillip Singerman, Associate Director for Industry and Innovation Services, NIST

#### • Tour of NIST Precision Measurement Laboratory

Mike Kelley, Acting Director, NIST Boulder Laboratory Operations

# **VCAT Meeting Agenda Review**

## <u>Day 2</u>

- Overview of NIST Portfolio of Manufacturing Programs
  Pat Gallagher, Under Secretary of Commerce for Science and Technology and NIST
  Director
- Summary of National Research Council's (NRC) Report on A Review of the Manufacturing-Related Programs at NIST
   Kanti Jain, Chair, NRC Panel on Review of the Manufacturing-Related Programs at NIST
- Update on the Administration's Advanced Manufacturing Initiatives Phillip Singerman, Associate Director, Innovation and Industry Services, NIST
- Discussion of White Paper and Potential Recommendations Moderated by Pat Gallagher and Alan Taub
- Wrap Up and Discussion of Recommendations and Path Forward for the 2012 Annual Report Vint Cerf, VCAT Chair