

**Preliminary Program**  
March 9, 2004

- 3:00 p.m. **Council Business Session**  
6:00 p.m. **Reception**
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**High-Performance Computing Forum**  
**Library of Congress, Member's Room**  
March 10, 2004

*All speakers have been confirmed*

- 8:00 a.m. **Welcoming Remarks**  
Win Phillips, Chair of the ORAU Council  
Ronald D. Townsend, President of ORAU
- 8:10 a.m. **High Performance Computing—A National Priority**  
Congressman Zach Wamp  
Vice Chair of the Energy and Water Development Subcommittee  
House Appropriations Committee
- 8:30 a.m. **Nanotechnology/Materials**  
Uzi Landman  
Regents' and Institute Professor, School of Physics  
Georgia Tech
- Q&A Session**
- 9:05 a.m. **Perspective of University Presidents**  
Introductions—Charles L. Liotta, Chair, ORAU Board of Directors  
G. Wayne Clough, President, Georgia Tech  
Karen A. Holbrook, President, The Ohio State University
- 9:40 a.m. **Global Climate**  
Warren Washington  
Senior Scientist, Climate Change Research Section  
National Center for Atmospheric Research
- Q & A Session**
- 10:15 a.m. **Morning Break**
- 10:30 a.m. **High Performance Computing: University-National Lab Partnerships**  
Introduction—Thomas Zacharia, Associate Lab Director,  
Oak Ridge National Laboratory  
Jeff Wadsworth, Director, Oak Ridge National Laboratory
- 11:00 a.m. **National Vision for High Performance Computing**  
Ray Orbach  
Director, Office of Science, Department of Energy

11:30 p.m. **Political Roundtable**  
Moderated by Congressman Zach Wamp  
with invited House Members

12:15 p.m. **Remarks**  
Senator Lamar Alexander, Tennessee

12:30 p.m. **Lunch**

**Keynote Speaker**

John H. Marburger, III; Director  
Office of Science and Technology Policy  
Executive Office of the President

1:30 p.m. **Computational Biology**  
John Wooley, Associate Vice Chancellor for Research  
University of California San Diego

**Q & A Session**

2:05 p.m. **Network Infrastructure**  
Ron Hutchins, Georgia Tech, Chief Technology Officer

2:30 p.m. **Panel Response—Science and Technology  
Innovation/Economic Development**  
Moderator: Bill Madia, Executive Vice President of Laboratory  
Operations, Battelle Memorial Institute

**Panel Members**

Peter Freeman, Associate Director, Computer and Information  
Science and Engineering, National Science Foundation  
Deborah Wince-Smith, President, Council on Competitiveness  
Additional Panel Members TBA

3:15 p.m. **Closing Comments**  
Win Phillips, Chair of the ORAU Council