

**AGENDA**  
**PHYSICS AND ASTRONOMY COUNCIL MEETING**  
**MAY 17, 2003**

- 8:30 Refreshments (Rooms 250-252 Scheman)
- 8:50 Welcome *C. Duke & E. Rosenberg*
- 9:00 State of the Department including the department  
external review and initial recommendations *E. Rosenberg*
- 10:00 Physics of the Early Universe *F. Krennrich*
- 10:30 Break
- 11:00 New faculty member: *Alex Travasset –  
My research*
- 11:30 New Directions in Physics Education -- *D. Meltzer*
- 12:00 Recent faculty addition: *Guillermo Gonzalez –  
My research*
- 12:30 Lunch (Rooms 260-262)

Meeting reconvenes in Rooms 250-252

- 1:30 Brief full committee discussion of external review  
as preparation for committee meetings
- 1:45 Committee meetings
- 3:00 Break
- 3:30 Committee reports and discussion (15 minutes each)  
General discussion and agenda planning for the coming year
- 4:30 Election of officers and other committee business
- 6:00 Cash Bar (Lounge area outside rooms 260-262)
- 7:00 Council Dinner (Rooms 260-262)