

*Huntsville and the TVC*

*Smart.Innovative.Collaborative.*

**Agenda**

**May 31-June 1, 2017 • U.S. Space and Rocket Center • Huntsville, Ala.**

**TVC Leadership Council**

**CNS Y-12, NASA, ORNL, University of Tennessee, TVA,**

**Tennessee Tech, ORAU, UCOR, U.S. Space & Rocket Center, Teledyne Brown**

**Wednesday, May 31:**

**11 a.m. Exhibit Area and Registration Open in Davidson Center**

**1:30 to 3:15 p.m. Session I: NASA and the TVC’s Space Corridor**

**Presenting Sponsor: Teledyne Brown Engineering**

**Host: Steve Cope, TVC Board Chair &**

**director, Marketing and Public Relations, Avion Solutions, Inc.**

*Learn about the impact that NASA Marshall Space Flight Center has made throughout the five-state TVC region particularly focusing on its partnerships with the Air force’s Arnold Engineering Development Center in Tullahoma, private contractors, colleges and universities.*

Remarks: Mark Gradkowski, executive vice president of Strategic Business Development

and Acquisitions, Teledyne Brown Engineering, Inc. & Teledyne Energy Systems

Speakers: Dr. Deborah Barnhart, president/CEO, U.S. Space & Rocket Center

Todd May, director, NASA Marshall Space Flight Center

Panel Moderator: Dr. Deborah Barnhart

Panelists: Dr. Mark Mehalic, executive director, Arnold Engineering Development Complex

Dr. Ben Malphrus, director, Space Science Center, Morehead State

Dr. Mark Whorton, executive director, UT Space Institute

Chris Crumbly, vice president of Business Development for Civil and Commercial Space, Teledyne Brown Engineering

**3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Session II: Huntsville—The Sky is Not the Limit**

**Presenting Sponsor: Cummings Research Park**

**Host: Jim Jolliffe, TVC Board Member & president, Jolliffe Consulting**

*Find out the “rest” of Huntsville’s remarkable story of economic progress, public/private partnership and support for important federal missions at Redstone Arsenal.*

Guest Entrepreneur: Mark Becnel, president, RadioBro Corporation

Remarks: Erin Koshut, director, Cummings Research Park

Speakers: John Hamilton, city administrator, City of Huntsville

Mayor Tommy Battle, City of Huntsville

Panel Moderator: Lucia Cape, senior vice president, Economic Development, Industry Relations &

Workforce, Chamber of Commerce, Huntsville/Madison County

Panelists: Dr. Howard Jacob, executive vice president for Genomic Medicine,

HudsonAlpha Institute for Biotechnology

Dr. Tom Koshut, associate vice president of Research, University of Alabama in

Huntsville

Gary Bolton, vice president of Global Marketing, ADTRAN

David Fernandes, president, Toyota Motor Manufacturing Alabama, Inc.

**6 to 7:15 p.m. Dinner: TVC-Smart. Innovative. Collaborative.**

**Presenting Sponsor: Jacobs**

Welcome: Steve Cope

Dale Strong, chairman, Madison County Commission

Mayor Paul Finley, City of Madison, AL

Remarks: Ward Johnson, senior vice president/general manager, Aerospace and

Technology, Jacobs

Speakers: U.S. Senator Bob Corker (TN) via video

Congressman Chuck Fleischmann (TN-3)

Congressman Mo Brooks (AL-5)

Alabama Governor Kay Ivey

**7:30 to 8:45 p.m. Leadership Council and Sponsors Reception**

**Presenting Sponsor: U.S. Space and Rocket Center**

\*Invitation Only

**Thursday, June 1:**

**7:15 a.m.: Networking Breakfast in Exhibit Area**

**8 to 10 a.m. Session III: TVC Communities Driving Innovation and Entrepreneurship**

**Presenting Sponsor: Dynetics**

**Host: Joel Duling, TVC Executive Committee Member &**

**president, Nuclear Fuel Services**

*Gain insight from community, institutional and organizational leaders from throughout the TVC about locally based strategies and programs to create new jobs and economic growth by leveraging talent and resources from our federal investments through innovation and entrepreneurship.*

Guest Entrepreneur: Melissa Kreis-Stephens, founder/CEO, Tomboy Organic Skincare Co.

Remarks: Steve Cook, vice president, Corporate Development, Dynetics

Speakers: Tom Baumbach, chief technical officer, Dynetics

Dr. Angeline Godwin, president, Patrick Henry Community College

Panel Moderator: John Morris, chief operating officer, ImmersaCAD

Panelists: Dr. Phil Oldham, president, Tennessee Tech University

John Joseph, director, Decatur Corridor Development

Ken Hays, president/CEO, The Enterprise Center, Chattanooga

Tom Rogers, director of Industrial Partnerships and Economic Development, Oak

Ridge National Laboratory

**10:30 to 12:15 p.m. Session IV: Federal Missions Fueling the TVC Economy**

**Presenting Sponsor: Aerojet Rocketdyne**

**Host: Andy Page, TVC Board Member &**

**president/CEO Oak Ridge Associated Universities**

*Hear from representatives of TVC’s federal programs, contractors and communities about the impact our federal missions have in meeting our country’s science, national security, technology and environmental cleanup challenges through engagement with our region’s talent and resources giving special emphasis to small businesses.*

Guest Entrepreneur: Tony Bova, co-founder, Grow Bioplastics

Remarks: Julie Van Kleeck, vice president Advanced Space and Launch Programs, Aerojet

Rocketdyne

Speaker: Fran Williams, chief operating officer, UCOR

Remarks: Teresa Robbins, deputy manager, National Nuclear Security Administration

Production Office

Speaker: Bill Tindal, vice president and site manager, CNS Y-12

Panel Moderator: Dr. Stacey Patterson, associate vice president of Research, UT

Panelists: Jay Stowe, senior vice president of Distributed Energy Resources, Tennessee

Valley Authority

Paul Robinson, chief, Energy Division, USACE Huntsville Engineering & Support Center, Army Corps of Engineers

Kelly McGuire, chief, Science & Technology Support Division, Center Support Directorate, U. S. Army Aviation and Missile Research Development and Engineering Center

Dr. Bob Gibson, associate director for Strategic Partnerships, Scientific

Assessment Workforce Development Program, Oak Ridge Associated Universities

**12:30 to 2:30 p.m. TVC Leaders Luncheon: Honoring the TVC Leadership Council**

**Host: Steve Cope**

*The Summit wraps-up by showcasing and honoring the companies and organizations that are members of the TVC Leadership Council by highlighting the special role they play in making our region one of America’s most important science, technology and national security Centers of Excellence.*

Guest Entrepreneur: Edward Crowley, founder/CEO, Photizo Group

Remarks: Mike Arms, TVC Board Chair-Elect, partner, Tennessee Strategies

Speakers: Liz Porter, senior vice president, Federal Energy and Environment, Leidos

Dr. Thomas Zacharia, deputy director for Science and Technology, ORNL

Captain Barry E. Wilmore, U.S. Navy, NASA Astronaut

Closing Remarks: Steve Cope