

NATIONAL LEADERSHIP THROUGH REGIONAL COOPERATION**WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 2024****9:00 AM - 12:00 PM****SUMMIT EXHIBIT SET-UP**

Vanderbilt Student Life Center Ballroom

10:00 AM**SUMMIT REGISTRATION OPENS**

Vanderbilt Student Life Center Foyer

1:00 PM**SUMMIT OPENING & WELCOME**

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Mark Gradkowski, *TVC Board Chair***Nathan Green**, *Vice Chancellor, Vanderbilt University***GENERAL SESSION ONE: 1:15 - 3:00 PM****ENSURING AMERICA'S SECURITY & GLOBAL LEADERSHIP**

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HOST:**Nathan Green**, *Vice Chancellor, Vanderbilt University***REMARKS BY:****U.S. Congressman Mark Green** (TN-7)**U.S. Senator Bill Hagerty****PRESENTATIONS BY:****Corey Hinderstein**, *Acting Principal Deputy Administrator, National Nuclear Security Administration***Major General Brett Sylvia**, *Commanding General, 101st Airborne, Fort Campbell***PANEL DISCUSSION:****Moderator: Sean Williams**, *CEO & President, Protection Strategies, Inc.***Dr. Douglas Adams**, *Associate Provost, National Security Programs, Vanderbilt University***James Andes**, *Director of National Security Initiatives, University of Tennessee Knoxville***Bryan McCloskey**, *Assistant Special Agent In Charge, Federal Bureau of Investigation***Martin Williamson**, *Senior Director of Global Security and Strategic Partnerships, CNS/Y-12 National Security Complex***GENERAL SESSION TWO: 3:30 - 5:00 PM****FORGING TOMORROW'S ADVANCED ENERGY SOLUTIONS**

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HOST:**Jeff Cornett**, *Manager, Economic Development & Industrial Partnerships, Oak Ridge National Laboratory***REMARKS BY:****U.S. Senator Marsha Blackburn****U.S. Congressman Chuck Fleischmann** (TN-3)**PRESENTATION BY:****Don Moul**, *Executive Vice President & Chief Operating Officer, Tennessee Valley Authority***PANEL DISCUSSION:****Moderator: Tracy Boatner**, *President, East Tennessee Economic Council***Don Moul**, *Tennessee Valley Authority***Ken Rueter**, *President and Chief Executive Officer, UCOR***Jeff Smith**, *Vice President for National Labs, The University of Tennessee System***Michael Walton**, *Managing Partner, Energy Transition Finance***SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT: 5:00 - 5:30 PM****DEPENDABLE AI FOR NATIONAL SECURITY**

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HOST:**Adam DeMella**, *AMM Strategies***BRIEF REMARKS BY:****U.S. Congressman Chuck Fleischmann** (TN-3)**Moe Khaleel**, *Associate Lab Director, National Security Sciences Directorate, Oak Ridge National Laboratory***Dr. Ryan Luley**, *Information Warfare Division, U.S. Air Force Research Laboratory***Dr. Padma Raghavan**, *Vice Provost for Research & Innovation, Vanderbilt University***5:30 - 7:00 PM****SUMMIT RECEPTION**

Vanderbilt Student Life Center Foyer & Exhibit Area

NATIONAL LEADERSHIP THROUGH REGIONAL COOPERATION**THURSDAY, MAY 30, 2024****7:30 - 8:15 AM****CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**

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GENERAL SESSION THREE: 8:15 - 10:30 AM**DISCOVERING THROUGH SCIENCE, RESEARCH, & SPACE**

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HOST:

Dr. Rodney Robertson, Director for
Corporate Engagement, Auburn University
Applied Research Institute

UNIVERSITY ROUNDTABLE:

Moderator: Andy Page, President & Chief Executive
Officer, Oak Ridge Associated Universities

Randy Boyd, President, The University of
Tennessee System

Dr. Robert Lindquist, Vice President for Research
& Economic Development, The University of Alabama
in Huntsville

Dr. Cybele Raver, Provost & Vice Chancellor of
Academic Affairs, Vanderbilt University

Dr. Steve Taylor, Senior Vice President for Research
and Economic Development, Auburn University

PRESENTATIONS BY:

Dr. Stephen Streiffer, Director, Oak Ridge
National Laboratory

Joseph Pelfrey, Director, NASA Marshall Space
Flight Center

Kevin Muckerheide, Deputy Director,
Arnold Engineering Development Complex

PANEL DISCUSSION:

Moderator: Dr. Terry Saltsman, Chief Government
Affairs Officer, Tennessee Tech University

Danna Bailey, Chief Communications Officer,
Chattanooga Quantum Collaborative

Shaun Gleason, Director, Science-Security Initiative
Integration, Oak Ridge National Laboratory

Jim Ingraham, Vice President, Strategic Research,
EPB Chattanooga

Dr. Tony Skjellum, Professor of Computer Science,
Tennessee Tech University

GENERAL SESSION FOUR: 10:45 AM - 12:00 PM**DRIVING INNOVATION & JOB CREATION IN
TRANSPORTATION & MOBILITY**

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HOST:

John Morris, Director, Moser Center for Entrepreneurial
Leadership, Carson Newman University

PRESENTATION BY:

Commissioner Stuart McWhorter, Tennessee
Department of Economic & Community Development

PANEL DISCUSSION:

Moderator: Betsey Kirk McCall, President & Chief
Executive Officer, Seven States Power Corporation

Will Barbour, Senior Research Scientist,
Vanderbilt University

Dr. Deborah Crawford, Vice Chancellor for Research,
Innovation & Economic Development, University of
Tennessee Knoxville

Kent O'Hara, President, 4R & Battery Business,
Nissan Group of Americas

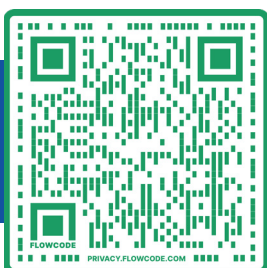
12:00 - 12:15 PM**CLOSING REMARKS**

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Mark Gradkowski, TVC Board Chair

Lonnie Lawson, President & CEO, Center for
Rural Development

Congressman Chuck Fleischmann (TN-3)

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AGENDA ONLINE**