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From: Stacey, Gary
Sent: Tuesday, January 17, 2012 11:27 AM
To: Josh Campbell
Cc: Thompson, James E.; Naufel, Brenna R.; Weston, Katherine Amanda
Subject: Re: Presentation topics for Senator McCaskill's visit to Columbia, Jan. 16

Josh

Sounds great. Congrats on putting this together

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 17, 2012, at 9:17 AM, "Josh Campbell" <Josh@moenergy.org> wrote:

> Good morning,
> I would first like to thank you for working with MEI to help provide
> the Senator with a balanced and engaging learning experience. I spoke
> with the Senator's office last night to follow up and see how they
> felt the event went. The Senator was appreciative and supportive of
> the Universities participation and work. There was a lot of
> information shared and the Senator was very interested in several
> projects and issues that were addressed here and nowhere else.
> Specifically, the Senator was very interested in the cost savings from
> Dr. Baker's research and Dr. Suppes's plea to keep the spent nuclear fuel here in Missouri for future energy use.
> The attendee's included: Boone Electric, Dr. Smith (Mo S&T), Angie
> Rolufs (Mo S&T), Dr. Suppes (Univ. Mo), Dr. Duncan (Univ. Mo), Dr. Baker (Univ.
> Mo), Dr. Westhoff (FAPRI), Melvin Schebaum (MFA), Floyd Gilzow (MPUA),
> City of Columbia Power and Light.
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> There was significant media presence (coverage is below)
> http://www.missourinet.com/2012/01/17/senator-mccaskill-heads-up-energy-y-talk-s-throughout-missouri-video-audio/?utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=twitter&utm_campaign=Feed%3A+MissouriNews+%28Missourinet+News%29
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> <http://www.columbiaindependant.com/stories/2012/01/16/senator-mccaskill-discusses-future-members-energy-sector/>
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> <http://www.columbiatribune.com/weblogs/between-party-lines/2012/jan/17/mccaskill-talks-tough-at-end-of-energy-tour/>
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> If you have further questions please let me know.
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: Stacey, Gary [mailto:stacey@missouri.edu]
> Sent: Tuesday, January 17, 2012 9:17 AM
> To: Thompson, James E.; Josh Campbell
> Cc: Thompson, James E.; Naufel, Brenna R.; Weston, Katherine Amanda
> Subject: Re: Presentation topics for Senator McCaskill's visit to
> Columbia, Jan. 16
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> I am out of town
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> Josh. Let us know how the event went
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> Gary
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> Sent from my iPhone
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> On Jan 17, 2012, at 5:22 AM, "Thompson, James E."
> <ThompsonJE@missouri.edu<mailto:ThompsonJE@missouri.edu>> wrote:
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> Gary,
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> Who participated in Sen. McCaskill's Columbia event? Was it successful?
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> Jim
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> From: Stacey, Gary

> Sent: Tuesday, January 10, 2012 12:33 PM
> To: Josh Campbell (Josh@moenergy.org<mailto:Josh@moenergy.org>);
> Knorr, Steve
> Cc: Manring, Noah D.; Reed, Robert E.; Deng, Baolin; Thompson, James
> E.; Payne, Thomas L. (CAFNR); Linit, Marc J.; Westhoff, Patrick;
> Duncan, Robert V. (Vice Chancellor of Research)
> Subject: RE: Presentation topics for Senator McCaskill's visit to
> Columbia, Jan. 16
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> Josh
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> See the email below that provides some good suggestions from Dean
> Thompson for faculty to invite to the McCaskill meeting. I would
> especially encourage you to invite some women to participate. I have
> copied this email to various folks on campus that can help you finalize this list.
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> To the list from Dean Thompson, I would add the other possibilities.
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> 1. Leon Schumacher, funded by the State for a major project focused on
> energy efficiency on farms. Also a recognized expert on biofuels.
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> 2. Jinglu Tan, chair of our biological engineering department who
> could provide an overview of several efforts in that department
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> 3. Pat Westhoff from FAPRI who is a recognized expert on the economics
> of energy, especially bioenergy
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> 4. Bill Miller from our Nuclear Engineering department who can provide
> an excellent perspective on this topic and also describe all of the
> things going on around our nuclear reactor, etc.
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> 5. Someone from our power plant. I believe Steve Knorr has already been
> in touch with these folks.
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> 6. Shubhra Gangopadhyay.(female) expert in nanotechnology, especially
> solar
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> The challenge now will be coming up with a final list that includes a
> good cross section, including the business folks you are soliciting. I
> would recommend no more that 12-15 in order that everyone can have a
> few minutes in the hour slot that is available.
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> Sorry that I cannot be of more help but I am off this coming Thursday
> for the West Coast. However, I know that these University folks will
> help as they can and I trust that you can coordinate with McCaskill's
> office to make sure this happens.
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> I have copied various folks on the email who can provide further
> information. At this point, no one of the list has been contacted with
> regard to their availability. I thought this was best done once you
> know who you actually want to invite to participate.

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> I have also copied Rob Duncan, our VC for research. He is the best one
> to get a representative there from the Israeli company, now at our
> business incubator, that is working on energy from cold fusion. He may
> also have other ideas.
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> I also copied Steve Knorr who heads up our legislative liaison office
> and he will want to be involved.
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> Best regards.
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> Gary
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> From: Naufel, Brenna R. On Behalf Of Thompson, James E.
> Sent: Tuesday, January 10, 2012 10:05 AM
> To: Stacey, Gary
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> Subject: Presentation topics for Senator McCaskill's visit to Columbia, Jan.
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> Memorandum
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> Date: January 10, 2012
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> To: Gary Stacey, Director, Center for Sustainable Energy
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> CC: Noah Manring, Interim Chair of Electrical and Computer
> Engineering
> Baolin Deng, Chair of Chemical Engineering
> Bob Reed, Research Associate Professor
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> From: Jim Thompson, Dean, College of Engineering
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> Subject: Presentation topics for Senator McCaskill's visit to
> Columbia, January 16
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> I received excellent input from Engineering departments and faculty.
> Based upon our telephone conversation this morning, I propose the
> following topics and participants:

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> Solar and wind energy load leveling using pumped reservoirs and
> compressed air ground cavities.
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> Professor Noah Manring - Interim Chair of Electrical and Computer
> Engineering
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> Agriculture production energy efficiency: improvement of current
> status and utilization of new technologies for the future
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> Dr. Bob Reed -
> Research Associate Professor
> College of Engineering & Center for Sustainable Energy
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> Various Chemical Engineering Topics*
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> a. Clean energy production using coal
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> b. New concepts in energy storage using Lithium batteries

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> c. Nanoantenna, a new technology for solar energy collection
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> *Topics a, b, and c should be coordinated with Professor Baolin Deng,
> Chair of the Chemical Engineering Department
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> Professor Sheila Baker - Assistant Professor, Chemical Engineering
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> Professor Galen Suppes and Yangchuan Xing, Chemical Engineering
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> Professor Patrick Pinhero, Chemical Engineering
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> Gary, how is this trip to be coordinated and organized? How will the
> faculty be notified? Agenda?
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