



First Annual DHS University Network Summit on Research and Education

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The Centers of Excellence Program will hold its first annual DHS University Network Summit on Research and Education. This conference is open to homeland security officials, professionals, researchers, educators and students, as well as other interested parties in government, academia and industry.

Date: March 15-16, 2007

Location: L'Enfant Plaza Hotel
480 L'Enfant Plaza, S.W.
Washington, DC 20024
(202) 424-1000

The Summit will include presentations and discussions on the university-based Centers of Excellence research areas including:

- Risk and Economic Analysis of Terrorism Events
- Food and Agriculture Defense
- Studies of Terrorism and Responses to Terrorism
- Preparedness and Catastrophic Event Response
- Information Analysis and Visualization

DHS officials will also be on hand to discuss research and education needs in the key Divisions of the Science and Technology Directorate:

- Explosives
- Chemical and Biological
- Command, Control and Interoperability
- Borders and Maritime
- Human Factors
- Infrastructure and Geophysical

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