GENI Optical Workshop

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The GENI Facility :

A national facility to explore radical designs for a future global networking infrastructure

- ✓ Support experiments on a wide variety of problems: communications, networking, distributed systems, cyber-security, and networked services and applications.

- ✓ Give researchers the opportunity to experiment unfettered by assumptions or requirements and to support those experiments at a large scale with real user populations.

- ✓ Include a heterogeneous mix of substrate technologies: wireless, optical, sensor, processor, storage

Background/Introduction

9:30	Welcome, workshop objective	Kristin Rauschenbach, GPO
9:40	GENI Introduction	Paul Morton, NSF
9:50	Backbone Node High-Level Requirements	Dan Blumenthal, UCSB
10:05	Time to start building: how will optics influence future network architecture?	Chip Elliott, GPO
10:40	GENI substrate going forward	Joe Evans and Kristin Rauschenbach Co-Chairs: Substrate WG
Lunch Speaker 2:45	GENI Program Working Groups	Suzi Iacono, NSF Aaron Falk, GPO

Discussion topics

10:45	Photonic integration trends	Tom Koch, Lehigh
11:30	Commercial optical research roadmap	Franko Kueppers U of Arizona
12:15	Lunch	
12:30	Topological optical opportunities	Ruth Ann Mullen Photon Futures, LLC
1:15	Cross layer research opportunities	Keren Bergman Columbia
2:00	Optical edge architectures	Stojan Radic, UCSD

Wrap-up

3:15   Wrap-up Panel Session: summary and next steps

       Curtis Menyuk, UMBC   Physical Layer

       Alan Willner, USC   Subsystem and Switching Layer

       Biswanath Mukherjee,   Network Layer
       UC Davis

4:15   Summary

4:30   Adjourn

Marching orders

- GENI is a facility to support the networking and computer science community

  – Optics is important to GENI

- Listen and learn

- Speak up and educate

- Think collaboratively: GENI is a team effort

- Think broadly and freely: GENI is an opportunity to think beyond today's limitations and conventions