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Title: Building Effective Collaborations in Science and Engineering

Abstract: In 35 minutes you will learn the basics of how to build effective partnerships across institutions. Success in science and engineering is no longer an individual endeavor, yet few graduate programs discuss how to build and maintain effective collaborations. We will discuss when, why, and how to create and maintain effective research collaborations that meet the needs of all participants.

Bio: Karl Jonietz is a former Laboratory staff member and current member of DOE's Intelligence Reserve Corps. He has developed partnerships and negotiated agreements with foreign and domestic entities ranging from companies, to universities and research institutions, to governments. An economist by training, Jonietz has graduate degrees from Boston University and Harvard. His work experience beyond LANL includes being a CEO of several companies, the President of Olympic College in Washington State, service in the US Air Force in Vietnam, and a Foreign Service Officer for more than 20 years.