

# ***BIODIVERSITY AND ECOSYSTEMS INFORMATICS WORK GROUP***



## **AGENDA**

**September 19, 2008**

**10:00 am - 12:30 pm**

**National Science Foundation, Room 1120**

**WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS** ----- Cotter/Spengler

**REVIEW AGENDA** ----- Spengler/Cotter

### **10:15 AM BRIEFING**

***“Biology Activities at the National  
Academy of Science”  
Dr. Fran Sharples, Director  
Board on Life Sciences, National Research Council***

**THE NATIONAL ACADEMIES**  
*Advisers to the Nation on Science, Engineering, and Medicine*

#### **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

- BioEco Membership & Participation Cotter/Spengler
- Workplan for FY09 Cotter/Spengler
- Interagency Meeting on Biodiversity Information Systems Carroll

#### **INFORMATION ITEMS**

- IABIN Summit of the Americas Wheeler
- GBIF Update Spengler
- Status of Other NSTC Committees Spengler/Others
- BioEco Charter Cotter/Carroll

**ROUNDTABLE – AGENCY PERSPECTIVES AND UPDATES** All

**OTHER/NEW BUSINESS** All

**NEXT MEETING** Spengler/Cotter