



**President's Council of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST)  
Tentative Agenda**

**May 25, 2012**

**Marriott Metro Center  
775 12th Street NW  
Washington, DC**

**Ballroom Salon A**

**Agenda as of April 26, 2012**

- 9:00 am**      **Welcome from PCAST Co-Chairs**  
*John Holdren*, Assistant to the President for Science and Technology; Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP); Co-Chair, PCAST  
*Eric Lander*, Co-Chair, PCAST
- 9:05 am**      **PCAST Study Updates**
- **Realizing the Full Potential of Government-Held Spectrum to Spur Economic Growth**
  - **Future of the U.S. Science and Technology Research Enterprise**
- 10:00 am**      **National Institute of Food and Agriculture**  
Speaker: *Sonny Ramaswamy*, Director, National Institute of Food and Agriculture
- 11:00 am**      **U.S. CTO Team Agenda 2012**  
Speaker: *Todd Park*, U.S. Chief Technology Officer (CTO)
- 12:00 pm**      **Lunch**
- 1:00 pm**      **Information Technology Applications: IBM's Watson Project and Google's Self-Driving Car**
- Speakers:**  
*David Ferrucci*, IBM Fellow and Principal Investigator - The Watson Project  
*Anthony Levandowski*, Product manager; Business Lead, Self-driving Car Technology, Google
- 2:00 pm**      **Public Comment**
- 2:30 pm**      **PCAST Study Updates (continued)**
- 3:00 pm**      **Adjourn**