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FIRST ANNUAL LSAMP-NICE MEETING
DAY ONE – MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2019

Time	Description	Speaker(s)
7:15 am	Bus Departure from Renaissance Hotel to the Embassy of France	
8:30 am	Registration and Breakfast	
9:00 am	Embassy Welcome	Dr. Yves Frenot
9:15 am	Center Welcome and Overview	Dr. Steve Dupuis
9:45 am	International Activities and the LSAMP Community	Dr. A. James Hicks
10:00 am	Break	
10:10 am	Working Dialogue Session Building Capacity for Engagement in International Research	Dr. Zakiya Wilson-Kennedy
11:15 am	Group Photo	
11:30 am	Working Lunch – Leadership approaches and best practices for strengthening research engagement across countries	Dr. Gail Coover
1:00 pm	Working Dialogue Session Recruiting and Preparing students for International Experiences	Dr. Martha Tchounwou
2:15 pm	Break	
2:30 pm	Development of Memorandums of Understanding	Ms. Denise Yates
3:30 pm	MOU Signing with South Africa	Dr. Steve Dupuis
4:00 pm	Closing Remarks	Ms. Denise Yates
4:15 pm	Bus Returns to Renaissance Hotel Dinner on your own	



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DAY TWO – TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2019

Time	Description - Panelists	Moderator
7:15 am	Bus Departure from Renaissance Hotel to the Embassy of France	
8:30 am	Registration and Breakfast	
9:00 am	Embassy Welcome	Dr. Yves Frenot
9:15 am	LSAMP-NICE Overview	Ms. Denise Yates
9:30 am	National Science Foundation Opportunities - OISE	Dr. Sonia Ortega
10:20 am	Break	
10:30 am	International Research Panel: Fostering International Collaborations Mr. Celestino Gallardo – Congreso General Ngabe Bugle, Panama Dr. Yves Gnanou – King Abdulla University of Science and Technology (KAUST), Saudia Arabia Dr. Emmanuel Gras – University of Toulouse, France Dr. Jagannatha Rao Kosagisharaf – Institute for Scientific Research and Technology, Panama Dr. Romilla Maharaj – National Research Foundation, South Africa Dr. Pao-Chiang Yuan – University of Taiwan, Taiwan	Dr. Zakiya Wilson-Kennedy
11:45 am	MOU Signing with KAUST	Dr. Steve Dupuis
12:15 pm	Working Lunch – Poster Session & Networking	Ms. Denise Yates
1:30 pm	LSAMP Student Panel on International Research Experiences Joshua Ames – University of Illinois at Chicago Deisy Arrington – University of Illinois at Chicago Kate Gates – United Tribes Tribal College Anthony Keys – Jackson State University Anthony Wright – Jackson State University	Dr. Martha Tchounwou

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2:30 pm	Inaugural Faculty Awards Presentation Dr. Vikas Berry – University of Illinois at Chicago Dr. Philippe Poulin – University of Bordeaux, France	Ms. Denise Yates
3:00 pm	Next Steps	Dr. Zakiya Wilson-Kennedy
4:00 pm	Closing Remarks	Dr. Steve Dupuis
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