On behalf of the Committee on the Status of Women in Computing Research (CRA-W), the Workshop Committee Chair Annie I. Antón welcomes you to the CRA-W Workshop on Research Career Mentoring for Women in Computer Science and Engineering. The goal of the workshop is to provide mentoring activities targeting women in professional research careers. The workshop is structured to provide researchers at all levels with critical information about the culture of and the content required for professional research and contacts with successful role models and mentors. Participants are invited to choose from one of two tracks: 1) academic researchers and graduate students; and 2) industrial and national laboratory women. There are also several joint sessions giving participants an opportunity to interact and network with women in their field.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 2007

8:00 AM Continental Breakfast

8:30 AM Welcome and Overview
Annie I. Antón, North Carolina State University

8:45 AM Keynote Address
Robin Murphy, University of South Florida

9:30 AM Networking and Professional Interaction
Jan Cuny, National Science Foundation

10:30 AM Break

11:00 AM Panel Session: Securing Funding for Research
Jan Cuny, National Science Foundation
Kathy Yelick, Lawrence Berkeley National Labs and UC Berkeley
Mary Jean Harrold, Georgia Institute of Technology

12:30 PM Lunch
Participants grouped by research area

2:00 Time Management, Family, and Quality of Life Issues
Kathleen Fisher, AT&T
Chandra Krintz, UC Santa Barbara

3:30 PM Break

4:00 PM Panel Session: The Job Search Process
Kathleen Fisher, AT&T
Mary Lou Soffa, University of Virginia

6:30 PM Dinner
SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 2007

8:00 AM   Continental Breakfast

9:00 AM   Panel Session: Building Your Research Career
Mary Lou Soffa, University of Virginia
Robin Murphy, University of South Florida
Tessa Lau, IBM

10:30 AM   Break

11:00 AM   Parallel Track — Panel Sessions
Session A: The Tenure Process
Annie I. Antón, North Carolina State University
Mary Jean Harrold, Georgia Institute of Technology

Session B: Research Careers in Industry / National Labs
Evi Dube, Lawrence Livermore National Labs
Tessa Lau, IBM
Geetanjali Sampemane, Google

12:30 PM   Lunch
Participants grouped by stage in career

2:00 PM   Panel Session: Career Paths Contrasted
Kathryn McKinley, University of Texas, Austin
Andrea Lawrence, Spellman College, Atlanta, GA
Joann Ordille, Avaya Labs

3:00 PM   Break

3:30 PM   Parallel Track — Panel Sessions
Session A: Teaching, Mentoring, Service
Annie I. Antón, North Carolina State University
Andrea Lawrence, Spellman College, Atlanta, GA

Session B: Strategies for Success in Industry and National Labs
Geetanjali Sampemane, Google
Evi Dube, Lawrence Livermore National Labs
Joanne Ordille, Avaya Labs

5:00 PM   Wrap Up and Evaluation

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