

Industry Planning Meeting & Workshop Agenda September 9, 2022

**National Science Foundation Industry/University Cooperative Research Center (IUCRC)
Building Reliable Advances and Innovations in Neurotechnology (BRAIN)**

A meeting for current and perspective BRAIN Center Members

Georgia Tech Campus, Atlanta, GA

University of Maryland, Baltimore County, Baltimore, MD

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Start times for remote participation:

Georgia, Maryland, and West Virginia 10:00 (EDT)

Houston 9 AM (CDT)

Mexico 8 AM (CST)

Phoenix, 7 AM (MST)

Spain 3 PM (CET)



**Georgia
Tech.**



UMBC



**West Virginia
University**

Agenda (All times shown below are EASTERN STANDARD U.S. TIME)

9:15-10:00 am <i>ONLY for those attending in-person at one of the 2 sites</i>	Participant Registration; Poster setup Breakfast and Networking Time GT, UMBC
10:00-10:15 am <i>Start HYBRID meeting – ALL SITES</i>	Welcome Remarks: Site PIs and University Administration Michelle LaPlaca (Georgia Tech), Raghupathy (Siva) Sivakumar, VP of Commercialization and Chief Commercialization Officer, Professor, ECE, Georgia Tech Ramana Kumar Vinjamuri (UMBC), Karl Steiner, VP for Research, Professor, Mechanical Engineering, UMBC
10:15-11:00 am	NSF IUCRC Program Presentation: Mohan Kumar IUCRC Program Director, Directorate CISE, NSF
11:00-11:15 am	Vision, Capabilities and Value Proposition of the BRAIN Center: Jose (Pepe) Contreras-Vidal, University of Houston
11:15 -11:30 am	Vision for Prospective Sites Michelle LaPlaca (Georgia Tech); Ramana Kumar Vinjamuri (UMBC); Radhey Sharma (UWV)
11:30-11:45 am	Industry Partner Experience Sridhar Madala, Chair, IAB BRAIN
11:45-12:00 am	INTRO to AirTable Project Feedback Process Sridhar Madala, Chair, BRAIN IAB
12:00-1:00 pm	LUNCH / POSTERS
1:00-1:40 pm	Project Presentations – Session 1: UMBC

	<i>LIST ALL proposal titles, presenter name & affiliation (8 min ea = 5 min presentation, 3 min Q&A / AirTable)</i>
1:40-1:50 pm	BREAK
1:50-2:30 pm	Project Presentations – Session 2: Georgia Tech <i>LIST ALL proposal titles, presenter name & affiliation (8 min ea = 5 min presentation, 3 min Q&A / AirTable)</i>
2:30-2:45 pm <i>Meeting concludes for academic attendees</i>	NSF and Site Directors Closing Remarks Mohan Kumar, NSF; BRAIN IAB; Pepe Contreras-Vidal (BRAIN PI, UHouston); Michelle LaPlaca (GT PI); Ramana Vinjamuri (UMBC PI); Radhey Sharma (UWV PI)
2:45-3:00 pm	BREAK
3:00-3:30 pm <i>Industry ONLY</i>	Industry Voting and Discussion Sridhar Madala, Chair, BRAIN IAB
3:30-4:00 pm <i>NSF and Industry ONLY</i>	NSF Closed Session with Industry Mohan Kumar, NSF; BRAIN IAB
4:00-4:30 pm <i>NSF, PIs, Industry ONLY</i>	Debrief with BRAIN PIs Mohan Kumar, NSF; BRAIN IAB Industry feedback to site PIs
<i>IUCRC Planning Meeting adjourns</i>	
4:30 -5:30 pm	Transitions
5:30-7:00 pm	(optional) Faculty – Industry dinner (options forthcoming)
8:00-10:00 pm <i>For GT attendees only</i>	(optional) GT Neuro & Arts collaborative performance: Terminus Modern Ballet Theatre <i>Step the Brain Along a Path</i>; details here Ferst Center for the Arts, Georgia Tech campus,

Location: UMBC, University Center 312

Zoom: <https://gatech.zoom.us/j/94662883800?pwd=eGt5WW9nSTZGL2tuQlFhWHIxU2g4dz09>

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