Oppenheimer Science and Energy Leadership Program (OSELP) Visit to the National Energy Technology Laboratory

Morgantown, WV & Pittsburgh, PA

July 16-17, 2025



Morgantown, WV Agenda

3610 Collins Ferry Road, Morgantown, WV 26505

	July 16, 2025 (tentative)	
8:00 AM	Depart Hotel Springhill Suites by Marriott Pittsburgh Mt. Lebanon 611 Washington Rd., Mt. Lebanon, PA,15228	
9:15 AM	Arrive at NETL-Morgantown Security Badging Escort to B39 Innovation Center	
9:30 AM	 Welcome, Introductions, and NETL Overview History of NETL Applied Energy National Lab National Lab and DOE Program Deployment Functions Overview of three NETL R&D Sites A Director's Perspective: Working at a GOGO vs GOCO National Lab 	Marianne Walck NETL Director
11:15 AM	BREAK	
11:30 AM	Working Lunch Discussions	Bryan Morreale Associate Laboratory Director

Panel: 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

What does it really mean to be a GOGO?

- Similarities and Differences with GOCO Laboratories
- NETL Conducts R&D and Supports DOE Program Deployment
- Dual Functions in Delivering on the Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management (FECM) and DOE missions

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12:30 PM National Laboratory R&D Function

- Research and Innovation Center Overview
- Performing R&D at a GO-GO Lab
- Multi-Laboratory Initiatives
- Multi-Year Research Plans and Lab Directed Research and Development Projects
- R&D Finance
- Operations at a Multi-Site: Facilities, Safety, and Security
- Spotlight: Advancing AI for Fossil Energy R&D

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Chief Operations Officer Laboratory Operations Center

Tammie Borders

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Jeff Steich

Deputy Director for Finance and Acquisition Center

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2:15 PM	BREAK	
2:30 PM	Morgantown Lab Tour*	Bryan Morreale Associate Laboratory Director Research and Innovation Center
4:00 PM	Depart NETL	
6:00 PM	Dinner with NETL Leadership	Sesame Inn 704 Washington Road Pittsburgh, PA 15228

*Closed-toe shoes must be worn when touring the laboratories. Lab tour agenda will be provided separately.



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Pittsburgh, PA Agenda

626 Cochran Mill Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15326

	July 17, 2025 (tentative)	
7:30 AM	Depart Hotel	
8:00 AM	Arrive at NETL-Pittsburgh Security Badging Escort to B83-104	
8:15 AM	Welcome Remarks	Marianne Walck NETL Director
8:30 AM	 DOE Program Deployment & Finance Functions DOE Program Deployment Overview 	Sean Plasynski Principal Deputy Director Office of the Director
	Multiple NETL Centers Working Together with DOE FECM Program Structure and Investments Focused on Tec	Sydni Credle Acting Deputy Director Technology Development Center
	 Programmatic Impact Notices of Funding Opportunities (NOFOs) Planning Contracting, Procurement, and Unique Aspects of the 	Jim Wilson Chief Financial Officer Finance and Acquisition Center
	Federal Environment	Susan Malie Chief Counsel Office of Chief Counsel
10:00 AM	BREAK	
10:15 AM	Pittsburgh Lab Tour*	Bryan Morreale Associate Laboratory Director Research and Innovation Center
11:30 AM	Wrap Up Discussions	Marianne Walck NETL Director
		Sean Plasynski Principal Deputy Director Office of the Director
		Bryan Morreale Associate Laboratory Director Research and Innovation Center
12:00 PM	Visit Adjourned and Optional Conference Room Workspace	
4:00 PM	Depart NETL	
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