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Northwestern University | May 4-5, 2012

FRIDAY, MAY 4 | HARRIS 107
4:30 pm  Keynote address: Naomi Oreskes (UCSD)  
“Merchants of Doubt: How a Handful of Scientists Obscured the Truth on Issues from Tobacco Smoke to Global Warming”
6:00 pm  Public reception in Harris 108

SATURDAY, MAY 5 | ANNIE MAY SWIFT AUDITORIUM
8:30 am – 5:30 pm

TRANSNATIONAL NEGOTIATIONS
Gabrielle Hecht, University of Michigan  
Joan Fujimura, University of Wisconsin-Madison  
Tom Waidzunas, Northwestern University  
Chair/Commentator: Anna Weichselbraun, University of Chicago

NATURE OF EXPERTISE
Christopher Hamlin, University of Notre Dame  
Shobita Parthasarathy, University of Michigan  
Rachel Ponce, University of Chicago  
Chair/Commentator: John Carson, University of Michigan

SENSING THE UNSEEN
Lorraine Daston, University of Chicago/Max Planck Institute, Berlin  
Fiona Greenland, University of Michigan  
Tania Munz, Northwestern University  
Chair/Commentator: Gregg Mitman, University of Wisconsin-Madison

ECOLOGIES OF (IN)SECURITY
Paul Edwards, University of Michigan  
Alex Blanchette, University of Chicago  
Susan Lederer, University of Wisconsin-Madison  
Chair/Commentator: Joseph Masco, University of Chicago

WRITING A WINNING NSF STS PROPOSAL
Kelly Moore, Program Director,  
STS Program at the National Science Foundation

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