**Up Coming Manufacturing Workshop**

**Invitation to the NSF Workshop on Future Research Needs in Advanced Manufacturing from Industrial Perspective**

**Date:**  *August 12-13, 2013*

**Location:**  *Arlington, VA*

**Objective:**
Leaders In Industry And Academia To Formulate The Long Term Research Goals In The Area Of Manufacturing, Particularly Innovative Manufacturing Processes And Equipment, And To Enhance Respective Process Capabilities.

**How:**
1. Industrial leaders will address their future needs followed by selected attendees from SBIR and academia to present their views.
2. Faculty who has extensive experiences working with industry will share their view on needs from industry.
3. Program Directors will present various funding mechanisms to stimulate the collaborations between academia and industry.
4. Discussions among attendees will be encouraged.

**Critical Info:**

1. Invited speakers from industry and academia are listed at the workshop website [http://advancedmanufacturing2013.northwestern.edu/](http://advancedmanufacturing2013.northwestern.edu/)

2. Attendees who are interested in making short presentations should register before July 12 and submit a 2-slide statement (more info is available on the web). The registration fee of the selected speakers will be waived.

3. Early registration date and hotel cutoff date: *July 12, 2013*

4. Early registration fee: $100.

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