

Please join us for the

2010 RAIN Annual Meeting

Monday
July 26, 2010
11:00 am - 6:00 pm

University City Science Center
3711 Market Street, Suite 800
Philadelphia, PA 19104

2010 RAIN Annual Meeting Proposed Agenda:

- 11:00 a.m. **Registration**
- 11:30 a.m. **Lunch & Panel discussion: The Regional Perspective**
Panelists: Acting DCED Secretary Austin Burke, NJ EDA Executive Director Caren Franzini, Director of Economic Redevelopment for New Castle County Karl Kalbacher. Steve Tang, President & CEO, University City Science Center, moderator
- 1:30 p.m. **Panel discussion: Federal Innovation Update**
Panelists: Rich Bendis, Founder and President, Innovation America; RoseAnn Rosenthal, President & CEO, Ben Franklin Technology Partners Southeastern Pennsylvania; Mike Bowman, Chairman & CEO, Delaware Technology Park. Maxine Ballen, President & CEO, New Jersey Technology Council, moderator
- 2:30 p.m. **Break**
- 3:00 p.m. **Panel discussion: The State of Venture Funding:**
Mark Heesen, President, National Venture Capital Association; Katherine O'Neill, Board Member, Angel Capital Association; Jim Jaffe, President & CEO, National Association of Seed and Venture Funds; Ernie Dianastasis, Chairman, First State Innovation. David King, Venture Partner, Quaker BioVentures, moderator
- 4:00 p.m. **Roundtable discussion for RAIN members**
Moderated by Tom Morr, President & CEO, Select Greater Philadelphia
- 4:30 p.m. **Reception & Science Center Tour**

*This event is invitation only.
Please RSVP by emailing Kristen Fitch at kfitch@sciencecenter.org*



RAIN (the Regional Affinity Incubation Network) was formed in 2009 as regional network of 40-plus research parks, business incubators and support organizations with the goal of sharing information, capabilities and opportunities – and building political strength across the region encompassing eastern Pennsylvania, southern New Jersey and northern Delaware.