FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2011 - Salon F,G,H

11:00 A.M. – Noon  Orientation for New TCFS Members

1:00 P.M. – 1:15 P.M.  Welcome - TCFS, TACT and AAUP Presidents

1:15 P.M. – 2:30 P.M.  Panel Discussion “Texas Legislature and Texas Higher Education”
                        Moderator: Lavelle Hendricks, TAMU Commerce
                        Grover Campbell, Vice President for Governmental Relations,
                        University of Houston System
                        Sean Cunningham, Vice Chancellor for Governmental Relations,
                        Texas State University System
                        Gwen Grigsby, University of Texas Austin Governmental Relations
                        Michael O’Quinn, Vice President for Government Relations,
                        Texas A&M University

2:30 P.M. – 2:45 P.M.  Legislative Report (TACT) – Representative Donna Howard

2:45 P.M. – 3:45 P.M.  Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board Update
                        Lucy Heston, Program Director, Academic Programs (THECB)

3:45 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.  Break

4:00 P.M. – 5:30 P.M.  TCFS Roundup Reports

5:30 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.  University Systems Meetings - Lone Star I and II

6:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.  TCFS Business Meeting

7:00 P.M.  Banquet – Lone Star II and III
            Cary Nelson, President, American Association of University Professors
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2011
Assembly of State Conferences AAUP Advocacy Workshop

8:30-9:00 Coffee and Registration

9:00-10:00 “Seven Myths about Academic Freedom and Tenure,” Greg Scholtz, Director of Programs in Academic Freedom, Tenure, and Governance

10:00-11:00 “Faculty Handbooks and Shared Governance,” Puri Martinez, Vice Chair of the Assembly of State Conferences

11:00-11:15 Coffee

11:15-12:15 “Government Relations,” Brian Turner, Secretary

12:15-1:15 Lunch

“A Faculty Agenda for Hard Times,” Cary Nelson, AAUP President

1:15-2:15 Governing Boards, Lynn Tatum and Peter Hugill

2:15-3:15 “Chapter Development and the State Conference,” Donna Potts, ASC chair, Judith Johnston, ASC past chair; Joerg Tiede, AAUP membership committee; chapter development ad hoc committee

3:15-3:30 Break

3:30-4:30 Academic Freedom, Jeff Kraus, Member at large

4:30-5:30 Shared Governance, Faculty Senates, and AAUP, Charles Smith, Treasurer