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# Program

## Which Scientist Do You Believe? Process Alternatives in Technological Controversies\*

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### The Challenge<sup>1</sup>

Robert M. Viles,<sup>2</sup> *Welcome*

Arthur Kantrowitz, *The Separation of Facts and Values*

Peter W. Huber, *Coping with Phantom Risks in the Courts*

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Norman L. Balmer, *Alternative Dispute Resolution in Patent Controversies*

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### Innovations Under Consideration

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Dalton G. Paxman, *Congressional Risk Proposals*

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### Process Alternatives

Rena I. Steinzor, *ADR in Technology-Based Legislative Controversies*

Allan Mazur, *A Candidate for a "Science Court"*

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<sup>1</sup> The first session was open to the public. For the most part only registered conferees attended the remainder of the conference. Attendance was limited, and proceedings were conducted in an open square, to encourage open discussion.

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[Approximately 25 others attended the  
initial session.]

