

WELCOME

Dr. Robert Wilson, Director of the Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory, welcomed the participants. He emphasized the importance of this work. Fermilab is proud of its work in equal employment opportunities and pleased with the results of the 1974 summer program. At the same time, it is realized that there is room for improvement and much more to be done.

Dr. Wilson pointed out connections between the program for minority scientists and the technical work of the Laboratory. First, creativity and idealism in new technical endeavors will give impetus to the minority program. Second, funding of Fermilab's new technical endeavors will give new opportunities for minority workers.

In closing, Dr. Wilson pledged that Fermilab will continue to carry out creative programs for minority people.