U.S. Competitiveness: A New Conversation with New Opportunities
8:00am-1:00pm March 10, 2011 – The Columbus Room – Union Station

Registration/Continental Breakfast
8:00-8:15am

Welcome and Introduction: Robert Atkinson, ITIF President
8:15-8:25am

Rep. Susan Davis Introduces Paul Jacobs, Qualcomm CEO
8:25-8:30am

Keynote Address: Paul Jacobs, Qualcomm CEO
8:30-9:15am

Explanation of Conference Interactive Elements: Greg Farmer, Qualcomm Vice President
9:15-9:25am

Stage Setter: The Innovation and Competitiveness Picture: Robert Atkinson, ITIF President
9:25-9:55am

Panel I - Mobile Broadband - Public Support and Private Entrepreneurship
10:00-11:15am

• Dr. Cameron Powell, President and Chief Medical Officer, Airstrip Technologies
• Jon Taplin, Managing Director, Annenberg Innovation Lab, University of Southern California
• Scott Deutchman, Deputy Chief Technology Officer for Telecommunications, Office of Science and Technology Policy
• John Liebovitz, Deputy Chief, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, Federal Communications Commission
• Moderator: Eliza Krigman, Politico Technology Reporter

Panel II - Forging a Bipartisan Consensus on Government’s Role in Innovation
11:15-11:55am

• Baron Hill, Former Member of Congress (D, IN-9)
• Vernon Ehlers, Former Member of Congress (R, MI-3)
• Moderator: John Cranford, Congressional Quarterly Managing Editor, Enterprise

Luncheon Keynote Address – Senator Amy Klobuchar (D-MN)
“Finding a New Bipartisan Consensus on U.S. Competitiveness and Innovation Policy”
12:15-12:45pm

Concluding Remarks and Adjournment – Robert Atkinson, ITIF President
12:45-1:00pm