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Abstract: In her presentation, Dr. Kahlor describes her team's research on scientists' perceptions of the social and ethical implications (SEI) of their nanoscale research and development. She also describes preliminary results from two studies focused on public knowledge and perceptions of consumer products that contain nano-materials.

Bio: Dr. Kahlor is the incoming editor of the journal *Science Communication*. In 2021, she was named a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) "For distinguished scholarship, teaching, and service in health and environmental risk communication and related areas, especially regarding nanotechnology." She has published more than 50 peer-reviewed research articles, as well as book chapters, white papers, and edited books. Her research program is focused on health and environmental risk behaviors with an emphasis on information seeking, information avoiding, and cultural and racial norms and beliefs.