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DALLAS--An expert on atoms and space will talk about "Taming Technology" at The University of Texas Southwestern Medical School Dec. 15.

Dr. Lewis M. Branscomb, director of the National Bureau of Standards, will deliver the Robert A. Welch Foundation lecture at 8 p.m. on that date. He will speak on the same topic at The University of Texas at El Paso on Dec. 16 and at the Houston Museum of Natural Science on Dec. 17.

Dr. Branscomb has been a member of the President's Science

Advisory Committee (the only working scientist ever to be selected from
the staff of a directly operated federal laboratory) and has received
the Rockefeller Public Service Award, the Arthur Flemming Award and a
gold medal for exceptional service, awarded by the Department of
Commerce for contributions to basic knowledge of atomic processes of
stellar atmospheres, terrestrial ionosphere and interplanetary space.

The scientist is a member of the National Academy of Sciences, the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and the American Philosophical Society and serves on the board of the American Association for the Advancement of Medicine and is editor of "Review of Modern Physics."

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