

## OOPC-11 Provisional Agenda

v.2.2 (11 May 2006)

Name indicates speaker or author/speaker, and the indicated length of time for each item includes time for discussion. The session will run from 9:00-17:30 (9:30-17:50 on the first day), with a 1-hour lunch break, and morning and afternoon coffee breaks, and will close at lunchtime Saturday 20 May 2006.

<b>Tuesday 16 May morning 9:30 (note revised start time)</b>	
<b>1</b>	<b>Opening</b>
1.1	Opening and welcome ( <i>Harrison, local hosts, secretariat, 20 min</i> )
1.2	Review and adoption of the agenda and OOPC-10 report ( <i>Harrison, 10 min, background doc.: OOPC-10 report</i> )
1.3	OOPC activities 2005-6 and meeting goals ( <i>Harrison, 20 min</i> )
1.4	Overview of observing system status and issues from the JCOMM Observations Coordination Group ( <i>Johnson/Harrison, 20 min</i> )
<b>2</b>	<b>Regional focus: East Asia</b>
2.1	Korean sustained ocean observations ( <i>Chang, 40 min</i> )
2.2	Chinese sustained ocean observations ( <i>Wang, 40 min</i> )
2.3	SOLAS Japan ( <i>Uematsu, 30 min</i> )
<b>Tuesday 16 May afternoon</b>	
2.4	Forecasting system for Kuroshio variability ( <i>Yamagata, 30 min</i> )
2.5	Observational studies of mode waters, and basin-scale observations in the Pacific ( <i>Suga, 30 min</i> )
2.6	Japanese Argo ( <i>Shikama, 30 min</i> )
2.7	Japanese observational plans in the Indian Ocean and Indonesian Throughflow ( <i>Masumoto, 30 min</i> )
2.8	Japanese GODAE ( <i>Awaji, 30 min</i> )
2.9	NEAR-GOOS and Japanese operational observations ( <i>Yoshida, 30 min</i> )
2.10	Roundtable discussion on coordination issues ( <i>led by Harrison, 30 min</i> )
<b>Tuesday 16 May evening</b>	
18:00-20:00 <b>Reception</b> hosted by the Ocean Research Institute of the University of Tokyo	

Wednesday 17 May morning 9:00
<p><b>3 Science focus</b></p> <p>3.1 State of the Ocean 2005-6</p> <p>3.1.1 Sea Surface Temperature (<i>Reynolds, 30 min</i>)</p> <p>3.1.2 OOPC compilation of ocean climate indices/indicators, and discussion of ocean indices of interest, including state of ENSO and forecasts (<i>Fischer, 60 min, background site: "State of the Ocean" at ioc.unesco.org/oopc/</i>)</p> <p>3.2 The role of the Indonesian Throughflow in climate variability, and sustained observing strategies (<i>Gordon, 90 min</i>)</p>
Wednesday 17 May afternoon
<p>3.3 The Atlantic MOC: variability at interannual to multi-decadal time scales (<i>Schott, 40 min</i>)</p> <p>3.4 Requirements for an MOC monitoring network and derivation of MOC indices (<i>Visbeck, 40 min</i>)</p> <p><b>4 Ocean products: analyses and reanalyses</b></p> <p>4.1 CLIVAR GSOP actions and requirements (<i>Stammer, 45 min</i>)</p> <p>4.2 GODAE (<i>Le Traon/Harrison, 30 min</i>)</p> <p>4.3 Working group on surface fluxes (<i>Weller, 20 min</i>)</p>
Thursday 18 May morning 9:00
<p>4.4 SST-Sea Ice working group (<i>Reynolds, 20 min, Soren/Harrison, 20 min, background doc.: Sea Ice Working Group report</i>)</p> <p><b>5 Regional observing panels</b></p> <p>5.1 CLIVAR Atlantic, including PIRATA review (<i>Visbeck, 45 min, background doc.: PIRATA Review</i>)</p> <p>5.2 CLIVAR Indian (<i>Schott, 40 min, background doc.: IOP Implementation Plan</i>)</p> <p>5.3 CLIVAR Pacific (<i>Suga, 30 min</i>)</p> <p>5.4 CliC-CLIVAR Southern Ocean (<i>Fukumachi, 30 min</i>)</p>
Thursday 18 May afternoon
<p>5.5 update on Arctic and potential IPY legacies for the observing system (<i>Mauritzen/Fischer, 20 min</i>)</p> <p><b>6 Global projects</b></p> <p>6.1 Satellite observations</p> <p>6.1.1 missions update (<i>Johannessen, 30 min</i>)</p> <p>6.1.2 IGOS-P Ocean Theme report (<i>Harrison, Fischer, 20 min</i>)</p> <p>6.1.3 CEOS-GCOS report (<i>Harrison, 30 min, background doc.: GCOS-CEOS observational requirements draft document</i>)</p> <p>6.2 VOS and VOSclim (<i>Taylor/Fischer, 30 min, background docs: VOS report and VOS CLIVAR Exchanges article</i>)</p> <p>6.3 SOOP XBT (<i>Fischer, 20 min</i>)</p> <p>6.4 Argo profiling floats (<i>Gould/Fischer, 20 min</i>)</p>

Friday 19 May morning 9:00
<p>6.5 OceanSITES time series observations (<i>Weller, 40 min</i>)</p> <p>6.6 GLOSS sea level including contributions to the tsunami network (<i>Aarup, 20 min</i>)</p> <p>6.7 International repeat hydrography (<i>Dargaville, 30 min, background doc.: International repeat hydrography and carbon workshop report</i>)</p> <p><b>7 Carbon and biogeochemistry</b></p> <p>7.1 IOCCP (<i>Dargaville, 30 min</i>)</p> <p>7.2 Development of global biogeochemical monitoring tools, including potential pilot projects, report on the Eulerian Observations workshop, and sensor catalogs (<i>Dickey, 60 min</i>)</p>
Friday 19 May afternoon
<p><b>8 Data management</b> (<i>Keeley/Harrison, 60 min</i>) including discussion of real-time metadata pilot project</p> <p><b>9 Sponsor reports and liaison with other international groups</b> (<i>total 70 min</i>)</p> <p>9.1 GCOS (<i>Harrison</i>)</p> <p>9.2 GOOS (<i>Fischer</i>)</p> <p>9.3 WCRP (<i>Harrison</i>)</p> <p>9.4 JCOMM (<i>Fischer</i>)</p> <p>9.5 GEO (<i>Fischer</i>)</p> <p>9.6 POGO (<i>Harrison</i>)</p> <p>9.7 IGBP, SCOR, including IMBER, SOLAS (<i>Harrison</i>)</p>
Saturday 20 May morning 9:00
<p><b>10 Roundtable discussion on the role of the OOPC and future initiatives</b> (<i>90 min</i>) including discussion of a potential OceanObs08, ecosystem variables workshop</p> <p><b>11 Overview of decisions, recommendations and actions from the meeting</b> (<i>60 min</i>)</p> <p><b>12 Next meeting: when and where</b> (<i>10 min</i>)</p>
close of meeting Saturday 20 May lunchtime