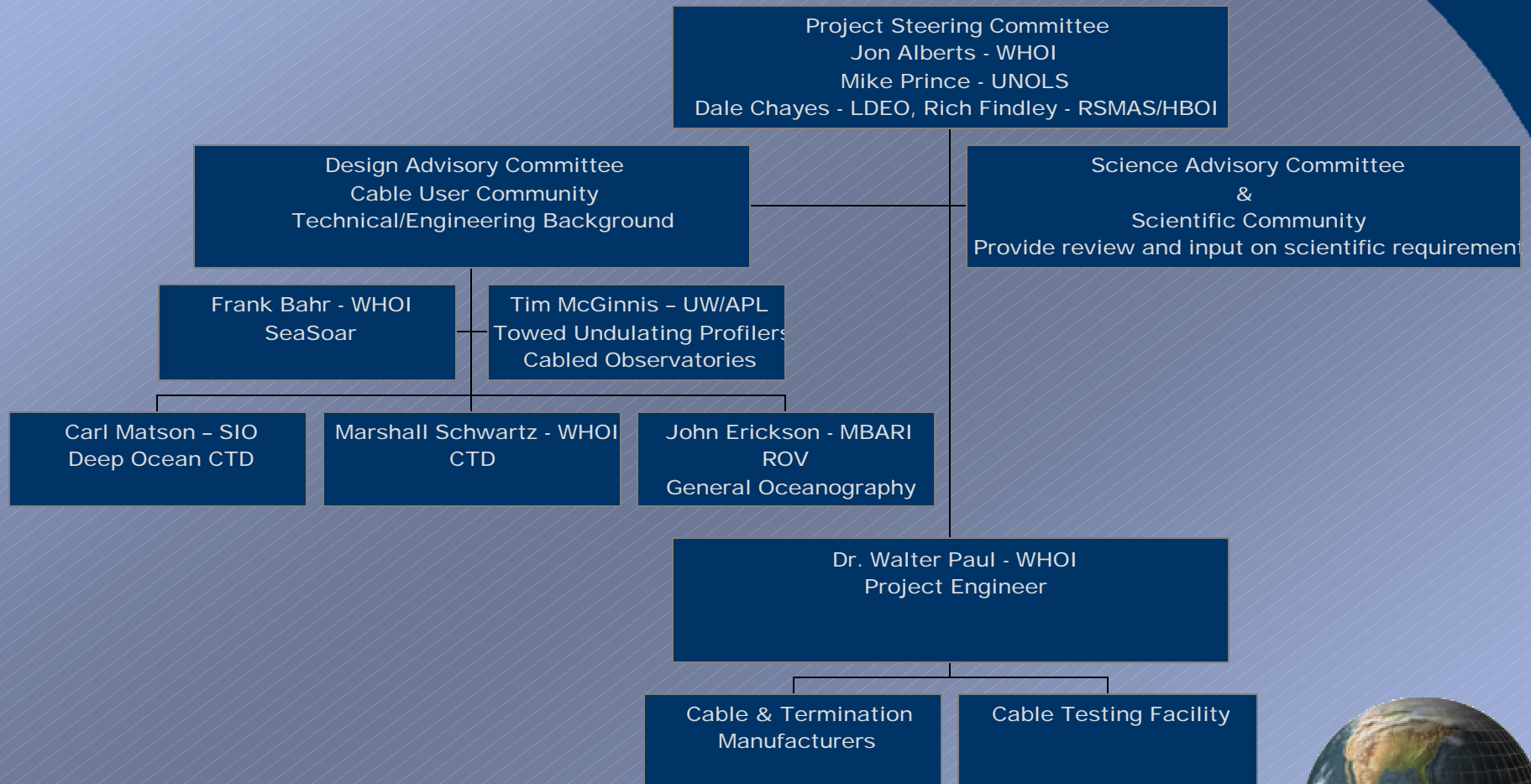


UNOLS



New Cable Design
Project
Proposal

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Cable Project Goals

- Develop and test an improved small diameter electro-mechanical (EM) or electro-optical (EOM) cable for the UNOLS community
- May replace or augment capability provided by current 0.322 “CTD” Cable
- Develop uniform SWL & Retirement criteria for this and other wires or cables



Cable Project Goals

- Increase payload at full ocean depth
- Increase data bandwidth
- Maintain or increase power transmission
- Support multiple operations
- Minimize impact on existing winch & overboarding capabilities
- Goals may conflict



