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AICC Agenda

Hilton - Alexandria, VA

Day 1: Wednesday, 19 July 2023 - 0900-1630 All Times Eastern Standard Time

Day 2: Thursday, 20 July 2023 – 0900-1200

Zoom Info:

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Meeting ID: 948 2143 0764

Passcode: 558614

Day 1

0830 - Breakfast snacks available

0900 - Intro / Welcome – Laurie Juranek
Introductions

Updates and Future Outlooks

- 0905-0920 - NSF – Frank Rack
- 0920-0935 - ONR
 - Scott Harper / Rob Sparrock / ONR 32
- 0935-0955 - NOAA
 - 2023 Arctic Research Activities - David Allen – Arctic Research Program
 - Global Ocean Monitoring & Observing - David Legler / Cathy Tedesco?
- Break – 0955-1000
- USCG –
 - 1000-1010 - HEALY 2023 Operations Update – HEALY virtually
 - 1010-1020 - STARC 2023 Operations Update – Brendon Mendenhall
 - 1020-1040 - PACAREA 2024-2026 Operational Plans – LCDR Brian Williams
 - 1040-1055 - CG-9323 – HEALY Service Life Extension Program Update – Ken King / Rusty Hummer



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- 1055-1115 - CG-751 – CDR Phil Baxa
 - Polar Security Cutter Update
 - Commercial I/B procurement update
 - Arctic Surface Capability Gap Analysis
- 1115-1125 – CG-WWMN – CDR Sam Blase
 - USCG Shiptime Request – Process Update
- Lunch - 1130-1300 – not provided
- **Updates continued**
 - 1300-1340 - UAF
 - Sikuliaq Operations – Doug Baird
 - Sikuliaq technical updates - Ethan Roth
 - Future Sonar Upgrades – Ethan Roth
 - Possible Sikuliaq Biennial Antarctic Support – Doug Baird
 - 1340-1345 - UNOLS Update – Doug Russell
 - 1345-1355 - Arctic Research Commission Update – John Farrell
 - 1355-1405 – Antarctic Research Vessel Project Update – Tim McGovern

Early Career Scientists

- 1445-1500 - Report on Summer 2023 ECS Cruise on Sikuliaq – Emily Eidam
- 1500-1510 - Future Arctic ECS Initiatives – Laurie Juranek

Strategic Discussions

Facilitating Arctic and climate system observing needs over near, intermediate, and long-term horizons

Near-term needs discussion (30-45 minutes)

- Working together to develop strategies to best support science program scheduling and crew planning in light of the current HEALY 2-year mission cycle
- Potential adjustments (and opportunities?) if Sikuliaq goes south for austral summer every 2 years
- Facilitating ship of opportunity requests?

Longer-term needs discussion (30-45 min)



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- Continued discussion from Winter Mtg - Working together to develop long term plans of ensuring reliable, state-of-the-art science capabilities for HEALY
 - What are the infrastructure needs for Arctic observing?
 - Should we revisit/update Arctic science support science mission requirements?
 - Other strategic issues?
 - Is AICC providing necessary / desired support to NSF, ONR and/or USCG? How can AICC better support? Can agencies better tap the knowledge & experience of the AICC?
- **Day 1 Concludes – 1630**

1830 - Group reservation at Augie's Mussel House – 1106 King Street, Alexandria

DAY 2

0830 - Breakfast snacks available

0900 - Welcome – Laurie Juranek

0910: Project-specific mission planning

GO-SHIP ARC01 - ?

Melt ponds – Wes Moses

Greenland Hydrographic Survey – Bob Pickart

Northern Bering Sea Integrated Ecosystem Research Program – Danielle Dickson

1030 – Continue Strategic Discussions from Day 1

- Decadal Survey – discussion to ensure Arctic research community input to the upcoming survey.
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Next Steps

- Action Item Review
- Meeting Planning
 - Winter AICC Meeting - Scheduled – 10-11 January 2024 USCG Base Seattle



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1200 – Day 2 Complete