

## Climate Working Group SAB July 2019 Meeting



## **Working Group Overview**

Chair/Co-Chairs: Knight and Russell (interim) NOAA SAB liaison(s): Kalnay and Joseph

Membership (vacancies, expertise, timing of approval):

- Renewed: Fu, Fleming, Knight (March 2021).
- Renewed for 1 additional year: Zhang, Roemmich, Dupigny-Giroux (March 2020).
- Submitting requests for second term: Russell, Dow, Ravishankara (May 2022).
- Recommending new members for: Leung, Mote, Murtugudde, Bretherton.

## **Scope and Focus of Current Efforts**

- Develop a white paper that will review current capabilities and future opportunities for Subseasonal-to-Seasonal-to-Decadal (\$2\$2D) forecasting.
- Pending collaboration with EISWG to review S2S Reports from NOAA to Congress.
- Provide comments on NOAA's climate-related programs as requested by the NOAA Climate Team.

## **Activities since April 2019 SAB meeting**

- Planned and held the virtual Spring Meeting.
- Finalized the topics, content, and approach for developing a white paper.
- Discussed a potential collaboration with EISWG to review S2S Reports from NOAA to Congress.
- Finalized dates for the Fall 2019 in-person meeting.
- Submitted a membership package to the SAB with: four candidates for replacement positions; 4 alternate candidates; and a co-chair replacement candidate.

### **Future**

- Update the SAB at the July meeting in Seattle.
- Prepare white paper for submission to the SAB by the end of 2019.
- Develop the content for the Fall 2019 in-person meeting, and coordinate with NOAA partners on presentations.
- Continue to collaborate with the EISWG.
- Continue to comment on NOAA's climate-related programs as requested by the NOAA Climate Team.



## Data Archive and Access Requirements Working Group SAB July 2019 Meeting



## **Working Group Overview**

Acting Chair: Chelle Gentemann (pending approval)
NOAA SAB liaison(s):Robert Grossman

**Membership** (vacancies, expertise, timing of approval): expertise gaps: industry, open science, big data, artificial intelligence (AI), and data science

NOAA Liaison: Ed Kearns (NOAA CDO)

## **Scope and Focus of Current Efforts**

Data Access

## Activities since April 2019 SAB meeting

- The acting Chair submitted the DAARWG membership package to SAB and NOAA leadership for approval.
- The acting Chair participated in the scoping of the data science session for the upcoming July 2019 SAB meeting.
- The DAARWG started identifying dates for a possible summer/fall DAARWG meeting.

### **Future**

- Schedule Summer/Fall meeting & address expertise gap
- SAB Work Plan topic 4: Review Improving Collection, Management, Dissemination and Decision Support Using Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence (AI) and
- Data ScienceGeospatial Data Act
- NOAA PARR implementation
- NOAA response to M-16-21 (OMB 2016 Federal Source Code)
- LO deep dive: identify enterprise solutions to address gaps in data and software archives.

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# Environmental Information Services Working Group SAB July 2019 Meeting



## **Working Group Overview**

Chair/Co-Chairs: John Snow and Brad Colman NOAA SAB liaison(s): Bob Winokur and Everette Joseph

**Membership** (vacancies, expertise, timing of approval):
One package for second term renewals and extensions will be sent to the SAB in the fall for approval.

## **Scope and Focus of Current Efforts**

- EISWG annual report to Congress
- SAB Work Plan Activities:
  - Identification of a topic for the FY20-21
     SAB work plan
- Weather Act of 2017 (PL 115-25) Topic Areas of Interest:
  - Sec 104(c) Hurricane Forecast
     Improvement Program
  - Sec 201(3) Improving Subseasonal
     And Seasonal Forecasts

## **Activities since April 2019 SAB meeting**

- 27-28 June 2019 in-person meeting
  - NOAA's Blue Water Ocean Observing
  - Review of the Tornado Warning Improvement and Extension Program Plan Report
  - Review of the EISWG Report to Congress
  - 2018 EISWG Topic Areas: S2S, HFIP, and Hazard Simplification (Haz Simp)
  - Earth Prediction Innovation Center (EPIC)
  - Emerging Technologies and Techniques
  - Social and Behavioral Science

## **Future**

- July and September virtual EISWG meeting
- December in-person EISWG meeting
- Weather Act of 2017 Topic Areas of Interest:
  - Sec 102 Earth Prediction Innovation Center
  - Sec 201(3) Improving Subseasonal
     And Seasonal Forecasts



## Ecosystem Sciences and Management Working Group SAB July 2019 Meeting



## **Working Group Overview**

Co-Chairs: Michael Castellini and Rob Johnston

NOAA SAB liaison: Mike Donahue

Membership:

4 nominations for new members approved

Three members' terms up for renewal (12/19). Both co-chairs 2<sup>nd</sup> terms expire 1/20. Requests for one-year extensions in progress.

## **Scope and Focus of Current Efforts**

- Topic 9 report on technologies for stock assessment.
- Case study categories include:
  - New fish otolith aging methods
  - Remote monitoring via saildrones
  - "Omics" such as eDNA for molecular approaches
- Three proposed topics for SAB Work Plan 2020-2021.

## **Activities since April and June SAB meetings**

- May 2019 Meeting in Silver Spring.
- Experts invited for Topic 9 "Emerging Technologies for Stock Assessments."
- Writing assignments for report on Topic 9
- Nominations package approved for four new members.
- Three members and co-chairs agreed to extend terms.
- Potential future topics developed by working group, along with 1-page descriptions.

## **Future**

- Direction from SAB on new topic areas for ESMWG reports.
- NOAA review and comments on the Citizen Science Report.
- Topic 9 "Emerging Technologies for Stock Assessments" outline presented at the July SAB meeting for SAB feedback.
- Target report submission date: December 2019.