

Pacific Arctic Group (PAG) Spring Meeting Draft Agenda

Arctic Science Summit Week, Toyama, Japan
April 25 2015, (9:00 – 17:30, Lunch 12:30 – 14:00,
Coffee Break 10:30 – 10:50 and 15:00 – 15:30)

Toyama International Conference Centre

Introduction and Welcome (Sung-Ho Kang)

Agenda items

1. Update plans for 2015 field season
 - Canada: **Bill Williams**
 - China: **Jianfeng He**, Jinping Zhao
 - Japan: **Takashi Kikuchi**, Koji Shimada
 - Korea: **Eun Jin Yang**, Sung-Ho Kang
 - Russia: (TBD)
 - United States: **Kathy Crane**, Jackie Grebmeier
2. Updates for planning of PAG joint field and modeling activities
 - Update Chukchi Borderland/Arctic Basin joint activities in relation to developing international “Pacific Climate Line” for Canada Basin and shelf-basin lines (Kathy Crane, Koji Shimada)
 - RUSALCA program (Aleksey Ostrovskiy)
 - NABOS (Matthew Alkire)
 - Sea ice and atmosphere topic (Joo-Hong Kim)
 - Modeling activities (Jia Wang)
 - Coordination of Mooring Locations (Phyllis Stabeno)
 - Other updates or proposals for new activities?
3. Status report on PAG-endorsed DBO ongoing and planned future activities (Jackie Grebmeier-lead, with results from others beyond presented in country reports)
 - Brief highlight of science findings from the DBO pilot program, examples of results 2010-2014
 - Plan for 2015 field activities (highlighted from country updates)
 - Plans for future DBO data meetings; data management and policy; DBO publication
4. Data sharing issues
 - Discuss IASC data policy and final DBO data policy in relation to PAG activities (Jackie Grebmeier)

5. PAG Synthesis activities

- DSR ARAON Special Issue- Update (Sang Lee)
- Biogeosciences – Special Issue Update (Takashi Kikuchi)
- Other plans?

6. Interactions with other organizations – IASC, SAON, FARO, others

- ICARPIII update (Kathy Crane)
- PAG and EPB, IASC Council and MWG, FARO, SAON (Jackie Grebmeier)
- ART (Arctic in Rapid Transition) update (Sanna Majaneva, Monika Kedra)
- Others?

7. PAG structure

- Executive committee composed of PAG Chair, Vice-Chairs, and leads from each of PAG activities
- Current rotation plan: Chair and Secretariat
 - 2014-2016 – Korea (Sung-Ho Kang, KOPRI)
 - 2016-2018 – Japan (TBD)
 - 2018-2020 – Russia, China, Canada?

8. Review of PAG operating procedures, MOA with IASC, and Secretariat-open discussion

- Do we need science subgroups to meet related to PAG projects?
- PAG and interactions with IASC MWG (Jackie Grebmeier)

9. Future PAG meetings

- **Fall 2015 – Incheon, Korea (1.5 day)**
- ASSW 2016 – Fairbanks, Alaska
- Fall 2016 – TBD
- ASSW 2017 – Prague, Czech Republic
- Fall 2017 – TBD
- ASSW 2018 – Davos, Switzerland
- Fall 2018 – TBD

10. End of meeting by dinner.