

## Agenda for CCIGW/NACP Workshop

### Development of Predictive Carbon Cycle Science

**Venue:** NOAA NCWCP Conference Center (Rooms A, B, & C),  
5830 University Research Court, College Park, Maryland 20740

Arrival on March 6

#### Day 1 (March 7)

##### **8:30-9:30 Opening talks**

Gyami Shrestha and CCIWG co-chairs (Nancy Cavallaro and Dan Stover), Overview of U.S. Carbon Cycle Science Program and charges to this workshop (10 mins)

Introduction of participants and their suggestions on how to develop predictive carbon cycle science (30 mins)

Yiqi Luo, Overview and objective of the workshop (20 mins)

##### **9:30-10:10 Systems' intrinsic predictability (10 mins each)**

Matthew Long: Ocean/coastal

Steven Davis: Emission/human dimensions

Trevor Keenan: Land

Anna Michalak: Atmosphere as an integral of the carbon cycle system

10:10-10:40: Coffee break

##### **10:40-11:20 Predictive skills of current models (10 mins each)**

Keith Moore: Ocean/coastal

Gretchen Keppel-Aleks: Atmosphere

Adam Schlosser: Emission/human dimensions

Deb Huntzinger: Land

11:20-12:00 Open discussion (50 mins)

Lunch 12:00-1:30

**1:30-1:50** Discussion on SOCCR-2, Gyami Shrestha

**1:50-2:10** Summary of survey on suggestions of how to develop predictive carbon cycle sciences

##### **2:10-2:50 General talks (20 mins each)**

Forrest Hoffman, Benchmark analysis toward better prediction

Tris West: predictive skills of models vs. effectiveness of policy-making support

**2:50-3:20** Coffee break

**3:20-5:00 Discussion session I** Intrinsic predictability – the fundamental properties of the system that determine its future trajectory

Two or three discussion groups

5:00-5:30 Discussion group reports

6:30 Dinner

## **Day 2 (March 8)**

**8:30-9:10 Availability of experimental and observational data to constrain model prediction** (10 mins each)

Wei-Jun Cai: Ocean/coastal

Ken Davis: Atmosphere

Kevin Gurney: Emission/human dimensions

Yude Pan: Land

**9:10-11:30 Discussion session II** Synthesis of experimental, observational, and modeling results to improve model predictive skills (coffee break included)

11:30-12:00 Reports

12:00-1:30 Lunch

**1:30-1:50 General talk**

Steve Wofsy, Predictive science in the context of global carbon research (20 mins)

**1:50-2:30 Operational forecasting/prediction systems (10 mins each)**

Jiang Jiang and Daniel Ricciuto, SPRUCE, Mike Dietze, PEcAn

Andy Jacobson, CarbonTracker

Ruoying He, Ocean/coastal

Klaus Hubacek, Emissions/human dimension

**2:30-4:30 Discussion III** Technical advances to realize the predictive carbon cycle science (coffee break included)

4:30-5:00 Group report

Dinner on your own

Day 3 Morning (March 9)

**8:30-8:50 General talk**

Scott Denning, Prediction as a research area for the next decade of NACP (20 mins)

**8:50-10:30 Discussion VI** Recommendations toward predictive carbon science

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-12:00 Reports and general discussion

12:00 *adjourn*