U.S. IOOS Advisory Committee Agenda*

University of the Virgin Islands, St. Thomas

ACC Building 1st Floor, Conference Room #2 John Brewers Bay, St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands


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November 3, 2015 – 8:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. AST

8:00 - 8:30 Coffee/gather

8:30 - 9:00 Dr. David Hall, UVI President and Conrad Lautenbacher, Chair
Welcoming remarks

9:00 - 9:15 Full Committee
Round the room introductions of new and returning members

9:15 - 9:30 Rebecca Hermanowicz, DOC General Council
Ethics briefing

9:30 – 9:45 Conrad Lautenbacher
Setting the stage for the meeting

9:45 - 10:45 Dr. Miguel Canals, University of Puerto Rico
Invited speaker and discussion on ocean observing in the Caribbean

10:45 – 11:00 Break

11:00 - 12:00 Roy Watlington, IOOS Association board member, CariCOOS
Invited speaker and discussion on CariCOOS history and current successes and challenges

12:00 - 1:00 Lunch

1:00 - 2:15 Mona Barnes, Director VITEMA; Dr. David Cuevas-Miranda, EPA; Roberto Garcia, NOAA NWS
Federal Panel: How is IOOS used locally and what are the biggest challenges and needs?

2:15 – 2:30 Break

2:30 - 3:30 Working session
Continue development of draft recommendations, identify next Committee priorities

3:30 – 4:00 Public comment

4:00 - 4:30 Marjorie Smith, Fast Ferry and Eric Dobson, Virgin Islands Port Authority
Invited speakers and discussion ocean observations for transportation and commerce

4:30 – 5:30 UVI Marine Center boat demonstration and discussion with Marjorie Smith and Eric Dobson

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November 4, 2015 – 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. AST

8:00 - 8:30 Coffee/gather
8:30 - 8:45 Conrad Lautenbacher
Welcome and guidance for the day
8:45 - 9:15 Shawn Malone, Climate Change Coordinator, USVI Governor’s Office
Invited speaker and discussion on climate change and resilience in the USVI
9:15 – 9:30 Cletis Clendinen, Field Representative/Constituent Services Representative, Congresswoman Plaskett
Invited speaker providing remarks on behalf of Congresswoman Plaskett
9:30 - 10:45 Working session
Develop Committee priorities identified through presentations and discussion
10:45 – 11:00 Break
11:00 - 12:00 Josie Quintrell, IOOS Association
Invited speaker and discussion on current IOOS Association issues
12:00 - 1:00 Lunch
1:00 - 2:15 Working session
2:15 - 2:45 Public comment
2:45 - 3:00 Wrap up and next steps

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