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AGENDA
April 23-25, 2019

91st Meeting of the
OCEAN STUDIES BOARD
The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine

National Academy of Sciences Building
2101 Constitution Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20037

Meeting Highlights:

Roger Revelle Commemorative Lecture

Sustainability in Deep Water

The challenges of climate change, human pressures, and
biodiversity conservation

Lisa Levin, Scripps Institution of Oceanography

Tuesday, April 23, 2019

CLOSED SESSION – NAS 125

8:00 a.m. to noon

OPEN SESSION – NAS 125

12:00 p.m. Working Lunch (*served outside the room – East Anteroom*)

Revisiting Recreational Fisheries— Tom Miller, UMD, OSB member and moderator; Cisco Werner, NOAA; Luiz Barbieri, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission

1:00 p.m. Study requests in the Modernizing Recreational Fisheries Management Act of 2018

1:30 p.m. Sponsor feedback on *Review of the Marine Recreational Information Program*

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- 2:00 p.m.** **Updates on the Synoptic Arctic Survey and NOAA’s initiatives on eDNA—**
Cisco Werner, NOAA Fisheries
- 3:00 p.m.** *Break*
- 3:30 p.m.** **BLUE GLOBE Act—**Congressional staff from Sen. Murkowski and Sen.
Whitehouse
- 4:00 p.m.** **National Estuaries and Acidification Research Act —** Valentina Valenta,
Legislative Director, Office of Congressman Bill Posey (FL-08)
- 4:30 p.m.** **UN Decade of Ocean Science—** Craig McLean, NOAA
- 5:00 p.m.** **Updates on Current OSB Activities—**OSB staff
- 5:30 p.m.** **Adjourn**

Wednesday, April 24, 2018

CLOSED SESSION – NAS 125

8:00 a.m. *to 9 am*

OPEN SESSION – NAS 125

- 9:00 a.m.** **Briefing on new report: Use of Chemical Dispersants in Marine Oil Spill**
Response—Mary Landry, chair; Tom Coolbaugh, Dominic DiToro, Steve
Murawski (remote), members of the committee
- 9:30 a.m.** **Discussion panel—**Mark Spalding, The Ocean Foundation, OSB member and
moderator; John Farrington, WHOI and GOMRI (remote); Greg Wilson, EPA;
Chris Rea, Gulf Research Program; Scott Lundgren, NOAA
- 10:00 a.m.** *Break*
- 10:30 a.m.** **Perspectives from OSB sponsors:**

USGS—John Haines; Advancing a research mission beyond our means; strategy
and partnerships to advance on two fronts: 1) Marine Geologic Hazards &
Resources; and 2) Coastal Change Hazards

NSF—Terry Quinn
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NASA—Jack Kaye, Paula Bontempi

12:00 p.m. **Working Lunch** (*served outside the room – East Anteroom*)

1:00 p.m. **Perspectives from OSB sponsors (continued):**

ONR—Tom Drake; Updates on ONR Science

NOAA—RADM Tim Gallaudet; Update on NOAA Priorities and new Science Focus Areas

2:00 p.m.

Celebrating Walter Munk (1917-2019)

Contributions to Oceanography and the National Academy of Sciences

OSB members and colleagues will offer perspectives on Walter Munk's career

And his influence on the field of oceanography

Larry Mayer, OSB chair

Marcia McNutt, NAS President

RADM Tim Gallaudet, NOAA

Eric Lindstrom, NASA

Mel Briscoe, Ocean Geeks, LLC

Thomas Drake, ONR

Others TBD

4:00 p.m. **Update on Understanding Gulf Ocean Systems (GRP)** —Mel Briscoe, chair of UGOS Standing Committee

4:30 p.m. Reception for OSB members and meeting participants

5:30 p.m. *NAS Fred Kavli Auditorium*

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6:30 p.m. **Conclude lecture event**

Thursday, April 25, 2018

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- 8:30 a.m.** *Breakfast (served outside the room – East Anteroom)*
- 9:00 a.m.** **Discussion of International Ocean Activities**
 SCOR Activities—David Halpern, SCOR Vice-President
 IOC and other International Activities—TBD, Department of State
 GOSR-II—Susan Roberts, member GOSR editorial panel
- 11:00 a.m.** **Adjourn open session**

CLOSED SESSION

- 11:30 a.m.** **Resume**
- 3:00 p.m.** **Adjourn**
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