Advisory Committee for Polar Programs (AC-OPP)
September 23-24, 2021
Virtual Meeting Agenda

Thursday, September 23, 2021

Time	Topic	Lead Discussant
10:30am – 11:00am	*Tech Checks and virtual coffee*	
11:00am – 11:15am	Welcome and Introductions, and Conflict of Interest Review	Meredith Nettles, Chair AC-OPP; Roberta Marinelli, Director OPP; Renee Crain, OPP
11:15am – 12:15pm	COVID Impacts and Backlogs	Renee Crain, OPP; Stephanie Short, OPP; Doug Kowalewski, OPP
12:15pm – 12:45pm	*Break*	
12:45pm – 1:15pm	Liaison Updates: Advisory Committee for Cyberinfrastructure; Committee for Equal Opportunities in Science and Engineering	Ryan Emanuel, AC-OPP; Patrick Heimbach, AC-OPP
1:15pm – 1:45pm	Preparations for Joint Session	Allen Pope, OPP; Patrick Heimbach, AC-OPP
1:45pm –2:00pm	*Break*	
2:00pm – 3:30pm	Joint session with Advisory Committee for Cyberinfrastructure (ACCI)	ACCI & Office of Advanced Cyberinfrastructure; AC-OPP & Office of Polar Programs
3:30pm – 3:37pm	*Transition*	
3:37 – 4:00pm	Wrap-up and start thinking about Director's visit	Meredith Nettles, Chair AC-OPP; Roberta Marinelli, Director OPP

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10:30am – 11:00am	*Tech Checks and virtual coffee*	
11:00am – 11:45am	Security and international relationships	Rebecca Keiser, NSF; Meredith Nettles, Chair AC-OPP
11:45am – 12:30	Prepare for meeting with the NSF Director and Chief Operating Officer	Meredith Nettles, Chair AC-OPP; Roberta Marinelli, Director OPP
12:30pm – 1:00pm	*Break*	
1:00pm – 1:30pm	NSF Director and NSF Chief Operating Officer	Sethuraman "Panch" Panchanathan, NSF Director; Karen Marrongelle, NSF COO; Meredith Nettles, Chair AC-OPP
1:30pm – 2:00pm	Geosciences (GEO) Assistant Director Updates	Alex Isern, AD GEO
2:00pm - 2:45pm	Antarctic Research Vessel (ARV) Update	Tim McGovern, OPP; Sharon Stammerjohn, AC-OPP
3:00pm – 3:15pm	*Break*	
3:15pm – 4:00pm	Sub-Committee Update	Linda Hayden, Co-Chair; Gretchen Hofmann, Co-Chair
4:00pm – 4:30pm	Wrap-up: ID topics for next meeting	