

**U.S. Advisory Committee for
Scientific Ocean Drilling (USAC)**
July 25-27, 2016
American Museum of Natural History, New York, NY

Final Agenda

Monday, July 25 (9 AM – 5 PM)

I. *Welcome and Introductions*

Welcome, introductions, logistics (USSSP, Spencer)
Approval of Agenda, Meeting Goals (Christensen)

II. *Status Updates and Reports*

Report from NSF (Janecek)
Report on *JOIDES Resolution* Facility Board Meeting (Christensen)
Report from Science Evaluation Panel (virtual Miller)

Break

III. *Reports from USSSP*

Overview and Shipboard Staffing (Brenner)
Science Report (Slagle)
Education (Cooper)

Lunch

IV. *Denver II Discussion* (Christensen, Brenner)

Overview
Approval of Workshop Survey Questions
Discussion of Workshop Agenda

V. *Breakout groups*

A. Workshops, Nominations and PDAs – Review of June workshop proposal submissions

- B. Staffing & Education Subcommittees – Review of shipboard educator selection and integration with the science party; discussion of School of Rock 2016 and ideas for future

Group Drinks and Dinner

Tuesday, July 26 (9 AM – 5 PM)

- VI. *Reports from breakout groups and group discussion*

Break

- VII. *PEA Funding Strategies* (Brenner & Slagle)

Lunch

- VIII. *Panel Nomination & Lecturer Nomination Review*
 - A. JRFB
 - B. SEP
 - C. EPSP
 - D. USAC
 - E. Ocean Discovery Lecture Series

Break

- IX. Discussion of Regional Workshop strategies
- X. AGU Town Hall and other USSSP-sponsored AGU activities

Wednesday, July 27 (9AM – 1 PM)

- XI. *USAC Executive Session*

- XII. *Winter 2017 USAC meeting*