

**U.S. Advisory Committee for Scientific Ocean Drilling (USAC)
February 10-12, 2010; Austin, Texas**

Agenda Overview

Tuesday, February 9, 2010

13:00-17:00 Schlanger Fellowship Application Review

Wednesday, February 10, 2010

08:00-08:30 **Continental breakfast**

I. Introduction

08:30-08:35	Welcome, introductions, logistics	Schuffert, Farver
08:35-08:40	Introduction to USAC, terms of reference	Screaton
08:40-08:50	Meeting goals and approval of meeting agenda	Screaton
08:50-08:55	Approval of report from July 2009 meeting	Screaton
08:55-09:00	Action Item update from July 2009 meeting	Screaton

II. Status Updates and Reports

09:00-09:45	US Science Support Program	Schuffert
09:45-10:15	Deep Earth Academy	Peart
10:15-10:30	Break	
10:30-11:00	US Implementing Organization	Clement
11:00-11:30	National Science Foundation/ IWG+	Smith
11:30-11:45	Science Planning Committee	Filippelli
11:45-12:15	Expedition 317 Canterbury Basin	Fulthorpe
12:15-13:15	Lunch	

III. Breakout Groups

13:15-15:15	Breakout groups	Screaton
15:15-15:30	Break	
15:30-17:00	Breakout groups	All
17:30	Reception	

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IV. Science Support

08:30-10:00	Challenges in science support discussion	Schuffert
10:00-10:30	Break	
10:30-10:45	Eocene thematic working group	Pekar
10:45-11:00	Climate sensitivity thematic working group	Lyle
11:00-12:00	Breakout groups continued	All
12:00-13:00	Lunch	

V. Communication Strategies

13:00-14:00	Current communications strategic plan	Saunders
14:00-15:00	Future planning for next ocean drilling program	Humphris
15:00-15:30	Break	
15:30-17:30	Breakout group reports	All

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VI. USAC Plans

08:30-09:30	USAC executive session	All
09:30-10:15	Meeting review and recommendations	All
10:15-10:30	Break	
10:30-11:45	Meeting review and recommendations	All
11:45-12:00	Summer 2010 USAC Meeting	All
12:00-13:00	Lunch	