

**U.S. Advisory Committee for
Scientific Ocean Drilling (USAC)**

Agenda

January 31 – February 4, 2022
Somewhere in Cyberspace

Monday, January 31, Noon Eastern

I. Module 1 (up to 3 hours): Welcome; Introductions; Community Reports

- A. Welcome, introductions, rules of engagement, logistics (Robinson, USSSP; 10 minutes)
- B. Approval of agenda, review of meeting goals (Robinson; 5 minutes)
- C. Report from Science Evaluation Panel (Reston; up to 20 minutes)
- D. Report from NSF (Allan; up to 60 minutes with discussion)
- E. Report from JRSO (Malone; up to 30 minutes with discussion)
- F. Report from JRFB (Krissek; up to 30 minutes with discussion)

[optional social hour]

Tuesday, February 1, Noon Eastern

II. Module 2: (up to 3 hours) USSSP Reports

- A. USSSP overview (Brenner; up to 45 minutes with discussion)
- B. USSSP science report (Slagle; up to 45 minutes with discussion)
- C. USSSP science communication report (Cooper/Cotterill; up to 60 minutes with discussion)

Wednesday, February 2, Noon Eastern

III. Module 3: SMR Report and Breakout Group Activities (up to 4 hours)

- A. Report from SMR steering committee (Robinson/USSSP; up to 90 minutes with discussion)
- B. Subcommittee breakout group meetings (lengths as needed)

Thursday, February 3, Noon Eastern

IV. Module 4: Breakout Group Reports (up to 2.5 hours)

- A. Report from Workshops, Pre-Drilling Activities, and Nominations Subcommittee (up to 60 minutes with discussion)
- B. Report from Shipboard Staffing Subcommittee (up to 30 minutes with discussion)
- C. Report from Science Communication Subcommittee (up to 60 minutes with discussion)

V. Module 5: Updates on Working Group Activities, Part 1 (up to 1.5 hours)

- A. Facility Business Plan Working Group (Neal; up to 30 minutes with discussion)
- B. Legacy Data Working Group (Dodd/McHugh; up to 30 minutes with discussion)

Friday, February 4, Noon Eastern

VI. Module 6: Updates on Working Group Activities, Part 2 (up to 1.5 hours)

- C. Science Communication Subcommittee Report on Diversity, from IMPACT Workshop activities (Schulte/Cotterill/Cooper; up to 45 minutes with discussion)
- D. Science Framework Communications Working Group (Wheat/Robinson/Cotterill; up to 30 minutes with discussion)

VII. Module 7: Other Business (up to 2.5 hours)

- A. AGU activities report – booth and other activities (USSSP, 15 minutes)
- B. Schlanger Fellowship preliminary discussion (Brenner/Robinson; 15 minutes)
- C. Any other business, including consensus/action item writing
- D. Next meetings
 - 1) Summer 2022 (location and date TBD)
 - 2) Winter 2023 (location and date TBD)

[optional social hour]