



Chapman Conference on the Agulhas System and its Role in Changing Ocean Circulation, Climate, and Marine Ecosystems

Western Cape, South Africa // 7-12 October 2012

Meeting At A Glance

Sunday, 7 October 2012

1600h – 1900h Registration
1700h – 1900h Welcome Reception

Monday, 8 October 2012

0830h – 0900h Opening Remarks
 ✚ The Deputy Minister of Science and Technology, Derek Hanekom

0900h – 1220h Session 1: The Agulhas System, present and Past
1040h – 1100h Coffee Break
1100h – 1220h Session 1: The Agulhas System, present and Past
1220h – 1250h Plenary Discussion - The Agulhas System, present and Past
1300h – 1400h Group lunch and Welcoming Remarks - Lawrence Mysak, Immediate Past President of International Association for the Physical Sciences of the Oceans
1400h – 1700h Organized Activity: Lawn Games 1
1700h – 1730h Session 1: The Agulhas System, Present and Past (cont.)
1530h – 1945h Poster Session 1 The Agulhas System, Present and Past
2000h – 2200h Reception Dinner at Moyo

Tuesday, 9 October 2012

0900h – 1220h Session 2: Effects of Agulhas System Variability on Regional Weather, Climate, Ecosystems, and Fisheries ('regional interactions')
1040h – 1100h Coffee Break
1220h – 1250h Plenary Discussion - Effects of Agulhas System Variability on Regional Weather, Climate, Ecosystems, and Fisheries ('regional interactions')
1300h – 1400h Lunch
1400h – 1700h Organized Activity – Hike on Helderberg
1700h – 1730h Session 2: Effects of Agulhas System Variability on Regional Weather, Climate, Ecosystems, and Fisheries ('regional interactions') (cont.)
1730h – 1945h Poster Session 2 - Effects of Agulhas System Variability on Regional Weather, Climate, Ecosystems, and Fisheries ('regional interactions')
2000h – 2200h Dinner on Your Own in Stellenbosch

Wednesday, 10 October 2012

0900h – 1245h	Group Discussions: Future Research Directions and Implementation of Sustained Observations
0900h – 0905h	Group Discussions: Introduction - de Ruijter
0905h – 0915h	Group Discussions: Ongoing/Necessary Observations - Beal, Zahn
0915h – 0925h	Group Discussions: Modelling - Biastoch, Tozuka
0925h – 0940h	Group Discussions: Implementation and the WIO Strategic Alliance - Vousden
0940h – 1100h	Breakout for Discussion Groups
1100h – 1120h	Coffee Break
1120h – 1245h	Group Reporting and Plenary Discussion
1300h – 1400h	Lunch
1400h – 2200h	Organized Activities – Township or Table Mountain Tours
1800h – 2200h	Dinner on Your Own

Thursday, 11 October 2012

0900h – 1040h	Session 3: Mechanisms that Link the Agulhas to Ocean Circulation and Climate ('controls')
1040h – 1100h	Coffee Break
1100h – 1210h	Session 3: Mechanisms that Link the Agulhas to Ocean Circulation and Climate ('controls')
1210h – 1250h	Plenary Discussion - Mechanisms that Link the Agulhas to Ocean Circulation and Climate ('controls')
1300h – 1400h	Lunch
1400h – 1700h	Organized Activity – Lawn Games 2
1700h – 1730h	Session 3: Mechanisms that Link the Agulhas to Ocean Circulation and Climate ('controls') (cont.)
1730h – 1945h	Poster Session 3 - Mechanisms that Link the Agulhas to Ocean Circulation and Climate ('controls') (cont.)
2000h – 2200h	Conference Dinner at the Spier Hotel

Friday, 12 October 2012

0900h – 1040h	Session 4: Impact of Agulhas Retroflexion and Leakage on Large-scale Circulation and Climate ('global effects')
1040h – 1100h	Coffee Break
1100h – 1210h	Session 4: Impact of Agulhas Retroflexion and Leakage on Large-scale Circulation and Climate ('global effects')
1210h – 1250h	Plenary Discussion - : Impact of Agulhas Retroflexion and Leakage on Large-scale Circulation and Climate ('global effects')
1300h – 1400h	Lunch
1400h – 1530h	Poster Session - : Impact of Agulhas Retroflexion and Leakage on Large-scale Circulation and Climate ('global effects')
1530h – 1600h	Lutjeharms Memorial Lecture
1600h – 1615h	Conference Outcomes: Summary and Points of Action: Will de Ruijter, Lisa Beal, Arne Biastoch, Rainer Zahn and SCOR/IAPSO/WCRP WG 136
1615h – 1630h	Closing Remarks – Michael McPhaden, President, American Geophysical Union
1700h – 2330h	Cape Town Excursion and Dinner on Your Own