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WEDNESDAY, 16 January:

8:00 – 8:30 Coffee
8:30 – 8:45 Introductory Remarks, Co-chairs
8:45 – 9:15 Todd Arbetter – “Seasonal Ice Forecasting at NIC: Can We Still Use the Past to Predict the Future?”
9:15 – 10:00 Cecilia Bitz – “Sea Ice Retreat: Sensitivity to the Mean State”
10:00 – 10:30 Break
10:30 – 11:15 Alex Jahn – “Effect of the Large-scale Atmospheric Circulation on the Arctic Ocean Freshwater and Heat Exchange”
11:15 – 12:00 Wieslaw Maslowski – “On Modeling the Oceanic Heat Fluxes from the North Pacific/Atlantic into the Arctic Ocean”
12:00 – 1:30 Lunch
1:30 – 2:15 David Lawrence – “Accelerated Warming during Abrupt Sea Ice Loss Events and Implications for Permafrost Degradation”
2:15 – 3:00 Jean-Francois Lamarque and John Orlando – “Arctic Tropospheric Chemistry and Sea-ice changes: Possible Links and Feedbacks “
3:00 – 3:30 Break
3:30 – 4:15 Scott Elliott – “High Latitude Biogeochemistry in COSIM”
4:15 – 5:00 Dave Bromwich – “Antarctic Snowfall in IPCC Models”
THURSDAY, 17 January

8:00 – 8:30  Coffee

8:30 – 9:00  Marika Holland and Dave Bailey – “CCSM 3.5/4.0 Update”

9:00 – 9:30  Bill Lipscomb – “Ice Sheets in CCSM”


10:15 – 10:45  Break

10:45 – 11:30  Bruno Trembley – “Convergence of Sea Ice Dynamic Models”

11:30 – 1:00  Lunch

1:00 – 1:30  Elizabeth Hunke – “CICE Update and Future Plans”

1:30 – 3:00  Discussion

3:00  Adjourn