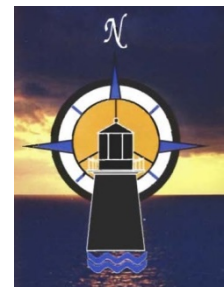




**National Association of Marine Laboratories
Winter Meeting
1201 New York Avenue NW
4th floor Ocean Leadership Conference Room
Washington, D.C.
March 1-2, 2015**



Sunday -- March 1, 2015

Location: Hotel W Washington DC; 515 15th Street NW, Washington, D.C. 20004

- 2:00PM** **Opening Remarks - Nancy Rabalais and Mike DeLuca**
- 2:15PM** **Briefing on the Federal Science Budget and Policy Environment and
Presentation of FY 2015 NAML Public Policy Agenda- Joel Widder and Meg
Thompson, Partners, Federal Science Partners and Consultants to NAML**
- 2:45PM** **Discussion and Disposition of NAML Public Policy Agenda and Related
Resolution**
- 3:45PM** **NAML Business/Board Meeting**
- 4:15PM** **Regional Meetings: WAML; SAML; and NEAMGLL**
- 5:00PM** **Regional Meetings report out**
- 5:30PM** **Reception**
- 6:30PM** **NAML Dinner**
- 7:30PM** **Dinner Speaker: Dr. Shirley A. Pomponi, Co-Chair, NAS Decadal Survey of
Ocean Science 2015**
- 8:00PM:** **Adjourn**

Monday – March 2, 2015

Location: Consortium for Ocean Leadership, 1201 New York Avenue NW, Suite 400

- 8:00AM: Coffee and continental breakfast**
- 8:15AM: Nancy Rabalais, President NAML/Mike DeLuca, Chair Public Policy Committee**
- 8:45AM: Widder/Thompson – Overview of the day’s speakers/issues**
- 9:00AM: Speaker: Dr. Russell Callender, Acting Assistant Administrator, National Ocean Service (confirmed)**
- 9:45AM: Speaker: Kolo Rathburn/Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Commerce-Justice- Science (Kolo Rathburn – confirmed)**
- 10:30AM: Break**
- 10:45AM: Speaker: Dr. Sarah Oktay, President, OBFS (confirmed)**
- 11:45AM: Speaker: Dr. Richard (Rick) Murray, NEW NSF Division Director for Ocean Sciences (confirmed)**
- 12:45PM: Pick Up Lunch at Credenza outside Ocean Leadership Conference Room**
- 1:00PM: Lunch Speaker: Dr. Rick Spinrad, Chief Scientist, NOAA (confirmed)**
- 2:00PM: Speaker: Dr. Charles D. Liarakos, Senior Advisor, Directorate for Biological Sciences, NSF**
- 3:00PM: Break**
- 3:30PM: Speaker: Ms. Sherri Goodman, President and CEO, Consortium for Ocean Leadership**
- 4:00PM: Speaker: Dr. Libby Jewett, Program Director, Ocean Acidification, Office of Oceanic and Atmospheric Research (confirmed)**
- 4:45PM: Speaker: STEM Education – Dr. Louisa Koch, Director of Education, NOAA (confirmed) and Dr. Jill Karsten, Geoscience Education, National Science Foundation (confirmed)**
- 5:30PM: Mike Deluca/Joel Widder/Meg Thompson – Action/Follow Up Items for NAML**
- 5:45PM: Nancy Rabalais – closing remarks and adjournment**