

Agenda for A2C2 IGERT Retreat
Sept. 12-14, 2013
Darling Marine Center (Walpole, Maine)

You can find directions to the Darling Marine Center at:

<http://www.dmc.maine.edu/travel.html>

Thursday Evening, September 12th

5:00 – 7:00 pm – Arrival and check-in (please come to the registration desk in Brooke Hall).

7:00 pm – Welcome & Introductions, Dr. Jasmine Saros
(A2C2 IGERT Program Director and Associate Director, University of Maine
Climate Change Institute)

7:30 pm – Presentation on Abrupt Climate Change by Dr. Paul Mayewski
(Director, University of Maine Climate Change Institute)

8:30 pm – Presentation on Environmental Security by Dr. Elizabeth Chalecki
(Visiting Research Fellow, [Stimson Center](#) and author of [Environmental Security:
A Guide to the Issues](#))

Campfire on the shore of the Damariscotta River after the talks (weather permitting)

Friday, September 13th

7:00 am – Breakfast

8:00 am – Overview of retreat schedule and goals, program progress update (Saros)

8:30 – 10:30 am – Cohort I Presentations

*Samuel Belknap
Mo Correll
Bjorn Grigholm
Jessica Scheick*

10:30 am – Break

10:45 am – 12:15 pm – Adaptation Partner Presentations

Norm Anderson ([Maine CDC](#))
Dr. Elizabeth Chalecki (Visiting Research Fellow, [Stimson Center](#))
Greg Havens ([Sasaki](#))
Dr. Matthew Nisbet ([American University](#), [ClimateShift](#))

12:30 – 1:30 pm – Lunch and networking with adaptation partners

1:30 – 3:00 pm – “World-Café” roundtable discussions focused on adaptation to abrupt climate change

3:00 pm – Break

3:15 – 4:00 pm – *“Working with Policy People: Tales of an Interdisciplinary Trade”*
Dr. Rich Horwitz (Senior Fellow, University of Rhode Island Coastal Institute; Professor Emeritus, University of Iowa; A2C2 IGERT External Evaluator)

4:00 – 4:30 pm - Report on class project from New England Complex Systems Institute short course (Cohort I)

4:30 – 5:00 pm – INT 500 update (Cohort I)

5:00 pm – Social Hour

6:00 pm – Dinner

7:00 pm – A2C2 IGERT strategy session/discussion (IGERT faculty only)

- What is working
- How to move forward
- Ongoing faculty engagement

7:00 pm – Introduction to the Center for Ocean Sciences Education Excellence (COSEE)
(for Cohorts I and II)

Saturday, September 14th

8:00 am – Breakfast

9:00 am – Optional tour of Darling Marine Center

10:00 am – Optional social field trip to Pemaquid Point Lighthouse