

Agenda for 2003 SCOR Executive Committee Meeting

	Monday, Sept. 15	Tues., Sept. 16	Wed., Sept. 17	Thurs., Sept. 18	Fri, Sept. 19
9:00	Introductions and Logistics Approval of Agenda	JGOFS	Presentations of Russian Ocean Science (cont.)	IGBP SCAR/IPY SCOPE	Census of Marine Life Special Symposium
9:15	President's Report				
9:30	Exec. Director's Report	GLOBEC			
9:45	Appointment of Ad Hoc Finance and Disciplinary Balance Committees				
10:00	Disbanded WGs				
10:15					
10:30	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
10:45					
11:00	Current WGs	SOLAS	Presentations of Russian Ocean Science (cont.)	Affiliated Organizations Affiliated Projects Others	Census of Marine Life Special Symposium
11:15					
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14:00	Current WGs	Presentations of Russian Ocean Science	LOICZ	<u>Secretariat</u> 2004 Elections Membership Publications Finances Report of Ad Hoc Finance Committee Report of Ad Hoc Disciplinary Balance Committee SCOR-Related Meetings	Tour of P.P. Shirshov Institute of Oceanology
14:15					
14:30					
14:45					
15:00	WG Proposals		Capacity Building		
15:15					
15:30					
15:45	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
16:00	WG Proposals (cont.)	Presentations of Russian Ocean Science (cont.)	Capacity Building (cont.)	Executive Committee (closed session)	Tour of P.P. Shirshov Institute of Oceanology (cont.)
16:15					
16:30			IOC PICES Other Intergovernmental Organizations		
16:45					
17:00					
17:15					
17:30			ICSU		
17:45					
18:00		Reception			

Logistical information for 2003 SCOR Executive Committee Meeting

Meeting Location

The 2003 SCOR Executive Committee meeting will be held at the Russian Academy of Sciences Headquarters, in Moscow, in the Presidential Hall in 32a, Leninsky Prospect. The Academy can be reached with a 10-minute walk from the Hotel Sputnik.

Transportation from the Airport to the Hotel

Two international airports serve Moscow: "Sheremetievo II" and "Domodedovo". Transportation to the Sputnik Hotel can be obtained from either airport. The best way to reach the city from the airport is by taxi. The cost is around US\$35. To book a taxi or bus in advance, see <http://www.go-to.ru>. The trip from the airport to the hotel will take about 1 hour.

Hotel

We have reserved 50 rooms at the Hotel Sputnik. The contact information for the hotel is

Address: 38, Leninsky Prospect, Moscow, 117334
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Web site: <http://www.hotelsputnik.ru/sputeng.htm>

The nearest metro station to the hotel is "Leninsky Prospect".

The hotel charges for SCOR Executive Committee members will be paid directly by SCOR. SCOR will also guarantee rooms for other participants until they arrive, after which participants must arrange for payment.

Breakfast is included in the hotel room rate.

Money

Visa, MasterCard, and Maestro cards are accepted at the Hotel Sputnik and there is a money exchange service at the hotel. Most better restaurants in Moscow accept the major credit cards, including restaurants in the Russian Academy of Sciences building. Automated teller machines are available and traveler checks are generally accepted. The transportation service from the airport recommended above accepts U.S. dollars and Euros, so you may want to arrive in Moscow with one of these currencies.

Computers

Computers with Internet access are available in the business office of the Hotel Sputnik and of the Russian Academy of Sciences (near the meeting room).

Safety

As in all major cities, care should be taken not to take valuables outside the hotel unnecessarily. Take care to keep your valuables in the hotel safe at the front desk. Do not open your hotel room door to unknown persons.

Theaters, museums

Recommended cultural venues include:

- Musical theatres and concert halls
- Opera and ballet performances (Bolshoi theatre, Kremlin concert hall, New opera, New ballet)
- Russian musicals
- Conservatory
- Igor Moiseev folk dance
- Tretiakov Gallery of Russian Art
- Pushkin Museum of Fine Art

Excursions

Several different excursions can be arranged. Many tourist companies have Web sites, but most of them are in Russian. The Web site <http://www.welt.ru> has an English version. There are many variants of excursions in Moscow and to other parts of Russia on the site, but it may be difficult to arrange excursions in English. Some excursions include

- Moscow *Kremlin* and *Kremlin museums and cathedrals*
- General sightseeing, bus excursion about Moscow
- Bus excursion to *Sergiev Posad* – the historical center of Russian Orthodox church
- Two-day bus excursion to ancient Russian towns – *Suzdal, Vladimir, Bogolyubovo* - about \$120
- Three-day excursion to *St. Petersburg* (Hermitage, Peter and Paul fortress, Isaak cathedral, Pavlovsk, etc..) – about \$250 (hotel and train transportation involved)

Integration of Russian and World Science to Attack an Actual Oceanological Problems

(draft agenda)

1.	Vyacheslav B.Lobanov	Oceanographic studies of the Russian Far Eastern Seas by the and international programs"	Pacific Oceanological Institute of FEBRAS ¹
2.	Ruslan G. Kulinich	Geological and geophysical research of the Russian Far Eastern Seas	Pacific Oceanological Institute of FEBRAS
3.	Sergey M. Priamikov, Ivan E. Frolov, Alexandr I. Danilov	Arctic Ocean Oceanography Studies	Arctic and Antarctic Research Institute of Hydrometeorological Service
4.	Alexandr V. Klepikov Alexandr I. Danilov Nikolay N. Antipov	Physical Oceanography of the Antarctic Zone of the Southern Ocean: a Review of Russian Studies	Arctic and Antarctic Research Institute of Hydrometeorological Service
5.	Georgy A. Cherkashov	Oceanic hydrothermal systems and submarine gas hydrates: controversial scientific issues	VNIIOkeangeologia of Ministry of Nature Resources
6.	Andrey S. Krovnin, Boris N. Kotenev	Changes in the state of the main commercial fish stocks in the North Atlantic and North Pacific in the context of climatic variations	Russian Federal Research Institute of Fisheries & Oceanography
7.	Oleg A. Bulatov and Boris N. Kotenev	Prospects of Ecosystem Approach to Fisheries Management	Russian Federal Research Institute of Fisheries & Oceanography
8.	Peter O.Zavialov Andrey G. Kostianoy	Aral Sea Crisis: History, Present Conditions and Future Scenario	P.P.Shirshov Institute of Oceanology
9.	Tamara A. Shiganova*, Mark I. Karpuk***, Stanislav P.Volovik**	Effects of exotic ctenophore blooms on ecosystems of the Southern Seas of Europe Effects of exotic ctenophore blooms on ecosystems of the Southern Seas of Europe	*P.P.Shirshov Institute of Oceanology **Azov Institute for fisheries ***Caspian Institute for Fisheries
10.	Vladimir P.Tereschenkov, Sergey A. Dobrolubov, Alexey V. Sokov.	North Atlantic Water Masses, Meridional Overturning and the Circulation Modes	P.P.Shirshov Institute of Oceanology
11.	Eugene G. Morozov.	Internal Waves and Mixing Based on Recent Measurements and Modeling	P.P.Shirshov Institute of Oceanology

12.	E.M.Galimov*, D.K.Futterer**, R.Stein**, K.Fahl**, O.V.Stepanets*.	Siberian river run-off in the Kara Sea: Characterisation, quantification, variability and environmental significance	*Vernadsky Institute of Geochemistry and Analytical Chemistry **Alfred-Wegener- Institute for Polar and Marine Research
13.	Sergey B. Tambiev, Vladimir N. Shevchenko, Irina A. Nemirovskaya	Sea Ice Geochemistry and Pollution in Arctic and Antarctic.	P.P.Shirshov Institute of Oceanology
14.	Sergey K. Gulev	Global Climatology of the Sea State: Challenges for Air-Sea Interaction Studies	P.P.Shirshov Institute of Oceanology
15.	Andrei G. Zatsepin, Elena G. Arashkevich, Anna I. Ginzburg, Andrey G. Kostianoy, Vyacheslav V. Kremenetskiy, Sergey. G. Poyarkov, Victor M. Zhurbas	Modern Studies of the Black Sea Dynamics and its Effect on the Marine Ecosystem	P.P.Shirshov Institute of Oceanology
16.	A.O. Мазарович и др. Alexandr O. Mazarovich and	Tectonic Formation Features of the Central Atlantic on the Basis of the Large Data Bases Processing.	Geological Institute of RAS
17.	Olga S. Temnykh, G.V.Khen, I.I.Glebov	NPAFC Bering-Aleutian Salmon International Survey (BASIS): Problems, Prospects, First Results of Investigation in the Western Bering Sea.	Pacific Fisheries Research Centre
18.	Nicolay G. Yakovlev	Modeling of Large Scale State of Water and Sea Ice in the Arctic Ocean	Institute of Numerical Mathematics of RAS
19.	Boris V. Levin	Project of Creation of the International South Kurilean Geophysical Field Experimental Station (ISK GEFEST)	Institute of Marine Geology and Geophysics, Far East Division of RAS

¹ FEBRAS Far East Branch of Russian Academy of Sciences

Agenda for Census of Marine Life Special Symposium
at SCOR Executive Committee Meeting
Moscow, Russia
19 September 2003

The Census of Marine Life (CoML) became a SCOR-Affiliated Program at the Sapporo meeting in 2002. This Symposium will provide the Executive with a broader perspective on CoML, report on recent developments and highlight and encourage Russian participation.

Friday, 19 September

Session 1

- 9:00 Welcome by Chair of the EuroCoML Committee
Ulf Lie, University of Bergen, Norway (Moderator, 1st Session)
- 9:10 Recent Advances in the Census.
Ron O'Dor, CORE, Washington, D.C.
- 9:30 The History of Marine Animal Populations Project (HMAP)
Daniel Alexandrov, European University at St. Petersburg
- 10:00 Natural Geography In Shore Areas (NaGISA) & Arctic Transect Projects
Vladimir Kasyanov, Far East Science Center, RAS, Vladivostok
- 10:30 Coffee

Session 2 (Moderator, 2nd Session, Ron O'Dor)

- 10:45 Mid-Atlantic Ridge (MAR-ECO) and Chemosynthetic Ecosystem (ChEss) Projects
Andrey Gebruk, Shirshov Institute, RAS, Moscow
- 11:05 The Ocean Biogeographic Information System - from Museum to GOOS
Annelies Pierrot-Bults, University of Amsterdam
- 11:25 Discussion followed by a luncheon
- 13:00 Closing presentation. *Jesse Ausubel*, Sloan Foundation, New York

Participants will be available in the afternoon for further discussion of the program.

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Moscow, Russia
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