

**National Sea Grant Advisory Board (NSGAB) Spring Meeting  
February 27-28, 2014  
AGENDA  
Virtual Meeting**

**Thursday, February 27, 2014**

**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC 10:00 am – 4:00 pm EST**

- 10:00 – 10:15 Welcome, review of agenda, approval of minutes (Rollie Schmitten, Chair NSGAB)
- 10:15 – 10:30 Chair’s update (R. Schmitten, NSGAB)
- 10:30 – 11:15 National Sea Grant College Program, Director’s Update (Leon Cammen, Director, National Sea Grant Office - NSGO)
- 11:15 – 11:45 Sea Grant Association Update (LaDon Swann, President, Sea Grant Association)
- 11:45 – 12:00 Discussion of morning topics (R. Schmitten, NSGAB)
- 12:00 – 1:00 Break for Lunch
- 1:00 – 1:30 Site Visits (Sami Grimes, National Sea Grant Office - NSGO)
- 1:30 – 2:15 Biennial Report Update (R. Fortner, NSGAB)
- 2:15 – 2:45 Sea Grant Reauthorization Update (L. Cammen, NSGO, R. Schmitten, NSGAB)
- 2:45 – 3:00 Break
- 3:00 – 3:30 Dr. Bob Detrick, Assistant Administrator, NOAA Research
- 3:30 – 3:45 Public Comment Period
- 3:45 – 4:00 Discussion of afternoon topics and wrap-up (R. Schmitten, NSGAB)
- 4:00 Public Meeting recessed until 1:00 pm Friday, February 28, 2014
- 4:00 – 5:00 Advisory Board Business Meeting (Board Only)**

**Friday, February 28, 2014**

**10:00 am -12:00 pm EEO/Diversity Training (Board Only)**

**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm EST**

1:00 – 2:00 Allocation Committee Update (L. Cammen, NSGO and D. Vortmann, NSGAB)

2:00 – 2:30 NSGO Website and public project and impact search update (E. Ban, NSGO)

2:30 – 3:00 Focus Area Updates (Tammy Newcomer and Elizabeth Bevan, NSGO Knauss Fellows)

3:00 – 3:30 Sea Grant Education Impacts (R. Fortner, NSGAB)

3:30 – 3:45 Pennsylvania Sea Grant College Status Request (Dorn Carlson, NSGO)

3:30 – 4:00 Discussion of afternoon topics and wrap-up (R. Schmitten, NSGAB)

**4:00 Meeting Adjourned**