



[HOME](#)
[ABOUT](#)
[SCIENCE PLAN](#)
[OUTREACH](#)
[PAST MEETINGS](#)
[BIBLIOGRAPHY](#)

[LINKS](#)

## 2009 WAIS Workshop Agenda

Saturday, September 26, 2009		
4:00 to 6:00	Registration	Scott Hall
7:00 to 9:00	DINNER (Pizza and Drinks)	Dining Hall
Sunday, September 27, 2009		
8:00	BREAKFAST	Dining Hall
8:00	Registration	Scott Hall
9:00	Welcomes and Introductions	Scott Hall
	<b>Topic #1: "Shelf-Life"</b> – How intense is the interaction of the ocean with the ice shelves and what is expected in the future?	

9:30	Using oceanographic data to calculate the melt rate at an ice shelf's base <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Nicholls
9:45	Ocean circulation and water mass transformation beneath Filchner–Ronne Ice Shelf: results from a three dimensional ocean model <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Makinson
10:00	Modelling Amery Ice–Shelf/Ocean Interaction <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Galton–Fenzi
10:15	Overturning of the Antarctic Slope Front and ice shelf melting along the coast of Dronning Maud Land <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Nost
10:30	BREAK (30 min.)	
11:00	Bathymetry beneath Pine Island Glacier revealed by Autosub3 and implications for recent ice stream evolution <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Jenkins
11:15	Ocean properties beneath Pine Island Glacier revealed by Autosub3 and implications for circulation and melting <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Dutrieux
11:30	Effects of waves on ice shelves <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Sergienko
11:45	Seismic Studies of Glacier Calving <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Walter
12:00	Poster Introductions (30 min.)	
12:30	LUNCH (90 min.)	Dining Hall

2:00	Idiosyncrasies of Measurements and Mixing in Seawater Near Freezing <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	McPhee
2:15	Grounding line basal melt rates determined from internal stratigraphy <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Catania
2:30	Analysis of ice plains on Ross and Filchner/Ronne ice shelves using ICESat data <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Brunt
2:45	Antarctic ice shelf thickness estimates derived from satellite altimetry <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Griggs
3:00	A Time-Dependent Model of Pine Island Glacier Constrained by Satellite Observations <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Joughin
3:15	BREAK (30 min.)	
3:45	GPS velocity from the Pine Island Glacier drainage area <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Truffer
4:00	Wind Effects on Circumpolar Deep Water Intrusions on the West Antarctic Peninsula Continental Shelf <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Dinniman
4:15	Marine ice in Larsen Ice Shelf <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Holland, P.
4:30	Antarctic Ice Shelf Environmental Survey and Oceanographic Capability: Interdisciplinary Science Plans and Prospects <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Rack
4:45	PANEL DISCUSSION (30 min.)	Plenary

5:15	BREAK (45 min.)	
6:00	DINNER	Dining Hall
7:00	Poster session (2 hr.)	
Monday, September 28, 2009		
8:00	Breakfast	Dining Hall
	<b>Topic #2: "Answering the Call"</b> – How are models being used to predict the future of the ice sheet and future sea level?	
9:00	Inferring Transients in Ice Flow, Ice Thickness, and Accumulation Rate from Internal Layers near the WAIS Divide ice-core site <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPTX]</a>	Koutnik
9:15	The interaction of context and structural uncertainty in ice sheet modeling <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Little
9:30	High-resolution simulation of the extent and flow of Antarctic Peninsula glaciers <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Golledge
9:45	The failure of fracture mechanics: (Or can fracture mechanics be used to predict when melt ponds will drain?) <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Bassis
10:00	Ice sheet water models: routing, timing, and pressure distribution <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Carter
10:15	BREAK (30 min.)	

10:45	The Dilemma of RESOLUTION: How good MUST it be? <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Fastook
11:00	Response of the Antarctic Ice Sheet to increased ice–shelf oceanic melting <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Pollard
11:15	The heroic age of ice sheet modeling: Glimmer, CISM and all that <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Lipscomb
11:30	SeaRISE: Addressing "How bad could it get"? <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPTX]</a>	Bindschadler
11:45	The Life Cycle of Ice Streams <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Hughes
12:00	PANEL DISCUSSION (30 min.)	Plenary
12:30	LUNCH (75 min.)	Dining Hall
	<b>Topic #3: "Up &amp; Down We Go"</b> – Active subglacial hydrology and what it might mean for West Antarctica's future	
1:45	Basal Reflectivity and Bed Conditions Along the US–ITASE Traverse, Taylor Dome to South Pole <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Jacobel
2:00	Active sub–glacial lakes beneath two more Antarctic outlet glaciers appear to cause rapid speed and elevation changes <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Scambos
2:15	What are your lakes doing to my glaciers? <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Smith, B.
2:30	Stability and drainage of subglacial water systems <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Creyts

2:45	BREAK (30 min.)	
3:15	Progress in modeling sheet-flow outburst flooding <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Rice
3:30	Of Bubbles and Bergs: Underwater Acoustics at the Ice/Ocean Boundary <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Pettit
3:45	The Whillans Ice Stream Subglacial Access Research Drilling (WISSARD) Project <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Fricker
4:00	PANEL DISCUSSION (30 min.)	Plenary
4:30	BREAK (15 min.)	
	<b>Topic #4: "Doctors with a Drill"</b> – Where, why and when should the next deep ice core in West Antarctica be drilled?	
4:45	Modelling and measurements of vertical strain-rates under ice domes and ridges <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Gillet-Chaulet
5:00	Antarctic temperature change and its relevance to future ice core drilling efforts <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Steig
5:15	PANEL DISCUSSION (30 min.)	Plenary
5:45	BREAK (15 min.)	
6:00	DINNER	Dining Hall
7:00	Poster Session (2 hr.)	

Tuesday, September 29, 2009		
8:00	Breakfast	Dining Hall
	<b>Topic #5: "Exposed!"</b> – If the ice sheet were largely removed during the last interglacial, what would we find at the bottom of WAIS Divide or elsewhere revealing this history?	
9:00	Reconstructing past Antarctic ice flow paths using detrital zircon provenance <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Schilling
9:15	Subglacial Landform Analysis and Reconstruction of Miocene Paleotopography of Marie Byrd Land <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Spector
9:30	Preservation of Pliocene age surfaces beneath the WAIS: Insights from emergent nunataks in the Ohio Range <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Ackert
9:45	Active–Recent Volcanism Associated With the West Antarctic Rift System Interpreted From Aerogeophysical Observations, and Possible Effects on the Stability of the West Antarctic Ice Sheet <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Behrendt
10:00	AGAP: Exploring the Gamburtsev Subglacial Mountains with Aerogeophysical Surveys during the IPY <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Studinger
10:15	BREAK (30 min.)	
10:45	Variation in Subglacial Roughness in West Antarctica: What does this mean for pre ice sheet sediment provenance? <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Young

11:00	Pleistocene WAIS history from marine sediment cores <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Scherer
11:15	A Probabilistic Assessment of the WAIS and Greenland Contributions to Sea Level during the Last Interglacial <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Oppenheimer
11:30	Anisotropic basal roughness at scales close to the transition wavelength beneath upper Thwaites Glacier <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	MacGregor
11:45	PANEL DISCUSSION (30 min.)	Plenary
12:15	LUNCH (90 min.)	Dining Hall
	<b>Topic #6: "Life on the Edge"</b> – What is happening, once happened or might happen beyond the ice sheet margin that relates to the future of West Antarctica?	
1:45	Is ice mechanical heterogeneity controlling the stability of the Larsen C ice shelf? <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PPT]</a>	Kulesa
2:00	Numerical model investigation of Crane Glacier response to collapse of Larsen–B Ice Shelf, Antarctic Peninsula <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Campbell
2:15	Factors Regulating Post–LGM Retreat of the Pine Island and Marguerite Ice Streams <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Anderson
2:30	PANEL DISCUSSION (15 min.)	
	WAIS/FRISP business	
3:00	Adjourn	



	<b>Posters</b>	
	West Antarctic Ice Sheet Elevations near the Ice Divide prior to the LGM <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Ackert
	The Antarctic Glaciological Data Center  An Archive for NSF Antarctic Program Glaciological Research <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Bauer
	Decadal flow variations of Whillans and Kamb Ice Streams from high resolution GPS measurements <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Beem
	Peering Beneath the Ice Sheet: AGAP Evidence for a More Dynamic East Antarctica <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Bell
	A second MODIS Mosaic of Antarctica: MOA-2009 <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Bohlander
	Analogue modeling of water flow under ice; what can we learn? <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Catania
	Geometric enhancement of the absorption of incoming insolation on complex terrain <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Cathles
	Changes in the surface velocity of Thwaites Glacier from differential GPS observations <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Christianson
	A comparison of geophysical observations of a Greenlandic supraglacial lake drainage using commercial instruments and a low-cost experimental alternative <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Christianson

	Constraints on the Timing of the Last Deglaciation of Antarctica <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Clark
	Oceanographic Observations Pertinent to the Petermann Glacier <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Falkner
	Past Flow Conditions of Thwaites Glacier revealed by radar-detected internal layer patterns <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Fudge
	Modeling Abrupt Change in Global Sea Level due to Ocean-Ice-sheet Interaction <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Gladish
	Surface Elevation Changes at the Front of the Ross Ice Shelf;  Implications for Basal Melting <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Horgan
	Convection-driven melting near the grounding lines of ice shelves and tidewater glaciers <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Jenkins
	A Closer look at evidence for subglacial drainage systems in Pine Island Bay, Antarctica <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Kirshner
	Using the level set method to track ice sheet boundaries <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Lindsey
	Examining the slope-driven control of basal melting <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Little
	Glaciology of the Bottleneck, Amery Ice Shelf <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Lurie
	Limits to WAIS Predictability? <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	MacAyeal

	Estimating englacial radar attenuation using depth profiles of the returned power, central West Antarctica <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PNG]</a>	Matsuoka
	Assessing Assessments: a sociocultural history of the West Antarctic Ice Sheet <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	O'Reilly
	Glaciology of the Bottleneck <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Pingree
	Subglacial Landform Analysis and Reconstruction of Miocene Paleotopography of Marie Byrd Land <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Spector
	Provenance Implications of Cenozoic Basalt in East Antarctica <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Townsend
	Recent thinning and migration of the Western Divide,  central West Antarctica <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Waddington
	Initial effects of oceanic warming on a coupled ocean-ice shelf-ice stream system <a href="#">[Abstract]</a> <a href="#">[PDF]</a>	Walker
	Autonomous unmanned platforms and sensors for polar research applications <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Wardell
	Analyzing TAMSEIS for Seismic Events of High Temporal Regularity Beneath David Glacier in the Transantarctic Mountains <a href="#">[Abstract]</a>	Zoet

[2023 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2022 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2022 Agenda](#)

[2021 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2021 Agenda](#)

---

[2020 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2020 Agenda](#)

---

[2019 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2019 Agenda](#)

---

[2018 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2018 Agenda](#)

---

[2017 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2017 Agenda](#)

---

[2016 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2016 Agenda](#)

---

[2015 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2015 Agenda](#)

---

[2014 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2014 Agenda](#)

---

[2013 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2013 Agenda](#)

---

[2012 WAIS Workshop](#)

[2012 Agenda](#)

---

[Previous Meetings](#)

---