

IACC Planning Subcommittee Update

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Recommendations for Updating 2011 IACC Strategic Plan

- Focus the 2011 update primarily on measuring progress on the 2010 Plan.
- Addition of new research objectives to the Plan should be based on:
 - Scientific advances.
 - Progress on current research objectives that creates a need to move to the next level.
- Use the annual ASD Research Portfolio Analysis to gauge progress on the Plan.

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Recommendations for Updating 2011 IACC Strategic Plan - continued

- Use the annual Summary of Advances to update the “What do we know?” sections of the Plan.
- Gather articles for the annual Summary of Advances twice a year: in the summer/fall for use in the updating process and after the year ends.
- Conduct a RFI covering the whole plan to gather public input for the “What do we need” sections of the plan.

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Recommendations for Updating 2011 IACC Strategic Plan – continued

- Conduct a scientific workshop to more deeply probe an area of interest that might be explored for the update of the Strategic Plan – topic to be selected by the full committee.
Date: October 2010.
- Planning Subcommittee members develop proposed revisions for each chapter of the Plan for consideration by full committee.

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Request for Information Proposal

- Organized by Chapter, including the Introduction and an “other comments” category – 9 categories in all.
- Two questions for each chapter and the introduction:
 - “What has been learned about the issues covered in this chapter in the past year?”
 - “What are the remaining gaps in the subject area covered by this chapter?”
- Total number of response boxes in the proposed form: 17 boxes.
- OARC recommends 500 characters per box, which will result in 8,500 characters (about 3 pages single spaced per respondent). The 2009 RFI received 290 responses.