

Memo of 42nd DSWG Teleconference

Time: January 22nd, 2014 14:00-15:00 UTC

Participants:

David Halpern(Chair), Greg Whitee, Nico Bonora, Takuyuki Kawai, Jose-Miguel Rubio, Miles Gabriel, Frank Lantsheer, Toshi Kamei, Catherine Doldiria, Bob Chen, Steve Browdy, Paul Uhler, Noassilalaono Ambinintsoa, Michel Schouppe, Osamu Ochiai, Wenbo Chu

1. Summary of GEO-X Plenary and Summit

David Halpern

- Saw high level government representatives and evidence of improvements on data sharing
- COSPAR suggested to nominate additional cochairs of DSWG from Mid-east, Latin America and Asia-Pacific regions

Greg Whitee

- Pleased by the side event and exhibits, found people put data sharing in their mind

Bob Chen

- Satisfied at the level of attention paid to data sharing in developing regions, hopes DSWG can do sth on that

Noassilalaono Ambinintsoa

- Appreciated the efforts of all and the Prime Minister of Madagascar was very happy the Summit event.

2. Summary of data sharing internal meeting

Greg Whitee

- Valued discussion face to face on DSPs
- suggested a dedicated telecon to put the ideas together and pick out 2014 priorities of DSWG (**Cochairs' action**)

3. Summary of DSWG Side Event

Michel Schouppe

- impressed by the panel with people sharing experiences in different countries and international organizations
- Barbara stated at Opening that she would take data sharing as priority
- Suggested DSWG to discuss the options for actions for the new DSPs: a) to simply have DSPs well-updated in the next GEO 10 Year Implementation Plan process; or b) to submit for GEO-XI plenary approval (**DSWG's action at 43rd telecon**)

Bob Chen

- Introduced Dr. Simon Hodson, Executive Director of CODATA, as a new member of DSWG
- Posted Side Event Summary as below
<http://codata.org/blog/2014/01/21/implementation-of-data-sharing-principles-geo-side-event/>

Greg Whitee

- Valued Secretariat's efforts (printing a flyer) on preparing the Side Event
- Suggested to post slides of panel presentations on GEO Website or FTPsite
(Secretariat's action)

4. Way forward of the new Data Sharing Principles

Catherine Doldirina

- Introduced briefly what has been discussed during the DSWG internal meeting in Geneva – mainly incorporated the feedbacks for two versions of DSPs and added the conclusion section
- Announced a dedicated telecon to be held in Feb 3rd to discuss more details.
- Supposes to finish drafting DSPs and share with the community by mid of March with envisioning the schedule of possible formulation of the new GEO Implementation Plan Working Group (IPWG) at next GEO Executive Committee meeting in mid March.
- Raised a question with referring the Canadian case if the relationship of the private sectors should be added or not – reactions from the participants were mostly negative as it would be too early.

Steve Browdy

- Suggested new DSPs compatible with private sectors such as license and intellectual properties

5. Other Business

Osamu Ochiai

- Introduced Regular teleconference schedule as follows:
43rd February 12 RSA
44th March 5th ICSU
45th March 26th US
46th April 16th EC

47th May 7th COSPAR
48th May 28th RSA
49th June 18th ICSU
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