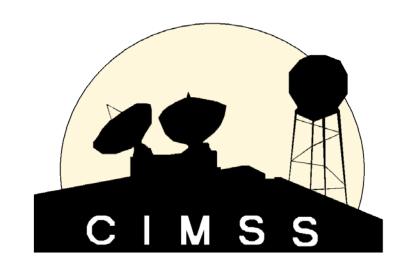




ESIP Teacher Workshops: History, Synergy, Scope and Impact

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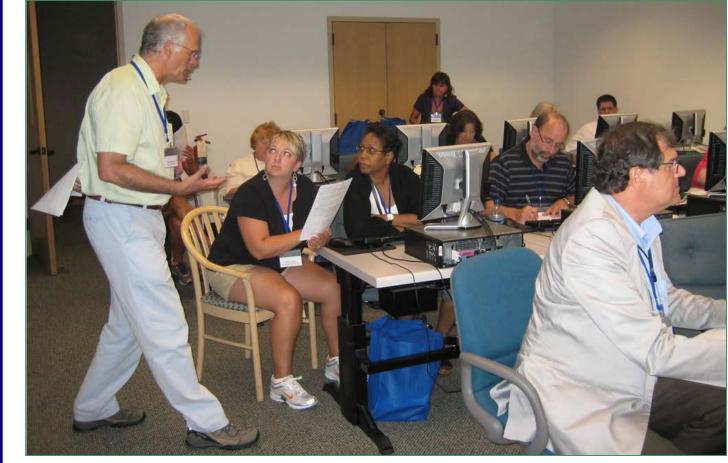


With support from NOAA, the Cooperative Institute for Meteorological Satellite Studies (CIMSS) has been organizing workshops for G6-12 science teachers at ESIP summer meetings since 2009. The overall theme of each workshop is Earth science education with an integral strand dedicated to climate literacy. Break-out sessions offer participating teachers a choice of different hands-on demonstrations of how Earth science data can be used in their classrooms. By inviting regional educators to a conference where ESIP members are already gathering, the carbon footprint of each teacher workshop is kept to a minimum. Furthermore, workshop outcomes align with the ESIP Education Committee mission statement as well as NOAA, NASA and CIMSS Education goals. In many ways, ESIP teacher workshops represent the perfect synergy of sponsoring agencies institutional intention, ESIP members efforts to design tools and curriculum that make data matter, and teacher professional development needs.















2009 ESIP Teacher Workshop - Agenda -

Wednesday July 8th

1:00 - Welcome, Overview & Introductions Margaret Mooney, ESIP Education Chair

2:00 - Activities to incorporate NOAA Weather & Climate

Data into the Classroom LuAnn Dahlman, NOAA Climate Program Office

3:00 - Break 3:30 - Ocean Temperature, Salinity and Density

Gregg Foti, NASA PO. DAAC

4:30 - SEAICEBOX: Exploring Sea Ice in the Arctic and Antarctic Regions

Annette Schloss, UNH

5:30 - Conference Reception and poster session

Thursday July 9th

9:00 to 10:00 - Two concurrent sessions

Tommy Jasmin, CIMSS/SSEC, UW-Madison

Robert R. Downs, CIESIN, Columbia University

10:00 - Break

Sampling the Sea

Bruce Caron and Constance Penley

11:30 - Two concurrent sessions

World Ocean Atlas (WOA) Data Viewer

Tamara Ledley, TERC

12:30 - Lunch

2:00 - Two concurrent sessions

Climate Change Activities that clarify the 2007 IPCC Report

NWS Education Products & Services for Teachers,

Students & the Public

Ron Gird, NWS

3:30 - Overview & Recap of ESIP Educational Resources Brian Rogan, ESIP Research and Outreach Coordinator

5:30 Adjourn



UCSB Bren School of Environmental Science

1:30 - Climate Literacy Essential Principles

Tamara Ledley, Climate Literacy Network/TERC

Annette Decharon, Centers for Ocean Sciences Education Excellence

Satellite Observations in Science Education

Using the 2008 TerraViva! SEDAC Viewer in the Classroom

10:30 - - Two concurrent sessions

KML and Google Earth

Raj Singh, Open Geospatial Consortium

Martin Landsfeld, NASA DIAL ACCESS and Bruce Caron

Earth Exploration Toolbook

Margaret Mooney, CIMSS/SSEC, UW-Madison

3:00 to 3:30 Break - Reconvene as one group after break

4:00 to 5:30 - Shar-a-thon, evaluations, wrap-up



2010 ESIP Teacher Workshop University of Tennessee Knoxville - Agenda -

Tuesday July 20th

8:30 - NOAA Climate Stewards Meeting

Peg Steffan, NOAA NOS

Jim Brey, AMS Education

Noon - Lunch

1:30 - Welcome, Overview & Introductions

Margaret Mooney, ESIP Education Chair

1:40 - ESIP Overview Brian Rogan, Foundation for Earth Science

2:00 - NOAA NWS Education Products and Services

Ron Gird, NWS

3:00 - *Break*

3:30 - Climate Literacy Ambassadors

Steve Ackerman and Margaret Mooney, CIMSS/UW-Madison

5:30 - Adjourn

Wednesday July 21st

8:30 - ESIP Plenary - Theme: Energy and Climate

12:00 - Lunch

1:15 - NASA Earth Observatory

Kevin Ward, NASA

NOAA Climate Portal & Climate Watch Magazine

LuAnn Dahlman, NOAA's Climate Office

2:45 - Break

3:15 - DOE/ORNL Educators Resources

Linda Holmes, Oak Ridge Associated Universities

4:00 EPA Resources for Educators

Ethan McMahon & Lee Pera, EPA

5:00 - Poster Session and Reception

Thursday July 22nd

8:30 - Two concurrent sessions

Sampling the Sea

Bruce Caron and Becky Reid, UCSB

Discovering Earth Science Data & Services Using NASA's Global Change Master Directory (GCMD): The Value for

Earth Science Teachers Tyler Stevens, NASA GCMD

10:00 - Break

10:30 - Two concurrent sessions

Digital Earth Watch & Picture Post - Using Cameras for **Environmental Monitoring**

John Pickle & Annette Schloss, UNH **NEO - NASA Earth Observations**

Kevin Ward, NASA Noon - Lunch

1:30 - Shar-a-thon, evaluations, wrap-up

3:00 - Adjourn



2011 ESIP Teacher Workshop **Santa Fe New Mexico** - Agenda -

Tuesday July 12th

8:30 - Welcome, Overview & Introductions

9:00 - Climate Change 101 & Climate Knowledge for Action Margaret Mooney, CIMSS/SSEC, UW-Madison

10:00 – *Break*

10:30 – How do we understand climate?

LuAnn Dahlman, NOAA Climate Program Office 11:15 - Classroom activities & interactive tools to explore the Carbon Cycle Tommy Jasmin, CIMSS/SSEC, UW-Madison

12:00 – *Lunch*

1:00 to 1:45 Two concurrent sessions Using SEDAC TerraViva! to Analyze Earth Science Data

Robert R. Downs, CIESIN, Columbia University

Using web GIS tool to explore Bioenergy resources

Ranyee Chiang & Rahul Ramachandran, DOE 1:45 to 2:30 Two concurrent sessions

The Climate Literacy and Energy Awareness Network (CLEAN) Pathway Collection and Community

Tamara Ledley, Climate Literacy Network Finding and using map and data services for data intensive

science teaching Karl Benedict, EDAC/University of NM

2:30 Break

3:00 to 3:45 - Two concurrent sessions **SEAICEBOX** Annette Schloss, University of New Hampshire Real-Time Science Collaboration, Connecting Scientists & Data with Students Rafael Ameller, StormCenter Com., Inc.

3:45 to 4:30 - - Two concurrent sessions **Observing the Earth and Visualizing the Future** John Moore, Einstein Fellow, NSF Geosciences

Utilizing the Global Change Master Directory (GCMD) Tyler Stevens, NASA

4:30 - Adjourn

Wednesday July 13th 8:30 - ESIP Overview Erin Robinson, ESIP

9:00 - Communicating Climate Change: Perfecting your elevator speech & responding to concerned parents

Margaret Mooney & LuAnn Dahlman

NOON- Lunch

9:45 - Break 10:00 - Taking it back to the classroom

(divide into 2 groups, middle & high school)

10:30 - Report back & General Share-a-thon 11:15 - Staying Connected with the ESIP Wiki

Becky Reid, Santa Barbara School District 11:45 – Evaluations & wrap-up

AFTERNOON – ESIP Plenary

5:00 – Poster Session & Reception











The 2012 ESIP summer meeting will take place July 17th - 20th on the University of Wisconsin campus in Madison.

Educators attending the teacher workshop will be eligible for time & travel stipends provided by NOAA.