



## **CEOS WGCV Plenary 30**

**26 – 29 May 2009**

**Hosted by the  
Brazilian National Space Agency (INPE)**

**In Ilhabela, Sao Paulo, Brazil**

**Agenda  
Version 1.0**



## **Tuesday 26 May 2009**

### **08:30 Registration & Coffee**

09:00 Introduction & adoption of agenda (Lecomte)

09:20 Welcome and background to INPE's activities

10:00 Chair's report (Lecomte)

10:30 WGCV's action plan, mission statement and group objectives (Lecomte)

11:00 WGCV-29 Action items (Greening)

### **11:10 – 11:30 Coffee**

#### **Subgroup reports**

11:30 Atmospheric Chemistry subgroup report (Lambert)

12:00 Infrared & Visible Optical Sensors subgroup report (Fox)

12:30 Land Product Validation subgroup report (Baret)

### **13:00 – 14:00 Lunch**

14:00 Microwave subgroup report (Buck / Dong)

14:30 SAR subgroup report (Srivastava)

15:00 Terrain Mapping subgroup report (Muller)

### **15:30 – 15:50 Coffee**

#### **Country & agency reports**

15:50 BelSPO/IASB-BIRA (Lambert)

16:10 CIS (Huang)

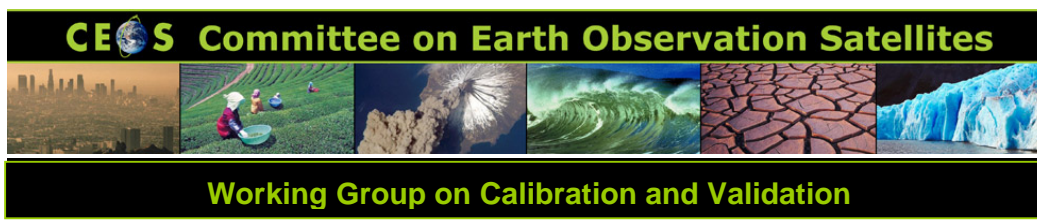
16:30 CSA (Srivastava)

16:50 DLR (von Bargaen)

17:10 DMCii (Mackin)

### **17:30 Close**

### **19:00 Welcome Drink**



**Wednesday 27 May 2009**

**GEO task DA-09-01a & action items**

- 09:00 Task DA-09-01a (Lecomte, Stensaas, Fox)
  - 09:10 Action DA-09-01a\_5: Benchmark Mission Coordination (Fox)
  - 09:20 Action DA-09-01a\_6: Ground-based Cal/Val Campaign (Fox)
  - 09:30 Action DA-09-01a\_7: DOME C Experiment (Cao)
  - 09:40 Action DA-09-01a\_8: Cal/Val & Post-launch Test Sites (Chander)
  - 09:50 Action DA-09-01a\_9: Radiometric Standards (Fox)
  - 10:00 Action DA-09-01a\_11: Reference Test Site Data Collaboration & Comparison (Fox / Chander / Cao)

**Other GEO task actions being led by the WGCV & its subgroups**

- 10:10 Action DA-09-01b\_1: Land Product Harmonisation (Baret)
- 10:20 Action DA-09-01b\_2: Data, Metadata & Product Harmonisation; Interactions between WGCV & WGISS (Apaphant)

**10:40 – 11:00 Coffee**

**QA4EO**

- 11:00 Action DA-09-01a\_10: QA4EO (Lecomte / Stensaas)
- 11:30 GSICS Quality Assurance Processes (Cao)
- 11:45 NPP/NPOESS Cal/Val Programme & Preliminary Experiences towards QA4EO Implementation (St Germain)
- 12:45 NASA Cal/Val Programmes & QA4EO Implementation (Ungar)

**13:00 – 14:00 Lunch**

- 14:00 Action DA-09-03d\_3: Global DEM (Muller)
- 14:10 Action DA-09-03d\_4: Global DEM (Muller)

**Proposed involvement of WGCV in new GEO task activities** (Stensaas)

- 14:20 AR-09-01c: GEOSS Best Practices Registry
- 14:25 DA-09-03a: Global Land Cover
- 14:30 DA-06-01: GEOSS Data Sharing Principles
- 14:35 EC-09-01a: Ecosystem Classification and Mapping
- 14:40 EC-09-01c: Regional Networks for Ecosystems
- 14:45 ST-09-02: Promoting Awareness and Benefits of GEO in the Science and Technology Community
- 14:50 US-09-03c: Bio-geophysical, Soil & Land Surface Data
- 14:55 US-09-05d: Global Phenology Data

**15:00 – 15:30 Coffee**

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15:30 Round-up discussion on GEO task commitments

**Constellations**

16:00 Constellation interactions with WGCV (Stensaas)

16:15 LSI

16:30 Oceans (Johnson)

16:45 Others

17:00 Round-up discussion on Constellation commitments

**17:30 Close**

**20:00 Hosted Dinner**



## **Thursday 28 May 2009**

### **CEOS SEO's interaction with the WGCV**

- 09:00 SEO 2009 tasks and their relevance to the WGCV (Killough)
- 09:30 Specific domain (WGCV Subgroup) inputs to the SEO's Google Earth visualisation tool (Chander)
- 10:10 WGCV website (Greening / Keith)

### **10:40 – 11:00 Coffee**

### **Country & agency reports (continued)**

- 11:00 ESA (Lecomte)
- 11:20 INPE (Fonseca)
- 11:40 INRA (Baret)
- 12:00 JRC (Widlowski)
- 12:20 NASA (Gutman)
- 12:40 NIST (Johnson)

### **13:00 – 14:00 lunch**

- 14:00 NOAA (Cao)
- 14:20 NPL (Fox)
- 14:40 University of Leicester, UK (Llewellyn-Jones)
- 15:00 USGS (Stensaas)
- 15:20 VNIIOFI (Burdakin)

### **15:40 – 16:00 Coffee**

- 16:00 WGCV Future Tasks Discussion / WGCV Committee requirements
- 16:30 Concluding business / discussion including recommendations to CEOS plenary
- 17:00 Action items from this meeting (Greening)
- 17:20 Dates and place for WGCV-31

### **17:30 Close**



**Friday 29 May 2009**

**Schooner Boat trip to  
Jabaquara's Beach / Fome's Beach**