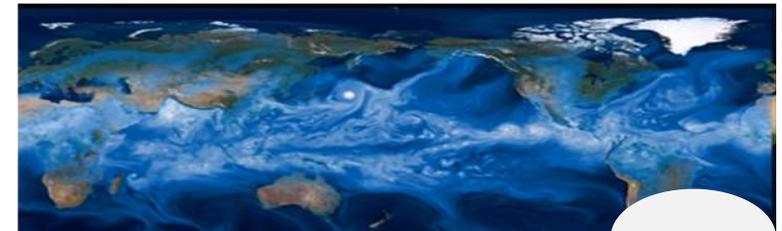
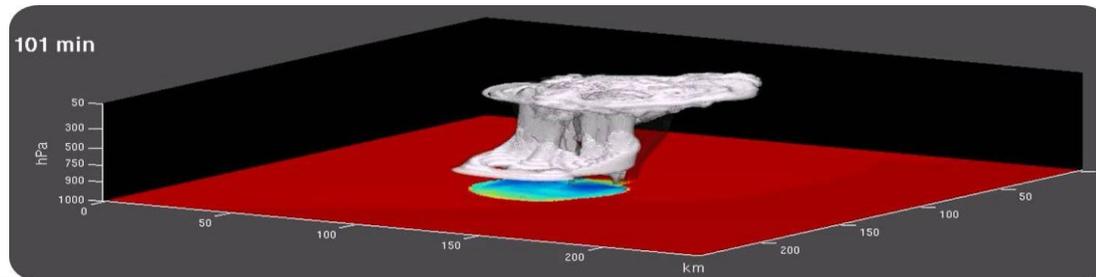
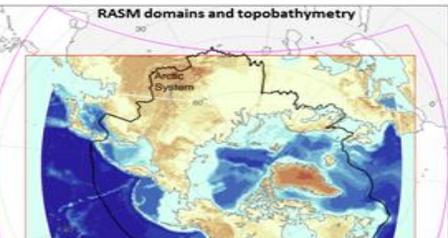
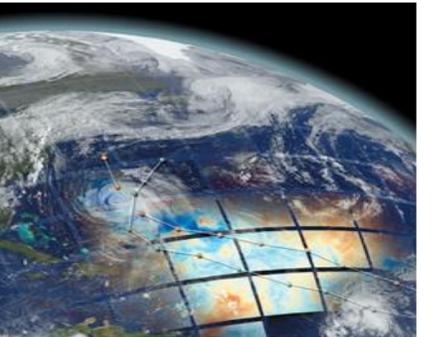
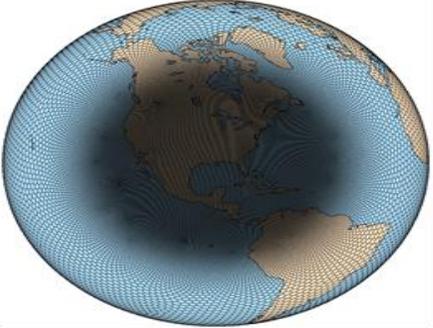
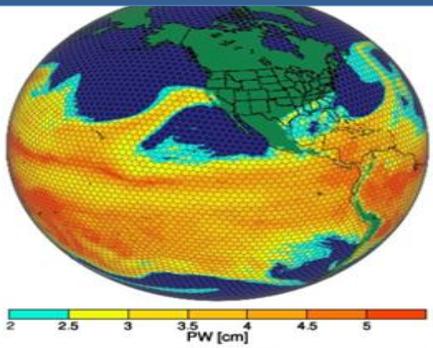


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Next Steps &
Report preparation –
Outline, Roles, Tasks and Timeline

November 30 - December 2, 2020



Outline for the Workshop Report



- **Executive Summary**
- **Overview of the State of the Science**
- **Workshop Themes (addressing their respective questions, detail)**
 - Limits and sources of predictability
 - Processes critical to precipitation biases
 - Interdisciplinary Processes
 - Regional Precipitation
- **Next steps (as guided by the workshop discussions) / Future Areas of Work / Research Priorities**
 - What are the gaps in research that would make advancement in predictability over the next 2 to 5 years?
 - What are the gaps and needs for targeted observations and process studies to improve understanding and model representations of those key processes?
 - What are model development, analysis, and metrics that can be targeted to improve precipitation representati
 - How do we benefit from national and international collaboration to make significant progress?

For all of the above: organize around short/long-term, low/high cost, small/large benefit

Also make sure these next steps can be reconciled w/ original workshop questions (included in notes section bel
- **Agency perspectives**



Timeline for Workshop Report



Additionally it would be great to have:

1. EOS publication
2. BAMS publication

Dec 20th

- Leads of the sessions collect input from participants
- get notes from all

Jan 20th

- Leads prepare first draft and iterate

Jan 30th

- Circulate it to the wider group of volunteers for that section and collect relevant figures, tables, etc.

Feb 10th

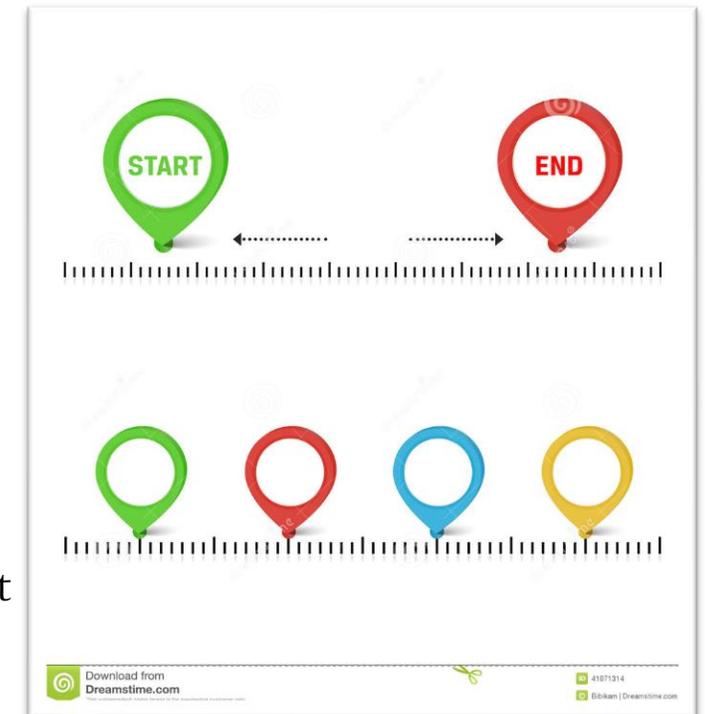
- First complete draft is stitched together and sent to all participants for input

Feb 20th

- Circulate to external group, management to look for sensitives

Mar 1st

- Send for printing



To contribute to the Report



- **Contact the leads** of the respective sessions & panelists and ask to contribute a document (contribution = writer acknowledgement)
- **Slack channel** for Next Steps + have discussions in specific channels continue (and let people know it will stay open **until DEC 20**)
- All contributors will be acknowledged

