Minutes from ASP leadership meeting



Date: 4 May, 2019

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Agenda

- 1. Short status since last from partners
- 2. Follow up from ASP annual meeting a oceanography; b eDNA; c freshwater-marine coupling
- 3. ASP annual meeting. Booking of rooms.
- 4. Proposals
- 5. Next meeting

1. Short status since last from partners

- GN Packing and preparing for fieldwork.
- UM Packing and preparing for fieldwork. Writing CFI proposal Interviews for new positions.

Laval -Working on CFI proposal on Qik station etc. Field work. Got BioArgo instruments up. Have been worked throughout annual cycle.

- UiT Nansen legacy field work.
- AU Folks in the field. Packing and preparing more field work.
- KU East Grip fieldwork continues. Polar 5 flights measurements stated. Drilled to 1830 m so far.

2. Follow up from ASP annual meeting - a oceanography; b eDNA; c freshwater-marine coupling

- (a) Joint ASP moorings being placed in Nuuk and Uummannaq this summer. Starting joint paper on existing mooring data between us (Svalbard, Greenland & Canada) Status moving ahead as planned.
- (b) Coordinated sampling for eDNA for GLACE. Field sampling and protocols have been coordinated and will be sampled by same person throughout the entire campaign. Status moving ahead as planned, however, there seems to be some politics interfering with this expedition. Have to await the Danish election before a decision can be made whether the ship can go or not.
- (c) Planned glacier-ocean work off Upernavik. Ice drilling at two locations nor of Greenland (GLACE). Also planned coring site on the Müller ice cap in the Canadian north. Status moving ahead as planned.

3. Annual ASP meeting - remember to book your travel and stay yourself

Each institution will participate in the ASP annual meeting in Iceland with 3-5 persons. ARC has reserved meeting facilities in Reykjavik. Last folks make sure to book rooms yourself if you want to stay at Saga. Alternatively you will have to book yourself.

4. Proposals

Unfortunately, three of our proposals to the H2020 was not funded. Seems like you have to follow the call text very close. We had primarily focus on the Arctic which may be the reason for the rejection. Will have to look more into this.

5. Next meeting

3 September 2019.

Enjoy the summers field work up north:)

Notes Søren