

Meeting announcement:

'Understanding Land-Ocean-Atmosphere Interactions in the Climate System: the Role of Earth Observation from Space'



Increasingly, Earth Observation is providing critical global data that both inform the development of coupled ocean-climate models and are used in data assimilation. This meeting explores land-atmosphere and ocean-atmosphere interactions and the role that Earth Observation is playing in improving our understanding of the complex feedbacks involved. An important aim is to foster greater links between the terrestrial and oceanographic research communities. Three themes are to be addressed: Variability in Time, Variability in Space, and Climate and the Biosphere.

The meeting is organised by the NERC Earth Observation Centres **CLASSIC**, **CASIX** and **ESSC*** on behalf of The IGBP, UK National Committee. The meeting is to be held at the Royal Society, Carlton House Terrace, London between 10:00 to 16:40 on 14th February 2007. The list of speakers is provided below and the full list of presentations and registration form can be found at: <http://classic.nerc.ac.uk/IGBP.php>

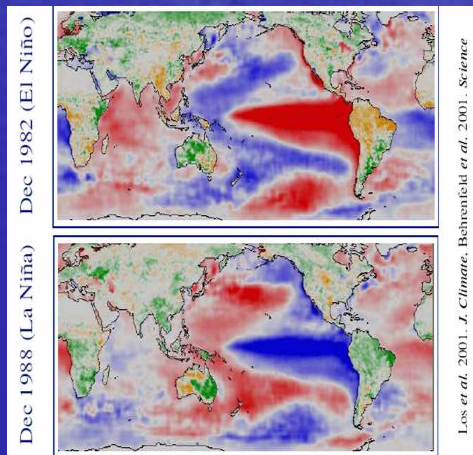
The meeting is open to all, but pre-registration is essential, closing date: Friday 12th January, 2007.

Speakers:

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| Peter Liss | UEA (former Chair IGBP) |
| Carlos Nobre | CPTEC/INPE, Brazil (Chair IGBP) |
| Sietse Los | University of Wales Swansea and CLASSIC |
| Herlé Mercier | IFREMER, Brest, France |
| Chris Taylor | CEH, CLASSIC |
| Jim Yoder | Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute, USA |
| Brian Huntley with Jon Bennie | University of Durham, CLASSIC University of Durham, CLASSIC |
| Peter Challenor with Paul Monks | NOC, CASIX University of Leicester, CASIX |
| Rosa M Barciela-Fernandez | Met Office, CASIX |

Berrien Moore University of New Hampshire
(former Chair IGBP)

*CLASSIC = Climate and Land-Atmosphere Interactions Centre
CASIX = Centre for observation of Air-Sea Interactions and Fluxes
ESSC = Environmental Systems Science Centre



Coherent patterns of sea-surface temperature and vegetation index anomalies

Convenors:
Dr John Gash
(CEH, CLASSIC)
Dr Graham Weedon
(University of Wales,
Swansea, CLASSIC)

Registration form for:

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To be held at The Royal Society, Carlton House Terrace, London, SW1Y 5AG, 14th February, 2007. For directions to the Royal Society please consult: www.royalsoc.ac.uk/sitemap.asp and go to the link to “Royal Society map” listed under the Events diary.

Attendance is by pre-payment of the registration fee only.

The registration fee is **£25.00** which covers attendance, coffee, tea and a buffet lunch at the Royal Society. Please complete and return the form below with your payment, by fax or post only (for your security), before 12th January, 2006 to:

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Dr Graham Weedon, University of Wales, Swansea, Singleton Park, Swansea, SA2 8PP, UK g.p.weedon@swansea.ac.uk