Conference Agenda: Collaborative Scientific Research in Relation to the Gulf Oil Spill

Monday, November 1, 2010						
7:00-8:00	Registration & Poster Set-up; Continental Breakfast					
8:00-10:00	Welcome & Opening Plenary: Collaborative Opportunities and Research Focuses Post-Spill					
10:00-10:15	Break					
Breakaway Strands Organized around research themes, these strands are continuous throughout the conference. Individual sessions share common objectives across strands	Engineering Aspects and the Transport and Fate of Spilled Oil	Coastal and Ocean Environments: Damage, Remediation and Recovery	Human Communities: Disaster Management, Sustainability and Health	Economics, Policy and Decision Support Systems Facilitator:		
10:15-12:30	Overviews of Collaborative Research Across the Topic Strand	Overviews of Collaborative Research Across the Topic Area	Overviews of Collaborative Research Across the Topic Area	Overviews of Collaborative Research Across the Topic Area		
12:30-1:30	Conference Lunch with Keynote Speaker					
1:30-3:00	Identifying Research Needs and Opportunities Across the Strand	Identifying Research Needs and Opportunities Across the Strand	Identifying Research Needs and Opportunities Across the Strand	Identifying Research Needs and Opportunities Across the Strand		
3:00-3:15	Listing of priority collaborative research topics	Listing of priority collaborative research topics	Listing of priority collaborative research topics	Listing of priority collaborative research topics		
3:15-3:30	Break					
3:30-4:30	Ad hoc session: Respective groups explore collaborative opportunities	Ad hoc session: Respective groups explore collaborative opportunities	Ad hoc session: Respective groups explore collaborative opportunities	Ad hoc session: Respective groups explore collaborative opportunities		
4:30-5:00	Writing session: Each group produces a one-page summary of collaboration discussion	Writing session: Each group produces a one-page summary of collaboration discussion	Writing session: Each group produces a one-page summary of collaboration discussion	Writing session: Each group produces a one-page summary of collaboration discussion		
5:30-7:30	Poster Session					

uesday, November 2, 2010 :00-8:00 Registration; Continental Breakfast						
8:00-9:00	Outcome of Day 1:	Outcome of Day 1:	Outcome of Day 1:	Outcome of Day 1:		
Facilitators and selected	Possibilities for	Possibilities for	Possibilities for	Possibilities for		
panelists lead discussions	Collaboration & Next Steps	Collaboration & Next Steps	Collaboration & Next Steps	Collaboration & Next Steps		
of potential collaborations						
identified during Day 1						
afternoon sessions						
9:00-10:15	Funding opportunities	Funding opportunities	Funding opportunities	Funding opportunities		
	explored with federal	explored with federal	explored with federal	explored with federal		
	program officers	program officers	program officers	program officers		
10:15-10:30	Break					
10:30-12:30	Summary reports on Breakaway Sessions					
12:30-12:45	Conference wrap-up					