

Planning and Implementing Resilient Solutions in Coastal California

Monday, October 7, 2019 • UC Irvine Beckman Center
Workshop Agenda

9:00 AM Welcoming Remarks

Dr. Nancy Guerra, Dean of the School of Social Ecology and Professor of Psychological Science, UCI 9:10 AM

Keynote Presentation

Dr. Eric Rignot, Chair and Donald Bren Professor of Earth System Science, UCI

9:40 AM Morning Conversation: Facilitated Q&A Discussion on State and Local Needs – Insights on Science, Guidance, and Regulation

Dr. Mark Gold, Appointed Deputy Secretary for Oceans and Coastal Policy and Director of the Ocean Protection Council
Madeline Cavalieri, Statewide Planning Manager, California Coastal Conservancy

Jonathan Bishop, Chief Deputy Director, Water Resources Control Board

Dr. Gary Griggs, Distinguished Professor of Earth Sciences, University of California, Santa Cruz

10:30 AM Break

10:45 AM Approaches to Build Political Will and Community Support to Address Climate Change: Role of NGOs

Sean Bothwell, Executive Director, California Coastkeeper Alliance

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11:40 AM Modeling Impact: Sea-level Rise, Economics, Data, and Tools to Inform Decisions

Dr. Patrick Barnard, Research Director of the Climate Impacts and Coastal Processes Team, U.S. Geological Survey

Nicolas Sander, GIS Team Member, San Francisco Bay Conservation and Development Commission

Eliza Berry, Senior Climate Resilience Scientist, Eastern Research Group, Inc.

Dr. David Revell, Principal/Chief Scientist, Revell Coastal

12:45 PM Lunch

1:45 PM Case Studies: Planning and Creating a Pipeline of Resilient Solutions

Jason Giffen, Assistant Vice President of Planning and Green Port, Port of San Diego

Ross Clark, Director, Central Coast Wetlands Group at Moss Landing Marine Laboratories

Beatrice Musacchia, Senior Environmental Resources Specialist, Orange County

Jasneet Sharma, Acting Sustainability Program Manager of Climate Change and Adaptation, County of San Mateo

3:00 PM Break

3:15 PM Solution Case Studies

Dr. Serge Dedina, Mayor, City of Imperial Beach

Leslea Meyerhoff, Local Coast Program Manager, City of San Clemente

Bruce Reznik, Executive Director, Los Angeles Waterkeepers

Femke Freiberg, California Water Programs Manager, National Fish and Wildlife Foundation

4:25 PM Closing Remarks

Dr. Charles Lester, Executive Director, Santa Clara River Conservancy

5:00 PM Reception

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