

Meeting Agenda
Western Association of Marine Laboratories
October 15-17, 2018

Friday Harbor Laboratories
University of Washington
Friday Harbor, WA

Monday, October 15

FHL Commons

1:00 PM WAML Invertebrate Genomics Initiative
5:00 PM Happy Hour
6:00 PM Dinner in the FHL Dining Hall

Tuesday, October 16

7:45-8:15 Breakfast in the FHL Dining Hall

FHL Commons

8:30AM Welcome and Logistics
8:45 Public Policy Update – Joel Widder – Federal Science Partners
10:00 Coffee Break
10:20 Discussion of WAML Invertebrate Genomics Initiative - Steve Weisberg and Chris Meyer
11:45 MBON Opportunities – Maria Kavanaugh
12:15PM Lunch in the FHL Dining Hall
1:30 Science Presentations
Ken Sebens – FHL Ocean Observatory
Mackenzie Gerring – Research in the Cyclops I from OceanGate
2:30 Coffee Break
3:00 WAML Business Meeting
Audit Committee report – Bob Richmond
Education Committee Report – Jan Hodder
Election of WAML Board Members at Large – to replace Dean Wendt
Identify time and location for next WAML meeting
4:00 Discussion of any desired WAML initiatives that follow from the day's presentations
5:00 Reception in the FHL Director's House
7:00 Salmon Banquet in the Dining Hall

Wednesday October 17

7:45-8:15 Breakfast in the FHL Dining Hall

FHL Commons

9:00 AM Science Presentations – Regina Wetzer and Dean Pentcheff
9:30 Jan Hodder - NSF Undergraduate Field Experiences Research Coordination Network
10:00 Coffee Break
10:30 Roundtable discussion: Biggest challenges facing your labs
12:00 Adjourn – Lunch in town