

Agenda

Thursday, October 27, 2011	
8:30	Registration Opens in Ballroom Lobby
8:30 - 10:00	Continental Breakfast
10:00	Welcome and Introductions Chris Glass, Northeast Consortium
10:10	<i>Northeast Regional Collaborations: A retrospective</i> Rachel Feeney, Northeast Consortium
	Moderator: Rachel Feeney
10:25	<i>Examples of collaborative research projects and their impacts</i> Earl Meredith, NOAA - Cooperative Research Program Peg Petruny-Parker, Commercial Fisheries Research Foundation John Hoey, NOAA - Cooperative Research Program
11:05	<i>The Coonamessett Farm Foundation: A scientific approach to answering pressing fisheries research issues</i> Ronald Smolowitz, Coonamessett Farm Foundation
11:20	<i>The success of industry collaboration in U.S. sea scallop research</i> Catherine O'Keefe, University of Mass-Dartmouth, School for Marine Science & Technology
11:35	<i>Working with stakeholders to conduct industry-based surveys for winter flounder</i> Sally Roman, University of Mass. - Dartmouth, School for Marine Science & Technology
11:50	<i>Current initiatives of the NOAA/NEFSC Study Fleet program</i> Brian Gervelis, NOAA/NEFSC/Cooperative Research Study Fleet Program
12:05	Poster Highlights Gwynne Schnaittacher, A.I.S., Inc.
12:20	Lunch (provided)
1:20	Poster Session
	Moderator: Peg Petruny-Parker
2:20	<i>Human dimensions research on industry-science collaborations</i> Teresa Johnson, University of Maine
2:35	<i>Fisheries ecosystem dynamics of Rhode Island's coastal waters: Habitat associations of the demersal fish community</i> Anna Malek, University of Rhode Island
2:50	<i>Old Dogs and New Tricks: A year of conservation engineering in a network</i> Michael Pol, Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries
3:05	<i>Collaborative research, its place in the new management regime and its importance in Ecosystem Management</i> David Goethel, Research Steering Committee
3:20	Panel Discussion - Moderator: Madeleine Hall-Arber <i>Taking Stock of Collaborative Fisheries Research</i>
4:20	Summary Remarks John Hoey

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10:00	Welcome Chris Glass, Northeast Consortium
	Moderator: Carolyn Woodhead
10:05	<i>Finding, displaying, and downloading Northeast Consortium data</i> Robert Groman, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution
10:20	<i>Incorporating collaborative research into stock assessments: Can we do better?</i> Paul Rago, Northeast Fisheries Science Center
10:35	<i>Data Discussion</i>
10:50	<i>Development of management strategies to address river herring bycatch in the Atlantic herring fishery</i> Jamie Cournane, University of New Hampshire
11:05	<i>River herring and American shad bycatch avoidance in Atlantic herring and mackerel mid-water trawl fisheries</i> N. David Bethony, University of Mass. - Dartmouth, School for Marine Science & Technology
11:20	<i>A low-cost, underwater self-closing codend to limit unwanted catch</i> David Chosid, Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries
11:35	<i>Implementation of electronic vessel trip reporting (eVTR) in the New England groundfish sectors</i> Croy Carlin, Gulf of Maine Research Institute
11:50	<i>Promoting best practices and a pilosophy of collaborative fisheries research</i> Steve Cadrin, University of Mass. - Dartmouth, School for Marine Science & Technology
12:05	Lunch (provided)
	Moderator: Steve Cadrin
1:05	Panel Discussion - Moderator: Steve Eayrs <i>Future Directions, Priorities, and Opportunities</i>
2:05	<i>Defining Atlantic wolffish aggregations in Massachusetts Bay</i> Elizabeth Fairchild, University of New Hampshire
2:20	<i>Gillnet configurations and their impact on Atlantic sturgeon and marine mammal bycatch in the New Jersey monkfish fishery</i> Dewayne Fox, Delaware State University
2:35	<i>Documenting lobster gear configurations in the Gulf of Maine to help large whales</i> Patrice McCarron, Maine Lobstermen's Association
2:50	Break
3:05	<i>Early adopter and demonstration projects designed to reduce operational costs and improve selectivity of New England fishermen</i> Steve Eayrs, Gulf of Maine Research Institute
3:20	<i>The reduction of butterfish and scup bycatch in the inshore Loligo squid fishery</i> Laura Skrobe, University of Rhode Island
3:35	<i>Skating in cooperation: Evaluating the immediate and short-term post-release mortality of rajids in western North Atlantic commercial otter-trawl operations</i> John Mandelman, New England Aquarium
3:50	<i>Test of rope separator haddock trawls in inshore and offshore fleets</i> Pingguo He, University of Mass. - Dartmouth, School for Marine Science & Technology
4:05	Closing Remarks Chris Glass, Northeast Consortium