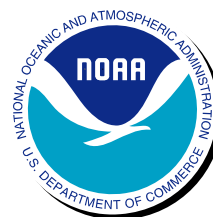


# WMO/CPC OPEN SEMINAR



## RECENT ADVANCES IN SEASONAL TO INTERANNUAL PREDICTION: REGIONAL AND APPLICATIONS PERSPECTIVES



23 September 2008  
National Weather Service Headquarters,  
Silver Spring, MD, USA

### Agenda

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8:30 - 8:50	Registration	
8:50 - 9:00	Welcome	Dr. Jack Hayes
<b>Session I</b>	<b>Research and Operational Aspects of Seasonal Prediction</b>	
	<b>Chair: W. Thiaw; Rapporteur: J. Renwick</b>	
9:00 - 9:30	<a href="#">WMO Initiative to Support Climate Adaptation: Role of seasonal to interannual prediction products</a>	R Kolli (WMO)
9:30 - 10:00	<a href="#">Recent Advances in Seasonal Prediction Research</a>	B Kirtman (U. Miami)
10:00 - 10:30	<a href="#">Operational aspects of seasonal prediction and role of Global Producing Centres of long range forecasts (GPCs)</a>	A Kumar (CPC)
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee/Tea Break	
11:00 - 11:30	<a href="#">Multi-model ensemble approach in seasonal prediction</a>	W Yun (KMA)
11:30 - 12:00	<a href="#">Prediction on intraseasonal and interannual time scales: State of the Art</a>	T Ose (JMA)
12:00 - 12:30	<a href="#">Evaluation and verification of seasonal to interannual prediction products</a>	S Mason (IRI)
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch	
<b>Session II</b>	<b>Regional perspectives of seasonal prediction including applications</b>	
	<b>Chair: J-P. Ceron; Rapporteur: P. Nobre</b>	
14:00 - 14:30	<a href="#">Seasonal to interannual climate prediction and decision support products, including the RCOFs</a>	W Thiaw (CPC)
14:30 - 15:00	<a href="#">Downscaling of seasonal prediction products, including the available tools and techniques</a>	J-P Ceron (Meteo France)
15:00 - 15:30	<a href="#">Consensus approach to seasonal prediction</a>	J Renwick (NIWA)
15:30 - 16:00	Coffee/Tea Break	
16:00 - 16:30	<a href="#">Climate monitoring and global hazard assessment</a>	J Gottschalck (CPC)
16:30 - 17:45	Open Discussion	
17:45 - 18:00	Conclusions and Recommendations	J-P Ceron (Meteo France)

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*Note: All technical presentations will be of 20 minutes duration, followed by 10 minutes of discussion.*