

**WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION**

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**WWRP POLAR PREDICTION PROJECT  
STEERING GROUP  
KICKOFF MEETING**

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Agenda Item : 2

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND  
30 NOVEMBER – 1 DECEMBER 2011

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**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

- 1. OPENING [0900-0915]**
  - 1.1 Welcome and introductions
- 2. ORGANIZATION OF THE MEETING [0915-0930]**
  - 2.1 Adoption of the agenda
  - 2.2 Working arrangements
- 3. BACKGROUND TO THE POLAR PREDICTION PROJECT & RELATED INITIATIVES [0930-1100]**
  - 3.1 Oslo Workshop (Gilbert Brunet)
  - 3.2 THORPEX ICSC-9 (Tetsuo Nakazawa)
  - 3.3 EC-PORS and GIPPS (Thomas Jung on behalf of Peter Lemke)
  - 3.4 WCRP Polar Initiative (Vladimir Ryabinin)
- 4. IMPLEMENTATION PLAN OVERVIEW [1100-1300]**
  - 4.1 Existing Draft and Key Project Objectives (Thomas Jung)
  - 4.2 Agreement on Overall Structure and Chapters

*Lunch [1300-1400]*
- 5. RESEARCH PLAN GOALS [1400-1730]**

Thursday 1 December (continue with Item 5 if required)
- 6. STRATEGIES TO ACHIEVE & PROMOTE THE GOALS [0830-1100]**
- 7. GOVERNANCE, MANAGEMENT & FINANCES [1100-1230]**

*Lunch [1230-1330]*
- 8. FUTURE PROCESS [1330-1445]**
  - 8.1 Confirmation of lead authors
  - 8.2 Process for collaborative editing
  - 8.3 Timeline and milestones
- 9. CLOSING [1445-1500]**