

BNZ Symposium 2021 – Draft Agenda

Meeting to be held online via Zoom

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Meeting Objectives:

1. Develop plans for the next phase of BNZ activities and upcoming proposal
2. Consider and refine our strategies for Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion
3. Advance our thinking and actions related to core data and data archiving and use
4. Enhance integration of BNZ science activities with education, arts and humanities, and Alaska Native communities.

Thursday, Oct 21 (8:30 am - 12:30 pm AK time)

8:30 am: Meeting introduction and objectives (Michelle Mack and Jill Johnstone)

8:35 am: Breakout rooms for introductions

8:40 am: BNZ & EDI: Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (Merritt Turetsky)

9:30 am: Overview of main proposal framework and discussion (Michelle Mack)

10:00 am: *Break*

10:15 am: Overview and discussion of proposal science themes

10:20 Fire (Xanthe Walker)

10:40 Permafrost (Jay Jones)

11:00 Trophic interactions (Jill Johnstone)

11:20 Phenology (Christa Mulder)

11:40 Modelling (Helene Genet)

12:00 Social Science (Todd Brinkman)

12:20 Closing reflections on EDI (Mario Muscarella)

Friday, Oct 22 (8:30 am - 12:30 pm AK time)

8:30 am: Session on Core Data

8:35 Data archiving and core data going into the future (Michelle Mack and Jason Downing)

8:45 BNZ Seed trap data – examples of core data value & use (Jill Johnstone)

8:55 Core data – descriptions (Jamie Hollingsworth and Jason Downing)

9:00 Discussion of core data issues and needs (Michelle Mack)

9:10 am Session on framework for Integration; overviews of planned integrative activities and discussion of how we can link them with science themes

9:15 Alaska Native Advisory Council (Todd Brinkman)

9:30 Artist collaborations – ITOC future planning (Mary Beth Leigh)

9:50 Artist + Scientist breakout groups to discuss the future of ITOC (Mary Beth Leigh)

10:05 Report back

10:15 am: *Break*

10:30 Education planning and discussion (Katie Spellman and Christa Mulder)

11:00 Concluding discussion on EDI and broader BNZ context (Merritt Turetsky)

11:30 Wrap up and review of next steps (Michelle Mack)

12:00 The end! Back to real life.