

International Continental Scientific Drilling Program



SUPPORTING CONTINENTAL SCIENTIFIC DRILLING – Perspectives from within and without
Potsdam, 20-21 October, 2016

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Day 2 – October 21, 2016, GFZ Potsdam, Building H

Plenary, Lecture Hall

09:00 09:10 Introduction to the Sessions B. Horsfield, Executive Chair

09:15 12:30 *Parallel Sessions – Operational Support Group*

Room

I.	Outreach & Education	T. Wiersberg, M. Leng	(H1)
II.	Project Management & Engineering	B. Prevedel, F. Möller	(H2+3)
III.	Data – Curation – Publication	R. Conze, T. Gorgas, K. Behrends	(G359)
IV.	Measurements	J. Kück, S. Pierdominici	(G409)

Plenary, Lecture Hall

12:30 12:40 Report of Working Group I T. Wiersberg, OSG

12:40 12:50 Report of Working Group II B. Prevedel, OSG

12:50 13:00 Report Working Group III R. Conze, T. Gorgas, OSG

13:00 13:10 Report of Working Group IV J. Kück, S. Pierdominici, OSG

13:15 14:00 Lunch Break

14:00 14:30 Consolidation: OSG, the Way Ahead B. Horsfield, Executive Chair

14:30 General Discussion, Summary of Recommendations and Conclusion U. Harms, OSG Head

Conference end envisaged for 16:00

International Continental Scientific Drilling Program

- Not simply a wish-list
- Services, samples and data
- WHAT we already have and do
- HOW we use them
- Efficiency and effectiveness
- Continuity and legacy
- Additions, replacements, upgrades
- Consider costs and ramifications
- Be very specific, avoid rhetoric

Current Action Plan

Vision

- developing the full potential of ICDP to enable excellence in scientific drilling

Strategy

- a major budget increase needs to be realised
- build membership portfolios with country members and business affiliates
- devoted continuity (“professionalisation”)
- streamline procedures for management, governance
- enhance visibility and profile
- link the organisation with other drilling organisations where it makes sense to do so
- strengthen OSG