

International Advisory Panel, The Carbon Institute
Honorary Chair, Dr. Ralph Keeling



San Diego California, USA
Optional Big Sur Coast Field Trip: **September 25-27, 2016**
University of California San Diego Meetings: **September 28-30, 2016**

Theme:

Our theme for the International Advisory Panel is “**Contextualize-Create-Capture**”. With our time together, we hope to: 1. **Give Context** (everyone knows what The Carbon Institute is and what we hope to become). → 2. **Be Creative** (we want your best ideas, not just a reaction to someone else’s PowerPoint). → **Capture Your Advice** (how we should take your ideas and run with the best ones).

Broad Goals:

- Host a collaborative, highly-interactive, participant-driven series of discussions to give high level guidance to The Carbon Institute’s future impact on measuring and mitigating climate change.
- Innovate new ideas for how to expand the scope and impact of The Carbon Institute’s emerging academic partnerships in terrestrial carbon accounting.
- Brainstorm best practices for a range of topics: pedagogy, knowledge sharing, government-academic partnerships, and cross-cultural collaboration.
- Have fun and get to know one another.

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Discussion Topics:

- “Transform Academics for Carbon Accounting, Implementation of the Paris Agreement, & National Climate Change Action”
- Indonesian and Chinese contexts for government and academic partnerships
- “Details Matter: Maximizing Impact for Terrestrial Carbon Accounting Certificates: Careful Course Design and National Ownership”
- Case Study: Co-Developing and Sharing Curriculums

Saturday, September 24, 2016

6:00 pm. Advisors arrive in San Diego, car service from airport to the Empress Hotel (in La Jolla Village, near [La Jolla Cove](#))

7:00 pm. Optional welcome dinner at [George's Ocean Terrace](#) (depending on your arrival time in San Diego)

Sunday, September 25

7:00 – 8:00 am. Breakfast at hotel

8:15 am. Depart for San Diego airport from hotel

9:45 am Southwest Airlines flight (#3066) departs from San Diego to San Jose California.

11:10 am flight arrives San Jose, California

1 pm Picnic at [Henry Cowell Redwoods State Park](#)

4:30 pm. Arrive at hotel [Monterey Tides](#), Monterey CA

7:00 pm. Dinner in Monterey Bay



Monday, September 26, 2016

8:00 - 9:00 am. Breakfast at hotel

9:30 am. Depart for redwood/Big Sur expedition, visiting two redwood properties owned and managed by the [Big Sur Land Trust](#) (*may be updated based on current fire situation*). Spend day exploring famous Big Sur coastline, discussions about “new” fire paradigm for forests in California, proactive fire and carbon management.

4:30 pm. Arrive back at [Monterey Tides](#), Monterey Bay California.

7:00 pm. Participants will have dinner on their own (paid for by The Carbon Institute).

Tuesday, September 27, 2016

8:00 - 9:00 am. Breakfast at hotel

9:30 am. Depart for San Diego

10:30 am. Visit to [Forest of Nisene Marks State Park](#)

1:20 pm. Depart San Jose for San Diego, Southwest flight (#1648)

2:40 pm. Flight arrives San Diego, transportation to hotel

3:30 pm. Check in at [La Jolla Shores Hotel](#)

6:30 pm. Dinner at [Barbarella](#) restaurant, walking distance from hotel

Wednesday September 28, 2016

8:00 - 9:00 am. Breakfast at hotel

9:00 am. Transportation to Scripps Institution of Oceanography ([Roberts Scripps Room](#))

9:30 am. Welcome Remarks, Dr. Ralph Keeling & Carbon Institute Director John Niles

10:00 am. Introductions and Get-to-Know-Each-other Exercise

11:00 am. **Group Discussion:** “Ideas to Transform Academics for Carbon Accounting, and Implementation of the Paris Agreement, & National Climate Change Action”

12:30 - 1:30 pm. Lunch

Wednesday September 28, 2016 (continued)

1:30 - 3:30 pm.

- Indonesia context for government and academic partnerships (20 mins)
- China context for government and academic partnerships (20 mins)
- **Group Discussion (1 hr 20 minutes)**

3:30 pm. Return to La Jolla Shores Hotel, free time

6:00 pm. Transportation to welcome dinner

6:30-8:30 pm. Welcome Dinner, home of John Niles and Dr. Elsa Cleland, 1125 Fort Stockton Dr, San Diego.



Thursday, September 29, 2016

8:00 - 9:30 am. Breakfast and optional surf lessons, frisbee game

9:30 am. Transportation to Scripps Institution of Oceanography ([Roberts Scripps Room](#))

10:00 am - 12 noon.

- **Group Discussion:** *“Details Matter: Maximizing Impact for TCA Certificates: Careful Course Design and National Ownership” (may be modified based on previous day)*

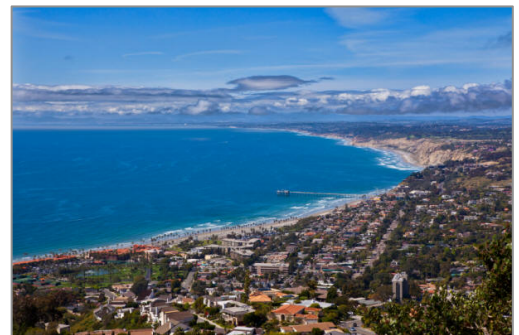
12:00 - 1:30 pm. Lunch and guest speaker (to be announced)

1:30 - 4:00 pm. International Advisory Panel continues: topics based on yesterday’s discussions

- Small Group Discussions
- Report back to group, further discussion

4:00 pm. Return to La Jolla Shores Hotel

7:00 pm. [Cusp restaurant](#) Closing Dinner at Hotel La Jolla



Friday, September 30, 2016

8:00 - 9:00 am. Breakfast

9:30 am. Transportation to Scripps Institution of Oceanography ([Martin Johnson House](#))

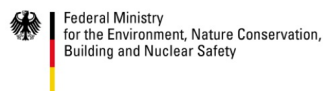
10:00 – 11:00 am. **Group Discussion:** “Action Items and Synthesis”

11:00 am – noon. IAP next steps (how best way to synthesize and share our findings)

12:00 pm. Farewell Lunch and Appreciation of International Advisory Panel

1:30 pm. Participants begin to leave for airport.

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