



POST May 2014 SAML Meeting

Getting house in order

Public Policy Committee going strong

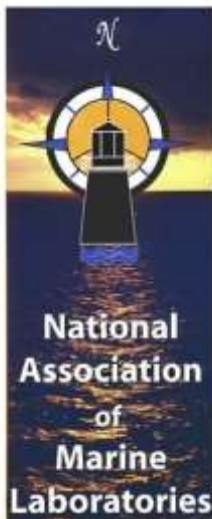
Emeritus members Michael Orbach and
Bob Van Dolah

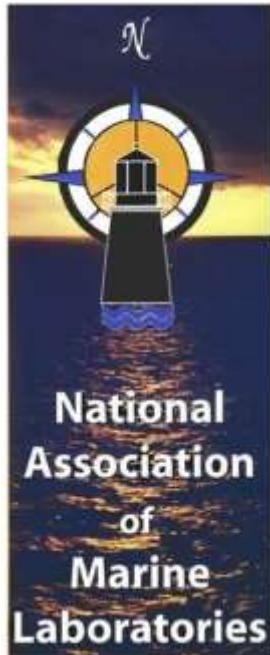
Constant improvements of the NAML web
site

Timely and continual postings to NAML
web site

Lots of NAML correspondence

Visioning the Field Stations and Marine Laboratories of the Future [follow up to NSF-funded workshop and report]





NAML Briefing on Ocean Acidification Washington, D.C. October 22, 2014

- Mr. Mike DeLuca, Manager, Jacques Cousteau National Estuarine Research Reserve, Director, NJ Aquaculture Innovation Center, Rutgers University, and Chairman of the NAML's Public Policy Committee;
- Dr. Roberta Marinelli, Director of the USC Wrigley Institute for Environmental Studies, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California;
- Dr. Louis Burnett, Professor, College of Charleston, Charleston, South Carolina;
- Dr. Daniel McCorkle, Department Chair, Geology and Geophysics, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution; and
- Mr. Daniel Cohen, President, Atlantic Cape Fisheries, Inc., Cape May, New Jersey



JAN HODDER et al. Education Committee

25 members who serve on frequent conference calls

70 educational liaisons from member institutions.

A primary goal has been to increase presence of education information on the NAML website.

Initiative spearheaded by former NAML representative Matt Gilligan with funding from NSF to showcase REU programs at member institutions.

How to respond to the NRC report about Field Stations and Marine Laboratories in the 21st Century, suggesting that there may be an NSF proposal formulated for supporting a workshop about coordinating labs and stations more fully.

**NAML Public Policy Meeting
Washington, D.C.
March 1-2, 2015**



- *Dr. Russell Callender, Acting Assistant Administrator, National Ocean Service*
- *Kolo Rathburn, Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice and Science*
- *Dr. Sarah Oktay, President, OBFS*
- *Dr. Richard (Rick) Murray, new NSF Division Director for Ocean Sciences*
- *Dr. Rick Spinrad, Chief Scientist, NOAA*
- *Dr. Charles D. Liarakos, Senior Advisor, Directorate for Biological Sciences, NSF*
- *Ms. Sherri Goodman, President and CEO, Consortium for Ocean Leadership*
- *Dr. Libby Jewett, Program Director, Ocean Acidification, NOAA*
- *Dr. Louisa Koch, Director of Education, NOAA*
- *Dr. Jill Karsten, Geoscience Education, NSF*
- *Dr. Shirley Pomponi, Florida Atlantic University, Harbor Branch, briefing on NSF Decadal Study of Ocean Science*

**Mike De Luca et al.
Public Policy Committee**



- **Strong and active group**
- **Public Policy Agenda**
- **Congressional testimony**
- **Resolution concerning NSF reports on Field Stations/Marine Labs and Decadal Study of Ocean Sciences**
- **Sign on with other group letters**
- **Follow up with Russell Callendar**
- **Second Congressional briefing?**