

Ocean Worlds Working Group Update

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- New cross-AG working group chartered by OPAG, SBAG, and NOW
- Co-Chairs: Cynthia Phillips (JPL) and Mike Bland (USGS)
- Subgroups:
 - Science Goals: Angela Marusiak (U. of Arizona), Misha Zolotov (ASU)
 - Technology Roadmap: Kate Craft (APL), Paula do Vale Pereira, Peter Willis
- **Goal: Create an actionable ocean worlds exploration strategy**
 - Specific, prioritized science goals
 - Identify needed technology development
 - Multi-decadal timescale
 - Fit within NASA's existing framework



Status Update

- Initial working session at OPAG on Nov. 29th
- Provided updates to NOW (Jan 8th) and SBAG (Jan 31st)
- Science Goals and Technology Roadmap subgroups met individually (Feb. 14th and Feb. 21st)
 - Crowd source the identification and synthesis of relevant, existing community documents
- LPSC discussion session on Wednesday March 13th (8am)
- Next meetings will begin to collate and organize documents
 - Technology Roadmap: April 3rd
 - Science Goals: April 10th