

MARINE BOARD SPRING MEETING AGENDA

April 4-7, 2022

Beckman Center of the National Academy of Sciences
100 Academy Way, Irvine, CA 92617

AltaSea at the Port of Los Angeles
2451 Signal Street, San Pedro, CA 90731

ALL TIMES ARE IN PACIFIC TIME

Tuesday, April 5 – Beckman Center of the National Academies, Huntington Room

7:30 a.m. **Breakfast** *Outdoor Dining Terrace*

8:30 a.m. **Call to Order / Self-Introductions/Topic Introduction**
Martha Grabowski, Marine Board Chair

8:45 a.m. **Opening Keynote Address – Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI)**
USDOT Viewpoint and Initiatives
The Honorable Polly Trottenberg
Deputy Secretary
U.S. Department of Transportation

9:15 a.m. **Topic 1: The Positive Power of DEI**
Moderator: Capt. Robert Cook, Marine Board Member

PART ONE

- Zenzile Moore, Naval Architect, Glosten Engineering
- Kate Pike, Director, Field-Research Ltd
- Cleopatra Doumbia-Henry, President, World Maritime University
- Fair Kim, President, American Maritime Congress

10:45 a.m. **BREAK**

11:00 a.m. **PART TWO**

- Jeremy Hope, Vice President, Gulf Ports and Government Contracts, International Organization of Masters, Mates, & Pilots
- Buki Hough, President, Melanated Mariners
- MIDN Joshua King, Regimental Commander, U.S. Merchant Marine Academy
- Ian Wallace, Counseling Psychologist, Cal Maritime

12:30 p.m. **Lunch** *Outdoor Dining Terrace*

1:30 p.m. **Topic 2: DEI Workforce Issues and the Future of Education in Maritime**
Co-Moderators: Sylvie Tran and Suzanne Beckstoffer, Marine Board Members

- Vice Admiral Mel Williams, Jr., Assistant Dean of Engineering, Catholic University
- Anthony Smith, HBCU/MI Program Director, Office of Naval Research
- Ally Ceden0, Founder and President, Women Offshore
- Marissa Baker, Assistant Professor, University of Washington
- Megan Davidson, Chief People Officer, Crowley Maritime
- Connie Lundgren, Director of Workforce Relations, NASSCO

3:30 p.m. BREAK

3:45 p.m. **Topic 3: Federal Agency Leadership DEI Roundtable**
Moderator: Sandra Knight, Marine Board Member

- The Honorable Lucinda Lessley, Acting Administrator, Maritime Administration (MARAD)
- Rear Admiral John W. Mauger, Assistant Commandant for Prevention Policy, U.S. Coast Guard
- Rear Admiral Nancy Hann, Director, NOAA Office of Marine and Aviation Operations (OMAO) and Director, NOAA Commissioned Officer Corps (NOAA Corps)
- Helen Brohl, Executive Director, US Committee on the Marine Transportation System (CMTS)
- Thomas Fu, Head of the Mission Capable, Persistent and Survivable Naval Platforms Department, Office of Naval Research (ONR)

5:15 p.m.	Reception	<i>Outdoor Dining Terrace</i>
6:15 p.m.	Marine Board Working Dinner	<i>Outdoor Dining Terrace</i>
7:45 p.m.	Dinner Concludes	

Wednesday, April 6 - Beckman Center of the National Academies, Huntington Room

7:30 a.m. **Breakfast** *Outdoor Dining Terrace*

8:30 a.m. **Marine Board Sponsor Updates**

- Heather Gilbert, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
- CDR Laura Springer, U.S. Coast Guard
- Michael Dean, Supervisor of Salvage and Diving, U.S. Navy
- Kevin Knight, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- Thomas Fu, Office of Naval Research, U.S. Navy
- John Cushing, Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement
- Todd Ripley, Maritime Administration

10:30 a.m. **Break**

10:45 a.m. Board Buses for AltaSea at the Port of Los Angeles

11:45 a.m. Arrive at AltaSea at the Port of Los Angeles

12:00 p.m. Lunch at AltaSea

1:00 p.m. **Topic 4: Underserved Community Impacts of Intermodal Freight Development**

Moderator: Geraldine Knatz, Marine Board Member

- Gina Martinez, President, Wilmington Neighborhood Council
- David Pettit, Esq., Senior Attorney, National Resources Defense Council
- Russell Mohberg, Founding Partner, Regatta Investment, Wilmington Community Member
- Wayne Nastri, Executive Officer, South Coast Air Quality Management District

2:30 p.m. Walking Tour of AltaSea by Terry Tamminen, CEO of Altasea, former Secretary of the California EPA

3:15 p.m. Board Vessel at AltaSea dock for water tour courtesy of Dale Sause and Sause Bros., Inc.

3:30 p.m. Harbor Tour of Ports of LA and Long Beach

5:15 p.m. Vessel Docks at Sause Bros in Long Beach - 1607 W Pier D St, Long Beach, CA 90802

5:30 p.m. Board buses for transportation to dinner

6:00 p.m. Dinner at the home of Marine Board Member Geraldine Knatz

8:00 p.m. Board buses for Beckman Center, Irvine, CA

