## Micro to Macroecology Annual Working Group Meeting

NCEAS, April 5-6, 2012 735 State Street, Suite 300, Santa Barbara, CA

#### **SCHEDULE**

# Thursday, April 5, 2012 (Location: NCEAS meeting room 323)

Group dinner (Location TBD)

7:00

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9:00-10:30	Overview of original NSF proposal - what we said we would do and what would be required to do it. What we are actually doing. Plans for the 2012 growing season. (moderated by FD)	
10:30-10:45	Break	
10:45-12:15	Driving species distribution models with downscaled climate grids and experimental species performance data (group discussion led by JF and Alex S.)	
12:15-1:30	Lunch	
1:30-3:00	Coupling field microclimate measurements to climate downscaling efforts: What we are measuring (FD, LS, SM), what we should be measuring (AF, LF, AH, KR), and what refinements are needed (all).	
3:15-4:30	Plant growth and climate: the field component, what we did, what we are measuring (LS), what we should be measuring (FD moderates)	
4:30-5:00	Overview of other MSB projects and possible paper for FREE special issue (LH, LS)	
5:00-7:00	Break	

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9:00-10:30	Climate modeling at fine scales: coupling dynamic regional models and topoclimatic models (Alex H., AF, LF, KR)
10:30-10:45	Break
10:45-12:15	Putting it all together: How will we do it and what data are needed to do it? (group discussion led by MM and HR)
12:15-1:30	Lunch
1:30-3:00	Data management: where we stand and where we are headed (Peter Slaughter, FD, LS other TBD)
3:00-3:15	Break
3:15-4:00	IALE presentation; Findings from empirical analysis of multiscale data (JF)
4:00-5:00	Action items, next meeting.
<i>5:30</i> PM	TGIF and dinner for those still in town.

#### On-site staff contact:

Michelle Morris, Events Coordinator, (805) 892-2501

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- o network: nceas
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