



Women in the Atmospheric and Related Sciences Special Session Thursday January 15

8:30 am to 12:15 pm
Seattle Conference Center Room 611

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The session will include presentations, a roundtable discussion, and a light brunch allowing time for informal networking. The presentations will address the history and accomplishments of the AMS Board on Women and Minorities, participation and retention of women in the scientific workforce, recruitment of women faculty, outcomes and follow-up activities of the Second WMO Conference on Women in Meteorology and Hydrology, and the proposed Joint Society Initiative to Increase Diversity in the Geosciences. The session organizers are Susan Avery, Mary Glackin, Dian Seidel, and Julie Winkler.

SPEAKER SCHEDULE

- 8:30 Susan Avery – Welcome and Introduction
 - 8:40 Margaret LeMone – AMS Board on Women and Minorities: The Early Years
 - 9:00 Roman Czujko – Untapped Talent: Data on the Representation of Women in the Atmospheric and Related Sciences
 - 9:15 John Snow – Working with Dual-Career Couples: A Ten-Year Perspective
 - 9:30 Vickie Nadolski – Women in the WMO
 - 9:45 Brunch and informal networking**
 - 11:00 Margaret Leinen – Factors Affecting the Retention of Women in Scientific Careers: Evidence from NSF-Funded Investigators and Research
 - 11:15 Roberta Johnson – Joint Society Coalition to Increase Diversity in the Geosciences
 - 11:30 Panel Discussion (45 minutes)
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