

the academic community. Accordingly, the current Plan is being implemented by nine collaboration teams and eleven communities of practice which are co- led by Federal agency staff and non-Federal individuals with subject matter expertise.

These Arctic Research Plans reflect the goals and missions of the Federal agencies supporting research in the Arctic and focus on research which will be enhanced through collaboration among Federal agencies, as opposed to agencies working alone. The updated Arctic Research Plan will guide Federal coordination of Arctic research for the period 2027–2031, positioning the United States to remain a global leader in Arctic research and stewardship for many years to come.

Seeking Public Input

As called for in the ARPA, IARPC seeks input from any interested individuals and organizations to ensure that the research interests and needs of all are addressed appropriately in the updated Plan. IARPC is committed to an open engagement process throughout the development of the Plan.

In particular, IARPC is interested in feedback in response to the following questions regarding what updates should be made to the Arctic Research Plan 2027–2031:

1. What are the critical issues and needs where federally-funded science, engineering, and technology research should provide knowledge to promote sound decision-making at all levels related to the Arctic?
2. What are examples of research questions that address these issues?

Background

For context, the current Plan “Arctic Research Plan 2022–2026” has four policy drivers, four priority areas, and five foundational activities.

The policy drivers for the Arctic Research Plan FY2022–2026 are:

- Enhance the well-being of Arctic residents;
 - Advance stewardship of the Arctic environment;
 - Strengthen national and regional security; and
 - Improve understanding of the Arctic as a component of planet Earth
- The priority areas for the Arctic Research Plan FY2022–2026 are:
- Community Resilience and Health
 - Sustainable Economies and Livelihoods
 - Risk Management and Hazard Mitigation
 - Arctic System Interactions

The foundational activities for the current Arctic Research Plan, which are

meant to undergird the priority areas, are:

- Data management
- Education and Training
- Monitoring, Observation, Modeling and Prediction
- Technology Innovation and Application
- Tribal Consultation and Effective Processes

For the full Arctic Research Plan 2022–2026, see: <https://www.iarpc.collaborations.org/uploads/cms/documents/final-arp-2022-2026-20211214.pdf>.

For the full Arctic Research Plan 2017–2021, see: https://www.iarpc.collaborations.org/download.axd?file=iarpc_arctic_research_plan_2017-2021.pdf.

For the full Arctic Research Plan 2013–2017, see: https://www.iarpc.collaborations.org/uploads/cms/documents/arctic_research_2013.pdf.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Astronomy and Astrophysics Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, as amended), the National Science Foundation (NSF) announces the following meeting:

Name and Committee Code: Astronomy and Astrophysics Advisory Committee (13883) (Virtual).

Date and Time: August 15, 2025; 10 a.m.–6 p.m. eastern time.

Place: NSF 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314 | Virtual.

This is a virtual meeting. Members and the public may attend this meeting virtually via Zoom. Attendance information for the meeting will be forthcoming on the AAAC website: <https://www.nsf.gov/mps/ast/aaac.jsp>.

Registration for the virtual meeting can be accessed via the following link: https://nsf.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_JBI9nvj0RAOnNBCyYMkzVA.

Type of Meeting: Open.

Contact Person: Dr. Jacqueline Keane, Program Director, Division of Astronomical Sciences, Suite W 9147, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314; Telephone: 703–292–8123.

Purpose of Meeting: To hear presentations of current programming by representatives from NSF, NASA, DOE and other agencies relevant to astronomy and astrophysics; to discuss current and potential areas of cooperation between the agencies; to formulate recommendations for continued and new areas of cooperation and mechanisms for achieving them.

Agenda: To provide updates on Agency activities and to discuss the Committees draft annual report due 15 March 2026.

Dated: July 17, 2025.

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Committee Management Officer.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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Sunshine Act Meetings

TIME AND DATE: Weeks of July 21, 28, and August 4, 11, 18, 25, 2025. The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice. The NRC Commission Meeting Schedule can be found on the internet at: <https://www.nrc.gov/public-involve/public-meetings/schedule.html>.

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MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Week of July 21, 2025

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of July 21, 2025.