

Hi everyone,

Thank you all for the enthusiastic response about joining our virtual workshop on modeling the discrete nature of sea ice. Attached is a list of participating groups — we are all excited about the opportunity to hear about your research and discuss outstanding issues and future directions in floe-scale sea ice modeling and observations.

At this time we wanted to provide you all with some organizational updates. The workshop will be held on June 7th-10th, 2021, lasting for 3 hours each day starting from 8 a.m. Pacific Time. Tentatively, the first two days would be devoted to introductions of the research groups and questions/answers/discussions based on the recorded talks, while the second two days would be devoted to discussing several specific topics. The three-hour session each day would be split into two 1-hour discussion sessions with 30 min breaks at the end of each that will be spent socializing in the virtual room.

To tailor our sessions towards the participating audience, we have outlined a list of possible discussion topics and would like you to provide feedback on your preference amongst those topics. Also, feel free to write to us if you have any other topics in mind. Here is the survey link: https://qfreeaccountssjc1.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_5uLNi6Vbl5klHum

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