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IDP Leadership Update

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IDP-ICWG meeting

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IDP Vision & Mission



Vision

To enable discoveries about changes in climate and the environment, using evidence from glaciers and ice sheets, to inform environmental policy.



Mission

To conduct integrated planning for the ice drilling science and technology communities and to provide drilling technology and operational support that will enable the community to advance the frontiers of climate and environmental science.





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IDP Organization

IDP is a virtual organization with core expertise located across the U.S.







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Scientific Discovery: Outcomes Enabled by IDP

58 peer-reviewed journal papers from 2019-2021 crediting IDP support



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Engineering Innovation: Outcomes Achieved by IDP

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Long Range Planning with the Community

Long Range Science Plan: inclusive planning to articulate the future vision



Past Climate

Ice Dynamics and Glacial History

Subglacial Geology, Sediments & Ecosystems

Ice as a Scientific Observatory





Integrated Science & Technology Planning

IDP conducts integrated science and technology planning, from long range vision with the community to planning next year's program plan with NSF.



Science planning drives drilling technology planning, development & use







- <u>Scientific need</u> for technology articulated in the <u>IDP Long Range Science Plan</u>
- IDP works with scientists to create the IDP Science Requirements
- IDP seeks NSF approval to create the <u>Conceptual Design</u>
 < NSF Decision Point; if approved, the Conceptual Design is created >
- IDP holds Conceptual Design review with science reps & invited engineers
- IDP seeks NSF approval to create the <u>Detailed Engineering Design</u>
 < NSF Decision Point; if approved, Engineering Design is created>
- IDP holds Engineering Design review with science reps & invited engineers
- IDP seeks NSF approval for <u>Construction</u> of the drill
- < NSF Decision Point; if approved, new drill is created>
- IDP holds drill test review with invited engineers & science reps
- When possible, new tech is <u>field tested</u> before deployment for science





What's the process for new drill development? Example: For 3000 Drill

	Completion Date	Milestones	Owner
Foro	June 2016	IDP Long Range Science Plan 2016-2026 recommends ice coring drill to 3,000 m	Albert
	Oct 2016	NSF approved IDP-WI to evaluate refurbish DISC Drill or adapt Foro 1650	Albert
2000	April 2017	IDP Long Range Science Plan 2017-2027 recommends adapting Foro 1650	Albert
3000	April 2017	Complete IDP Science Requirements for Foro 3000.	Albert
	May 2017	Complete IDP-WI Conceptual Design for Foro 3000.	Slawny
Drill	June 2017	Complete IDP Review of the Conceptual Design.	Albert/Slawny
	Aug 2017	NSF approval to create IDP-WI Detailed Design	Albert/Slawny
	Sept 2018	Complete Detailed Design for Foro 3000.	Slawny
	Sept 2018	Complete IDP Review of the Detailed Design.	Albert/Slawny
	PY 2019	Scope expanded to building stand-alone Foro 3000 Drill. Initiate fabrication	Slawny
	PY 2020	Complete fabrication of core barrels and chips chambers, anti-torque, motor section, initiate sub-system verification, casing welding system.	Slawny
	PY 2021	Complete fluid handling system, core processing system, sonde mechanical, design drill tent and control room, initiate system integration testing.	Slawny
	PY 2022	Complete procurements, Final Review and Acceptance; Foro 3000 ready for issue.	Albert/Slawny





What's the process for new drill development? Example: 700 Drill

	Completion Date	Milestones	Owner
700	June 2016 & 2017	IDP Long Range Science Plans recommend a portable ice coring drill for depths up to 700 m	Albert
	March 2018	Complete IDP Science Requirements for Foro 700 Drill	Albert
Drill	August 2019	Complete IDP Conceptual Design for Foro 700 Drill	Slawny
	August 2019	Complete IDP Review of the Foro 700 Drill Conceptual Design	Albert/Slawny
	May 2020, updated Jan 2021	Revise IDP Science Requirements from Foro 700 Drill to 700 Drill	Albert
	Sept 2020	Update IDP Conceptual Design from Foro 700 Drill to 700 Drill	Slawny
	Jan 2021	Complete IDP Review of the 700 Drill Conceptual Design	Albert/Slawny
	March 2021	NSF approval of creation of the Detailed Design for the 700 Drill (work included in the IDP PY 2021 Program Plan)	Albert/Slawny
	Oct 2021	Complete Detailed Design for 700 Drill	Slawny
	Nov 2021	Complete IDP Review of the Detailed Design	Albert/Slawny
	February 2023*	Complete 700 Drill Fabrication, Integration Testing, and Drill Documentation	Slawny
	April 2023*	Complete Final Review and Acceptance 700 Drill ready for issue	Albert/Slawny

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•Bringing scientific communities together for a common vision

- •Virtual workshop (32 participants) facilitated by IDP and Summit-SCO
- •Outcome: Community consensus for measurements across two key regions: Northwest Greenland and Northeast Greenland.

J.M. Schaefer, M.R. Albert, Z. Courville, J. Briner, 2021. Workshop Report: U.S. Scientific Traverses on the Greenland Ice Sheet: a Planning Workshop. Available on Icedrill.org.







AGU Town Hall: Scientific Drilling in the Polar Regions, Dec 7 2021

<u>Agenda</u> IDP - Mary Albert ICYS – Kathleen Wendt IPICS – ED Brook Herc Dome – Heidi Roop IceDrill – Joerg Schaefer RAID – John Goodge







- IDP-ICWG early career workshop
- See T.J.'s presentation today







- Co-sponsored by IDP, Herc Dome, COLDEX, Juneau Icefield Research Program
- IDP-ICWG meeting immediately following the meeting



A Question for the ICWG





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Questions or Suggestions?