

Subglacial Access Working Group Terms of Reference

The IDP Subglacial Access Working Group (SAWG) represents the broad range of scientists interested in gaining data from beneath glaciers and ice sheets. The polar research communities include:

- Biology – *ice core biology, basal ice, sub ice sediments and water*)
- Hydrology – fluvial/lakes, physical/chemical
- Sediment – till/fluvial/lake, sed-water interface
- Rock – sedimentary, bedrock, exposure dating
- Geophysics – site surveys

Membership:

The SAWG does not have a membership cap, but the members should be a balanced subset of scientists who can represent of their disciplinary communities. The core of the working group should be U.S-based scientists but foreign contributors or future collaborators are welcome at SAWG meetings.

SAWG activities:

The SAWG may have regular or ad-hoc activities that foster inclusiveness in planning future community scientific endeavors, and that contribute to a pipeline for early career participants. The SAWG will provide input to IDP planning, and should contribute to the IDP Long Range Science Plan. Nominations for Chair will be sought from the membership, and/or members can self-nominate.

Current membership:

Jill Mikucki (Chair)	University of Tennessee (Biology)
Slawek Tulaczyk	University of California, Santa Cruz (Glaciology)
Brent Christner	LSU/FSU (Biology)
Sridhar Anandakrishnan	Pennsylvania State University (Geophysics)
Jason Gulley	Michigan Technological University (Hydrogeology)
John Stone	Univ. of Washington (Geology)
Ross Powell	Northern illinois Univ. (Geology/Hydrology)
John Goodge	University of Minnesota Duluth (Geology)
Martin Truffer	U. Alaska – Fairbanks (Glaciology/Geophysics)
Helen Fricker	Scripps (Geophysics/Modeling/Hydrology)
Joel Harper	University of Montana (Glaciology)
Ryan Bay	Berkeley (Physics/Borehole WG rep)
Donald Blankenship	UTIG (Geophysics)
David Holland	New York University (Hydrology)