# Program for the 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Climate Diagnostics & Prediction Workshop

### Monona Terrace Convention Center Madison, Wisconsin

Monday,	October	18.	2004

7:30 – 8:15 Registration and Poster Set-up

8:15 – 8:45 Welcome & Opening Remarks

Climate Prediction Center (CPC)/National Centers for Environmental Prediction/NWS James D. Laver, *Director*, *CPC* 

### **University of Wisconsin**

John A. Young, Professor, Atmospheric & Oceanic Sciences, U. Wisconsin

### **National Centers for Environmental Prediction/NWS**

Louis Uccellini, Director, NCEP

### **SESSION 1: Recent Climate Anomalies & MJO**

Chair: Vern Kousky (5 min. topic introduction)

**8:45- 9:15** An overview of recent Climate anomalies *Gerry Bell* 

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9:15-10:30 POSTER SESSION 1: RECENT CLIMATE ANOMALIES, CLIMATE FORECAST SYSTEM & PREDICTIBILITY

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### **SESSION 2: PREDICTABILITY**

Chair: J. Young (5 min. topic introduction)

**10:35-11:05** Potential Predictability of Drought and Pluvial Conditions Over the Central United States on Interannual to Decadal Time Scales Siegfried Schubert, M. Suarez, P. Pegion, R. Koster and J. Bacmeister

11:05-11:35 Practical prediction skill and theoretical predictability in the Coupled Forecast System

Huug van den Dool and S. Saha

**11:35-12:05** Storm track predictability on seasonal to decadal scales *Gilbert Compo and P. Sardeshmukh* 

**12:05-1:30 LUNCH** (on own)

### **SESSION 2: PREDICTABILITY (continued)**

Chair: John Young

**1:35-2:05** Atmospheric response to the changes of ocean circulation *Lixin Wu and Z. Liu* 

**2:05-2:35** Global occurrences of extreme precipitation and MJO: Observations and predictability

Charles Jones, D. Waliser, W.Stern

2:35-3:05 BREAK

### SESSION 3: THE NEW NCEP CLIMATE FORECAST SYSTEM (CFS)

Chair: Hua-Lu Pan (5 min. topic introduction)

**3:05-3:35** Validation of the NCEP global coupled ocean-atmosphere model (CFS) *Suranjana Saha* 

**3:35-4:05** The forecast skill and predictability of DJF seasonal climate as seen from the NCEP CFS 24-year hindcasts

Peitao Peng, Q. Zhang, A. Kumar, H. van den Dool, W. Wang and S. Saha

**4:05-4:35** Dynamical forecasts of atmospheric conditions associated with North Atlantic hurricane activity by the Coupled Forecast System at NCEP *Muthuvel Chelliah and S. Saha* 

**4:35-5:05** An analysis of ocean retrospective forecasts from the new NCEP Global Forecast System

Sudhir Nadiga, J. Wang and D. Behringer

**5:05-5:35** The NCEP operational Climate Forecast System: configuration, product, and plan for the future *Hua-Lu Pan* 

5:35-7:30 ICE BREAKER RECEPTION & CASH BAR – Refreshments Hosted by the University of Wisconsin Dept. of Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences

### Tuesday, October 19, 2004

#### 7:15-8:00 POSTER SET-UP

### SESSION 4: CLIMATE APPLICATIONS OF SATELLITE INFORMATION

Chair: Phil Arkin (5 min. topic introduction)

**8:05-8:35** Using 22 years of HIRS observations to infer global cloud cover *Paul Menzel, D. Wylie, D. Jackson and J. Bates* 

**8:35-9:05** Operational climate monitoring from space: the Satellite Application Facility on Climate Monitoring (CM-SAF)

Jörg Schulz and the CM-SAF partners

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## 9:05-10:30 POSTER SESSION 2: SATELLITE, REGIONAL & LONG-TERM CLIMATE STUDIES

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**10:30-11:00** The diurnal cycle of precipitation over the Americas based on CMORPH *Vern Kousky, J. Janowiak and R. Joyce* 

11:00-11:30 Satellite thermal emission spectra can provide a key record for monitoring and diagnosing climate

Henry Revercomb, J. Anderson, J. Rice, D. Tobin, R. Knuteson and F. Best

11:30-1:00 Luncheon on Grand Terrace. Hosted by the University of Wisconsin Dept. of Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences

### SESSION 5: VARIABILITY IN THE CENTRAL UNITED STATES

Chair: Dan Vimont (5 min. topic introduction)

**1:05-1:35** Impact of precipitation observations on regional climate simulations *Anna Nunes, J. Roads, M. Kanamitsu and P. Arkin* 

**1:35-2:05** Warm season rainfall variability over the U.S. Great Plains in observations, NCEP and ERA-40 reanalyses and NCAR and NASA AMIP simulations: intercomparisons for NAME

Ruiz-Barradas and S. Nigam

**2:05-2:35** Diagnosing the effect of ENSO and PDO teleconnections on North America summer climate with the Regional Atmospheric Modeling System (RAMS)

Christopher Castro and R. Pielke

**2:35-3:05** Regional climate simulations of summer precipitation over the U.S. and Mexico *Kingtse Mo, J. Schemm, Y. Song and W. Higgins* 

### 3:05-3:30 BREAK

### **SESSION 6: LONG-TERM VARIATIONS**

Chair: Cecile Penland (5 min. topic introduction)

**3:35-4:05** Simulated and observed pre-industrial to modern vegetation and climate changes

M. Notaro, Z. Liu, R. Gallimore, S. Vavrus and J. Kutzbach

**4:05-4:35** Long-term trend of global land precipitation: uncertainties in gauge-based analyses

Mingyue Chen, P. Xie, J. Janowiak and P. Arkin

**4:35-5:05** Variability and forcing of anomalous Western Hemisphere warm pools *David Enfield, S. Lee and C. Wang* 

**5:05-5:35** Precipitation extremes during 1895-2003 in the continental United States *Ken Kunkel* 

### Wednesday, October 20, 2004

#### 7:15-8:00 POSTER SET-UP

### SESSION 7: RESULTS FROM NAME 04 (North American Monsoon Experiment)

Chair: Kingtse Mo (5 min. topic introduction)

**8:05-8:35** An Update on the North American Monsoon Experiment (NAME) *Wayne Higgins, Marco Carrera, Tim Eichler and the NAME SWG* 

**8:35-9:05** Preliminary results of the NCAR ISS deployment in NAME *Richard Johnson and P. Ciesielski* 

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**10:30-11:00** Topographic dependency of rainfall characteristics from the Sierra Madre Occidental in Northwest Mexico

Dave Gochis, A. Jimenez, C. Watts, J. Garatuza-Payan and J. Shuttleworth

**11:00-11:30** Evaluating sources of monsoon surface moisture in southeast Arizona *Art Douglas and N. Novella* 

**11:30-1:00 LUNCH** (on own)

### **SPECIAL SESSION: CPC's First 25 Years**

Chair: Jim Laver (5 minute introduction)

**1:10-1:30** Events leading to formation of a "Diagnostics Climate Center" *Bob Reeves* 

**1:30-1:50** The first few matters of the Climate Analysis Center (CAC) *Jay Winston, 1<sup>st</sup> CAC Director* 

**1:50-2:10** Early Monitoring and diagnostics at the CAC *Gene Rasmusson, 1<sup>st</sup> Diagnostics Branch chief* 

**2:10-2:30** Early challenges at the CAC *Jim Rasmussen*,  $2^{nd}$  *CAC Director* 

### 2:30-3:00 BREAK

**3:00-3:20** Climate predictions and their integration into CAC *Don Gilman, 1<sup>st</sup> Prediction Branch chief* 

**3:20-3:40** Expansion of the CAC Role *Dave Rodenhuis, 3<sup>rd</sup> CAC Director* 

**3:40-4:00** Challenges and the future of CPC *Jim Laver*, 5<sup>th</sup> (and current) Director of CPC

**4:00-4:20** The development of the new NOAA Climate Program *Ken Mooney, OGP* 

6:00-9:00 WORKSHOP BANQUET on Grand Terrace Banquet speaker: Stan Changnon

### Thursday, October 21, 2004

#### 7:15-8:00 POSTER SET-UP

#### SESSION 8: FORECAST METHODS AND ASSESSMENTS

Chair: Bob Livezey (5 min. topic introduction)

**8:05-8:35** Downscaling week-two ensembles using forecast analogs *Jeff Whitaker and T. Hamill* 

**8:35-9:05** Exploring the subseasonal weather-climate connection *Klaus Weickmann and E. Berry* 

**9:05-9:35** New NWS Western Region local climate products *Marina Timofeyeva, A. Bair and D. Unger* 

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**11:00-11:30** Subseasonal Predictability of the Coupled Tropical Indo-Pacific *Matthew Newman, Prashant D. Sardeshmukh, and Cecile Penland* 

**11:30-12:00** Diagnosis of skill variability as a basis for discriminating use of CPC longlead seasonal forecasts *Bob Livezey and M. Timofeyeva* 

**12:00-12:30** Regional verification of CPC's seasonal forecasts *Mike Halpert and K. Pelman* 

**12:30-2:00 LUNCH** (on own)

### **SESSION 9: ENSO & TELECONNECTIONS**

Chair: Chet Ropelewski (5 min. topic introduction)

**2:05-2:35** Pacific v.s. Indian Ocean warming: how does it matter for global and regional climate change?

Joseph Barsugli, S. Shin and P. Sardeshmukh

**2:35-3:05** Significant Change of Extratropical Natural Variability Associated with Tropical ENSO Anomaly *Wilbur Chen* 

**3:05-3:35** Time-frequency variations of the U. S. Great Plains precipitation and its relationship with tropical central-eastern Pacific SST *Song Yang, X. Ding and D. Zheng* 

### 3:35-4:00 BREAK

**4:00-4:30** The Pacific meridional mode: diagnostics and impacts *Dan Vimont and J. Chiang* 

**4:30-5:00** Cluster analysis of tropical cyclone tracks and ENSO *Suzana Camargo, A. Robertson, S. Gaffney and P. Smyth* 

**6:00-8:00** Applied Research Center (ARC) Council Meeting (Snacks provided)

### Friday, October 22, 2004

### SESSION 9: ENSO & TELECONNECTIONS (cont'd)

Chair: Chet Ropelewski

8:00-8:30 The strength of El Nino and the spatial extent of tropical drought – a remarkably robust relationship

Brad Lyon

**8:30-9:00** An analysis of variability in atmospheric response to SSTs in an atmospheric general circulation model

Arun Kumar, Q. Zhang, P. Peng and B. Jha

**9:00-9:30** Sensitivity of U. S. precipitation and temperature to tropical Indian, Pacific and Atlantic ocean SST anomalies throughout the year *Prashant Sardeshmukh, J. Barsugli and S. Shin* 

**9:30-10:00** Understanding the sensitivity of North American Drought in the present and past climate to the tropical Pacific SSTs

Sang-IK Shin, R. Webb, P. Sardeshmukh, R. Oglesby and J. Barsugli

10:00-10:30 BREAK

### **SESSION 9: ENSO & TELECONNECTIONS (cont'd)**

Chair: Chet Ropelewski

**10:30-11:00** Challenges in prediction of summer monsoon rainfall: inadequacy of the tier-2 strategy

Bin Wang, X. Fu, Q. Ding, I. Kang, K. Jin, J. Shukla and F. Doblas-Reyes

**11:00-11:30** Spring onset in the Northern Hemisphere: a role for the stratosphere? *Rob Black, B. McDaniel and W. Robinson* 

11:30-12:00 Simulations of extreme cold-air outbreaks	
Steve Vavrus, J. Walsh, D. Portis and W. Chapman	

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### POSTER PRESENTATIONS

### Monday October 18, 2004

## 9:15-10:30 POSTER SESSION 1: RECENT CLIMATE ANOMALIES, CLIMATE FORECAST SYSTEM & PREDICTABILITY

**P1.1** Cool summer over Japan in 2003 -- from the viewpoint of summer following the 2002/03 El-Nino event

Hirokazu Endo

**P1.2** Recent West African hydrologic anomalies in the NCEP CFS *Wassila M. Thiaw and Kingtse C. Mo* 

**P1.3** NCEP CFS retrospective forecast data: description and availability in the NCEP climate server

Catherine Thiaw

**P1.4** The European heatwave of 2003: a modeling study using the NSIPP-1 AGCM. *P. Pegion, S. Schubert, R. Koster, M.Suarez, R. Reichle and P. Liu* 

**P1.5** The SST bias in the tropical Pacific in NCEP coupled forecast system model (CFS03) *Wanqiu Wang* 

**P1.6** Evaluation of the downstream weather impacts associated with atmospheric blocking over the Northeast Pacific in the CFS and AMIP model simulations *Marco L. Carrera, Natalie Gaggini, and R. Wayne Higgins* 

**P1.7** The best analyzed air-sea fluxes for seasonal forecasting *Glenn White, Wan-Qui Wang, Suranjana Saha, Sudhir Nadiga and Hua-Lu Pan* 

**P1.8** Simulation of the tropical air-sea coupled systems in the new NCEP coupled forecast system

Jiande Wang, Sudhir Nadiga and David Behringer

**P1.9** The historic Colorado front range snowstorm of March 17-19, 2003 *Klaus Wolter, Thomas Schlatter and Nolan Doesken* 

**P1.10** Evaluation of ENSO prediction and its impact on US surface climate using NCEP/CFS retrospective seasonal forecasts *Augustin Vintzileos and Jae-Kyung E. Schemm* 

**P1.11** Application of the University of Wisconsin Nonhydrostatic Modeling System (UWNMS) to large scale interaction between Northern and Southern hemispheres

Marek Rogal, Matthew H. Hitchman, Marcus L. Buker, and J. Gregory

**P1.12** Attempts in reducing velocity errors in the Global Ocean Data Assimilation System at NCEP

Yan Xue and David Behringer

- **P1.13** Predictability of three dynamical components of tropical SSTs *Cecile Penland and Ludmila Matrosova*
- **P1.14** Assessing seasonal ocean-atmosphere interaction in the midlatitude North Pacific *Dong Eun Lee and Zhengyu Liu*
- **P1.15** Recent Evolution of the ENSO cycle *Vern Kousky*
- **P1.16** Improvements of the Geostationary Operational Environmental Satellites GOES)R series for climate applications

Timothy J. Schmit, W. P. Menzel, James J. Gurka, Elaine M. Prins, Mathew M. Gunshor, Jun Li

**P1.17** Breeding and SLAF ensemble schemes for the NCEP-CFS03 coupled ocean-atmosphere model

Malaquías Peña and Zoltan Toth

- **P1.18** Northern Hemispheric storm tracks in the NOAA/NCEP GFS and CFS Models: climatology, interannual variability, and extreme events *Timothy Eichler and Wayne Higgins*
- **P1.19** The recent "recovery" of the rains in the West African Sahel. *Sharon Nicholson*
- **P1.20** Analysis of subseasonal to decadal variability in a coupled general circulation model

S. Miller, R. Nieto-Ferriera, M. Rienecker, S. Schubert, M. Suarez, P. Pegion

- **P1.21** An update on the North American Monsoon Experiment (NAME) *Wayne Higgins, Marco Carrera, Tim Eichler and the NAME SWG*
- **P1.22** The 2003/04 Stratospheric Warming Event: Its Evolution and Impact upon the Troposphere

Craig Long, M. Gelman, S. Zhou, A. J. Miller, W. Higgins, H.K. Kim

**P1.23** Review of the 2003 Antarctic Ozone Hole and an up-to-date look at the 2004 Ozone Hole

Craig Long, S. Zhou, R. Nagatani, A. J. Miller

**P1.24** The 2004 North Atlantic and East Pacific Hurricane Season: Summary and NOAA Outlooks

Muthuvel Chelliah, Gerry Bell and Kingtse Mo

**P1.25** Activity of the Madden-Julian oscillation and other coherent tropical modes during 2003-04 *Klaus Weickmann and Edward Berry* 

**P1.26** The Asian-Australian Monsoon in 2003-04 *Song Yang and Soo-Hyun Yoo* 

**P1.27** The NOAA Climate Testbed *Wayne Higgins and Hua-Lu Pan* 

**P1.28** Assessment of the 2003-04 African rainfall. *Wasilla Thiaw* 

### **Tuesday October 19, 2004**

## 9:05-10:30 POSTER SESSION 2: SATELLITE REGIONAL & LONG-TERM CLIMATE STUDIES

**P2.1** About changes of cloudiness vertical macrostructure before, during and after falling precipitation.

Irina Chernykh and Oleg Alduchov

- **P2.2** An analysis of the National Climatic Data Center thirty-year temperature normals *Larry Brown*
- **P2.3** Spread of boundary conditions on regional seasonal forecast *Hann-Ming Henry Juang and Jun Wang*
- **P2.4** Variations of climate parameters in the middle atmosphere from HALOE *Ellis Remsberg*
- **P2.5** Towards an optimal merging of satellite data sets *Jörg Schulz and Ralf Lindau*
- **P2.6** Preliminary results from the new AVHRR Pathfinder Atmospheres Extended (PATMOS-x)

Andrew Heidinger and, Michael Pavolonis

**P2.7** Regional climate modeling - big brother experiment

Deborah Herceg, Adam Sobel, Ligiang Sun and Steve Zebiak

**P2.8** GOES/POES satellite intercalibration: essential for climate studies. *Mathew M. Gunshor, Timothy J. Schmit, W. P. Menzel and David Tobin* 

**P2.9** Rainfall variability in the tropical Atlantic region *Guojun Gu, Robert F. Adler and Andrew J. Negri* 

**P2.10** Global climate response induced by aerosol radiative forcing *M. K Kim, K. M. Lau, K. M. Kim, Y. C. Sud, G. K. Walker, and M. Chin* 

**P2.11** Cloud-aerosol inteaction over Southeast Asia and its impact on the onset of the east Asian summer monsoon

Kyu-Myong Kim, William K.-M. Lau, N. Christina Hsu, Si-Chee Tsay

**P2.12** The variations of upper-air temperature in the last decade of the 20<sup>th</sup> century – beginning of 21<sup>st</sup> century.

Alexander Sterin

**P2.13** Validation of daily satellite precipitation estimates over the U. S *John Janowiak, Pingping Xie, Robert Joyce, Mingyue Chen, Yelena Yarosh* 

**P2.14** Changing Arctic climate and cloud feedback effect *Xuanji Wang and Jeffrey R. Key* 

### **P2.15** GOES cloud products and cloud studies

Anthony J. Schreiner, Timothy J. Schmit, W. Paul Menzel, Jun Li, James A. Jung, Steven A. Ackerman, Wayne F. Feltz and Robert M. Aune

**P2.16** Preliminary trends in cloudiness from the new AVHRR pathfinder atmospheres extended (PATMOS-x) data set *Michael J. Pavolonis and Andrew K. Heidinger* 

**P2.17** Correlations between monthly mean values of cloudiness vertical macrostructure parameters and precipitation amount *Oleg A. Alduchov and Irina V. Chernykh* 

**P2.18** Global warming experiments for IPCC AR4 by MRI-CGCM2.3 *Takao Uchiyama* 

**P2.19** New climate divisions for monitoring and predicting climate in the U.S. - A progress report

Klaus Wolter and Russell Bigley

**P2.20** Sea-to-air CO2 flux from 1948 to 2003 - a model study *Wetzel, P., Winguth, A., and Maier-Remer, E.* 

**P2.21** Is global warming injecting randomness into the climate system? *A. A. Tsonis* 

**P2.22** Observed trends in South American precipitation

Brant Liebmann, Carolina S. Vera, Leila M.V. Carvalho, Ines A. Camilloni, Martin P. Hoerling, Dave Allured and Vicente R. Barros

**P2.23** An analysis of weighting schemes using climate indices for seasonal volume forecasts produced from the ensemble streamflow prediction system of the National Weather Service

Kevin Werner, David Brandon, Martyn Clark and Subhrendu Gangopadhyay

**P2.24** Prediction of summertime temperatures over the western United States *Eric Alfaro, Alexander Gershunov and Dan Cayan* 

**P2.25** An analysis of snow simulations in a regional climate model with an advanced snow ccheme

Jiming Jin and Norman L. Miller

**P2.26** Diurnal cycle of California climate from regional downscaling *Hideki Kanamaru and Masao Kanamitsu* 

**P2.27** Potential Roles of Hyperspectral IR Sensors for Climate Change Detection *Hsiao-hua Burke and Bill Snow* 

**P2.28** Great Lakes Ice Season: A Brief Climatological Overview *Will Kubina and Raymond Assel* 

**P2.29** Interannual Variability of Surface Longwave Radiation over the African Continent as Derived from AVHRR.

Kristopher Karnauskas

### Wednesday October 20, 2004

### 9:05-10:30 POSTER SESSION 3: NAME 04, SOIL MOISTURE & REGIONAL

**P3.1** Climatology and variability of the North American monsoon system in NCEP GFS GCM simulations

Jae-Kyung Schemm, Kyong-Hwan Seo, Hyun-Kyung Kim and Kingtse Mo

**P3.2** NAMAP: An assessment of regional and global model simulations of the North American monsoon

Hyun-kyung Kim, David Gutzler, and Wayne Higgins

**P3.3** AGCM simulations of warm season diurnal cycle over the continental United States and northern Mexico

M.-I. Lee, S. Schubert, M. Suarez, J. Bacmeister, P. Pegion, I. Held, J. Ploshay, N.-C. Lau, B. Tian, A. Kumar, H.-K. Kim, J. Schemm, K. Mo and W. Higgins

- **P3.4** Hydroclimatology of the North American monsoon region in northwest Mexico *David Gochis and L. Brito Castillo*
- **P3.5** Evaluating the performance of satellite rainfall estimates using data from NAME program

Ismail Yucel, Robert J. Kuligowski and David J. Gochis

**P3.6** Diurnal cycle of cloud and precipitation associated with the North American Monsoon System: A case study for 2003

Pingping Xie, Yelena Yarosh, Mingyue Chen, Robert J. Joyce, John E. Janowiak, and Phillip A. Arkin

- **P3.7** Impact of Tropical Easterly Waves on the North American Monsoon *Jennifer L. Adams and David J. Stensrud*
- **P3.8** Atmospheric moisture transport as evaluated in the CDAS 2, **GDAS**, operational EDAS, regional reanalysis during NAME 04 *Kingtse C. Mo, Marco Carrera and R. Wayne Higgins*
- **P3.9** Comparing changes in upper atmospheric wind flow to the decrease in wintertime precipitation in the northern rockies since 1977 *Gene Petrescu*
- **P3.10** Large-scale aspects of the hydrological cycle as seen from the NCEP Regional Reanalysis and Forecast Products

Marco L. Carrera, Kingtse C. Mo, Muthuvel Chelliah, R. Wayne Higgins, and Wesely Ebisuzaki

- **P3.11** The relative impact of initial land states on warm season precipitation simulation over North America with Eta regional climate model *Rongqian Yang and Kenneth Mitchell*
- **P3.12** Land memory study using CPC's new global soil moisture dataset from 1948 Present

Yun Fan, Huug M. van den Dool and Peitao Peng

- **P3.13** Impact of initial soil wetness on seasonal climate prediction *Liquing Sun*
- **P3.14** Soil moisture impacts on seasonal forecast predictability

Laurel DeHaan, Masao Kanamitsu, Sarah Lu, John Roads,

**P3.15** Severity-area-duration analysis of 20<sup>th</sup> century drought in the conterminous U. S. *Elizabeth A. Clark, Konstantinos M. Andreadis, Andrew W. Wood, and Dennis P. Lettenmaier* 

**P3.16** Impact of land initialization on coupled seasonal forecasts during Summer 2004

N. Kurkowski, R. Reichle, S. Miller, J. Gottschalck, R. Koster, P. Liu, J. Meng, P. Pegion, M. Rodell, S. Schubert, M. Suarez

**P3.17** A comparison of the soil moisture from the North American regional reanalysis and the NCEP/DOE reanalyses

Wesley Ebisuzaki, Cheng-Hsuan Lu

P3.18 Seasonal and interannual variations of precipitation over Atlantic Ocean and its adjacent land areas

Pingping Xie, Mingyue Chen, Evgeney Yarosh, John Janowiak, and Phillip A. Arkin

**P3.19** Gravity satellite data and calculated soil moisture: A mutual validation *Huug van den Dool, Yun Fan, John Wahr and Sean Swenson* 

**P3.20** Intraseasonal rainfall variability within the North American monsoon *AV Douglas and PJ Englehart* 

**P3.21** Relationships between GOC moisture surges and tropical cyclones in the eastern Pacific and Atlantic basins

Wayne Higgins and Wei Shi

**P3.22** Potential predictability of U.S. summer climate with "perfect" soil moisture *Fanglin Yang, Arun Kumar and K.-M. Lau* 

**P3.23** Seasonal climate prediction for the UK health sector *Glenn McGregor* 

**P3.24** Have variations in convection and circulation in the tropics played a role in the variability of the Antarctic Ozone?

Leila M. Vespoli de Carvalho and Charles Jones

**P3.25** A PCA Analysis of the Behavior and Evolution of Gulf Surge's at Yuma, AZ based on a 50-year Record of Increased Temporal Resolution. *Nicolas Novella* 

### Thursday October 21, 2004

**P4.1** The onset and period of the Madden-Julian Oscillation and alternating tendency in its intensity

Kyong-Hwan Seo and Jae-Kyung E. Schemm

P4.2 Stratosphere-troposphere exchange and the QBO

Amihan Huesmann and Matthew Hitchman

**P4.3** The Atlantic basin hurricane database re-analysis for the decades of the 1910s, 1920s and 1930s

Christopher W. Landsea, J. Berkeley, W. Bredemeyer, R. Ellis, S. Feuer, D. Glenn, J. Sims, D. Thomas and L. Woolcock

**P4.4** Predictability studies of the intraseasonal oscillation in the ECHAM GCM *Stefan Liess and Duane E. Waliser* 

**P4.5** An experimental national long-range hydrologic prediction system (NLHPS) *John Schaake, Pedro Restrepo and Shuzheng Cong* 

**P4.6** Validation of the ECPC coupled model

Elena Yulaeva, Masao Kanamitsu, and John Roads

**P4.7** Seasonal forecast skill comparison of cluster mean, ensemble mean and EOF mode patterns

Tosiyuki Nakaegawa and Masao Kanamitsu

**P4.8** The effects of el nino/ southern oscillation on Utah's climate *Brian McInerney* 

**P4.9** Withdrawn

**P4.10** The variability of Indian Ocean SST and its climate impacts *Soo-Hyun Yoo, Song Yang, and Chang-Hoi Ho* 

**P4.11** A Markov model approach to incorporate influences of the Madden-Julian Oscillation on ENSO: Part 1. predicting intraseasonal variability *Yan Xue and Kyong-Hwan Seo* 

**P4.12** OGCM study of the interannual variability of Western Hemisphere warm pool S.-K. Lee, D. B. Enfield and C. Wang

**P4.13** Boreal summertime teleconnection linking interannual climate variations over North America and Asia *Hailan Wang and William K.-M. Lau* 

**P4.14** Seasonal surface air temperature and precipitation in the FSU climate model coupled to the CLM2

D. W. Shin, S. Cocke, T. E. LaRow, and James J. O'Brien

**P4.15** A tool for improving natural resource management under climate uncertainty: customized forecast evaluations using the internet

Holly C. Hartmann, Bisher Imam, Ellen Lay, David Lamb, and Soroosh Sorooshian

**P4.16** Verification of CPC's 2004 heat index forecasts *Kenneth Pelman* 

**P4.17** Extended-range analog ensemble forecasts *Ed O'Lenic and Scott Handel* 

**P4.18** Directional transition mechanism of the Rossby wave propagation *Sung-Dae Kang, Su-Hee Park, Won-Tae Kown* 

**P4.19** Global Teleconnection: A New Framework for Climate Prediction *Julian X.L. Wang* 

**P4.20** Circumglobal teleconnection in the Northern Hemisphere summer *Qinghua Ding and Bin Wang* 

**P4.21** On the sources of water vapor over the Indian subcontinent *Man-Li C. Wu, S. D. Schubert, S. M. J. Suarez, M. Bosilvich, J. D. Chern and D. E. Waliser* 

**P4.22** The statistics of weather in climate based on observations and models *C F. Ropelewski and M. A. Bell* 

**P4.23** United States landfalling hurricane probability webpage *Philip J. Klotzbach and William M. Gray* 

**P4.24** Interannual and interdecadal rainfall variations in the Hawaiian Islands *Pao-Shin Chu and Wendy Chen* 

**P4.25** Forecast skill and economic value of APCN multi-model ensemble prediction: where does the skill of multi-model ensemble prediction come from? *June-Yi Lee and William K.-M. Lau* 

**P4.26** Boundary and initial flow induced variability over Pacific-North America in CCC-AGCM simulations

Amir Shabbar and Kaz Higuchi

**P4.27** Maintenance of Arctic and sub-Arctic atmospheric circulation observations and CCSM3 simulations

Eric DeWeaver

**P4.28** Atmospheric response to North Pacific SST: the role of ocean-atmosphere coupling *Zhengyu Liu and Lixin Wu*