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Jeff Wilson: Hi Lu

Vesa Nietosvaara: Hi, Lu

Luciane Veeck: Hi guys

Vesa Nietosvaara: hi, Lu.

Luciane Veeck: Just one min guys

Jeff Wilson: Hi Lu, can hear discussion in background, happy to wait

Vesa Nietosvaara: now is good -

Jeff Wilson: We can hear you no problem

Luciane Veeck: Can you see and hear?

Vesa Nietosvaara: yes

Luciane Veeck: Thanks

Jeff Wilson: Lu, to me the point is that the Northern H CMs are similar to those in the Southern H so they are not different, How do we have one set of CMs that can be used everywhere and NH can take advantage of work that has been done elsewhere including the SH

Claudia Campetella: Hi all of you

Claudia Campetella: I have just join the session!!!!

Luciane Veeck: Hi Claudia

Luciane Veeck: We have just started

Vesa Nietosvaara: Good afternoon, Claudia

Jeff Wilson: The conceptual models for the NH and SH are essentially the same, not different for different oceans. You may find cyclogenesis has slightly different modes or preferences in different oceans or different geography, or seasons.

Jeff Wilson: Thanks Volker. I agree with the broad thrust but would probably carry it out a little differently. However I will not be involved in the actual work so it is SAWs, BOM etc that need to say if they want this help. New Zealand are not too interested, Roger may be okay

Jeff Wilson: Can hear roger talking in the background. Do the SH CoEs or the other CoEs that wish to train people for the SH think they are okay or not?

Claudia Campetella: I think that this could be a great idea to help us in training our forecasters.

Jeff Wilson: Otherwise we will need to have different BIP-Ms for each hemisphere

Jeff Wilson: Roger, I agree, then SAWS and Argentina can start to take these things on as well

Jeff Wilson: Hi Winifred. good to hear you

Jeff Wilson: Winifred, great honours tasks and projects

Daniel Vila: any other questions or comments?

Claudia Campetella: In Argentina the NWS will work together with the university to work in case studies of many of the weather systems we have in our region. Also we can work with Brasil

Jeff Wilson: If you get a small group together to look at the SAT MANU

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Jeff Wilson: From my side I need to know if the VLMG wants to take this on as a task and then recommend to CGMS that this is agreed. I can then make some funds available. but only if you are going to take it on seriously.

Jeff Wilson: I have n't spoken to Mike D on this

Jeff Wilson: Roger may wish to bring this up at COCOM as well as others may be interested as well

Daniel Vila:

Roger+Mark says yes for raise at CoComm

Jeff Wilson: Good Volker. I suggest you need to get some people to outline a quick project plan for some discussion, identify some goals, the usual risks and go for a phase 1. IN the CGMS report make a request to see if WMO can provide some support to the project via EUMETSAT in 2012

Jeff Wilson: Good idea to link to ASMET also talk to COMET as they are doing av met for africa soon

Jeff Wilson: Thanks Mark, I am showing my age mentioning McIDAS

Jeff Wilson: At some stage people like Kathy Ann will want to have stuff for Tropical Met

Daniel Vila: Kathy Ann nods energetically

Jeff Wilson: Good idea Roger, Also check what Roger Weldon in NESDIS (retired) and check with Ian Bell on reviewing roles

Daniel Vila: Positive signals from here. Any last comments from online

Jeff Wilson: Sounds good to me,. I will liaise with Vesa and Volker

Daniel Vila: Claudia – roger was talking about involving his graduate trainees

Jeff Wilson: Okay, good night and we will talk again on Thursdaz, hopefully with voice

Daniel Vila: Ok – selpp well Europe, Claudia have a lovely evening

Jeff Wilson: au revoir

Claudia Campetella: Chau, for all of you!!!