

Agenda
Northeast Regional Operational Workshop XVI
Albany, New York
Wednesday, November 4, 2015

8:30 am

Welcoming Remarks

Raymond G. O’Keefe, Meteorologist In Charge
Warren R. Snyder, Science & Operations Officer
National Weather Service, Albany, New York

Session A – Cold Season Topics

8:40 am

**A Multi-scale Analysis of the 26-27 November 2014
Pre-Thanksgiving Snowstorm**

Thomas A. Wasula
NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, Albany, New York

9:01 am

Update to Gridded Snowfall Verification: Computing Seasonal Bias Maps

Joseph P. Villani
NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, Albany, New York

9:22 am

**Cool-season extreme precipitation events in the Central and
Eastern United States**

Benjamin J. Moore
Department of Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences, University at Albany, State
University of New York, Albany, New York

9:43 am

**A Case Study of the 18 January 2015 High-Impact Light Freezing Rain Event
Across the Northern Mid-Atlantic Region**

Heather Sheffield
NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, Sterling, Virginia

10:04 am

The November 26, 2014 banded snowfall case in southern New York

Michael Evans
NOAA / NWS Weather Forecast Office, Binghamton, New York

10:25 am

Break

10:55 am

An analysis of Chesapeake Bay effect snow events from 1999 to 2013

David F. Hamrick

NOAA/NWS Weather Prediction Center, College Park, Maryland

11:16 am

Changes in the Winter Weather Desk Operations at the Weather Prediction Center (WPC), and New Experimental Forecasts

Dan Petersen

NOAA/NWS/NCEP Weather Prediction Center, College Park, Maryland

11:37 am

Applying Fuzzy Clustering Analysis to Assess Uncertainty and Ensemble System Performance for Cool Season High-Impact Weather

Brian A. Colle

School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences, Stony Brook University,
Stony Brook, New York

11:58 am – Lunch

Session B –UAlbany/NWS CSTAR

1:30 pm

Updated Radar-Based Techniques for Tornado Warning Guidance in the Northeastern United States

Brian J. Frugis

NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, Albany, New York

1:51 pm

Ensemble variability in rainfall forecasts of Hurricane Irene (2011)

Molly B. Smith

Department of Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences, University at Albany, State
University of New York, Albany, New York

2:12 pm

**A Multiscale Analysis of Major Transition Season
Northeast Snowstorms**

Rebecca B. Steeves

Department of Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences
University at Albany, State University of New York, Albany, New York

2:33 pm

A Composite Analysis of Northeast Severe Weather Events with Varying Spatial Impacts

Matthew Vaughan

Department of Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences, University at Albany, State University of New York, Albany, New York

2:54 pm

The 22 December 2013 Cold Air Damming Event across the Hudson River Valley in East-Central New York

Ian R. Lee

NOAA/NWS, Weather Forecast Office, Albany, New York

3:15 pm

Break

Session C – Heavy Rainfall and Hydrology

3:45 pm

Hydrologic Ensemble Forecast Service Revisited

Erick Boehmler

NOAA/NWS Northeast River Forecast Center, Taunton Massachusetts

4:06 pm

A multiscale analysis of three sequentially linked flood-producing heavy rainfall events during August 2014

Lance F Bosart

Department of Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences, University at Albany, State University of New York, Albany, New York

4:27 pm

An assessment of local forecaster's ability to anticipate flash flooding using the Hazardous Weather Outlook product at WFO Binghamton, New York

Michael Evans

NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, Binghamton, New York

4:48pm

The Record South Carolina Rainfall Event of 3-5 October 2015: Estimating the Threat Using Average Recurrence Intervals

Charles Ross

NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, State College, Pennsylvania

5:09 pm

**The Record South Carolina Rainfall Event of 3-5 October 2015:
NCEP Forecast Suite Success story**

John LaCorte

NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, State College, Pennsylvania

5:30 pm

An Examination of “Parallel” and “Transition” Severe Weather/Flash Flood Events

Kyle Pallozzi

Department of Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences, University at Albany, State
University of New York, Albany, New York

5:51pm

Wrap up

Warren Snyder

6:00pm - Adjourn

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Session D – Modeling/Ensembles/SUNY Stonybrook

8:00 am

Development of a Webpage to Diagnose Ensemble Cyclone Track Uncertainty with Additional Supporting Graphics

Michael Erickson

School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, New York

8:21 am

Evaluation of WRF Simulated Multi-bands over the Northeast U.S. Using Varied Initial Conditions and Physics

Sara A. Ganetis

School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences, Stony Brook University,
Stony Brook, New York

8:42 am

Exploring Multi-Model Ensemble Performance in Extratropical Cyclones over Eastern North America and the Western Atlantic Ocean

Nathan Korfe

School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences, Stony Brook University,
Stony Brook, New York

9:03 am

Using Model Climatology to Develop a Confidence Metric for Operational Forecasting

Taylor Mandelbaum

School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, New York

9:24 am

High Resolution Simulations of an Extreme Precipitation Event over Long Island on 13 August 2014

Nicholas Leonardo

School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, New York

9:45 am

Variational Approach to Improve Computation of Sensible Heat Flux over Lake Superior

Zuohao Cao

Meteorological Research Division, Environment Canada, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

10:06 am

Break

10:35 am

Analysis of Two Missed Summer Severe Rainfall Forecasts

Zuohao Cao

Environment Canada, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

10:56 am

Utilization of Hyper-Local Weather Prediction to Increase Grid Resiliency and Accelerate Renewable Integration in Vermont

Rob D'Arienzo

Vermont Electric Power Company, Rutland, Vermont

Session E – General Session

11:17 am

An Integrated Modelling and Observing System for the Study of the Ecology of Lake George in the Jefferson Project

Anthony Praino

IBM Research, Yorktown, New York

11:38 am

Severe Turbulence Associated with a Meso-Low/Gravity Wave Across the New York Terminal Radar Approach Control

Gordon Strassberg

NOAA/NWS Center Weather Service Unit, Ronkonkoma, New York

Noon

Lunch

1:30 pm

A Comparison of LiDAR wind profiles with National Weather Service high-resolution rawinsonde observations

Jeffrey M. Freedman

Atmospheric Sciences Research Center, University at Albany, Albany New York

1:51 pm

The Provincetown IV Ferry Incident of August 13, 2014: Was a Rogue Wave to Blame?

Joseph W. DelliCarpini

NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office Taunton, Massachusetts

2:12 pm

The New York State Mesonet: Network Installation and Operations

J. Brotzge

Atmospheric Sciences Research Center, Albany, New York

Session F – Warm Season/Convection

2:33 pm

The August 4, 2015 Severe Weather Outbreak in Southern New England: Two Rare Significant Events Within 12 Hours

Hayden M. Frank

NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, Taunton, Massachusetts

2:54 pm

Using Dual Polarization Radar to Determine Supercell and QLCS Characteristics Just Prior to Tornadogenesis and Tornado Dissipation

Michael L. Jurewicz Sr

NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, Binghamton, New York

3:15 pm

Using Layered Precipitable Water and Other Satellite Derived Datasets to Anticipate High Impact Weather Events (Heavy Precipitation and Severe Weather Applications)

Michael L. Jurewicz Sr

NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, Binghamton, New York

3:45 pm

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4:15 pm

Climatology of Polygon-Based Severe Thunderstorm Warnings for New England

Chris Kimble

NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, Gray, Maine

4:36 pm

The July 19, 2015 “Non-Event” in Southern New England: What Happened?

Frank M. Nocera

NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, Taunton, Massachusetts

4:57 pm

Severe weather events in Southern Brazil and their similarity with events in the United States

Bruno Z. Ribeiro

National Institute for Space Research (INPE), São Paulo, SP, Brazil

5:17 pm

Analyzing the Roles of Low-Level Forcing and Instability in Significant Severe Weather Outbreaks in the Eastern United States.

Neil A. Stuart

NOAA/NWS Weather Forecast Office, Albany, New York

5:38 pm - Wrap Up

Warren R. Snyder

5:45 pm

Adjourn

7:00 pm

CSTAR Dinner at Buca di Beppo Italian Restaurant for Participants in UAlbany-NWS CSTAR V & Proposed VI.

44 Wolf Road, Colonie, New York

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State University of New York, Albany, New York