

# 2024 AGU Fall Meeting

NASA Earth Science Technology Office (ESTO)

ESTO-Affiliated Presentations, Posters, and Events (*all times EST*)



## iPoster Gallery (*all week*)

**Online Poster SY01-09:** *Predictive Urban Air Toxics Analytics and Community Engagement for Equity and Environmental Justice*  
- Pratyush Muthukumar (Dawn Comer)

## Monday, December 9

**Poster A11I-1708** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Field Results from the Compact Hyperspectral Air Pollution Sensor-Demonstrator (CHAPS-D)* - William H Swartz

**Poster A11J-1736** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Calculating evapotranspiration from predicted temperatures to forecast annual wildfire CO2 emissions* - Sirisha Sirisha (Milton Halem)

**Poster A11Q-1885** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Ocean Color Remote Sensing Comparisons with AERONET-OC During Different Water Clarity Conditions in the Chesapeake Bay*  
- Samantha Smith (Stephanie Schollaert Uz)

**POSTER SESSION A11S** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Remote Sensing of the Planetary Boundary Layer from Ground, Air, and Space I Poster*; Conveners: Amin Nehrir, Carol Anne Clayson, Kelly Lombardo, Jeffrey Piepmeier

**A11S-1933** – *Design and Initial Results from the Airborne Microwave Barometric Radar and Sounder (MBARS) Test Flights*  
- Matthew McLinden

**A11S-1936** – *Enhancing Planetary Boundary Layer Observing System Trades with GNSS-RO Sampling in TAT-C* - Paul Grogan

**A11S-1937** – *First Observations from the Airborne Hyperspectral Microwave Sounder CoSMIR-H* - Rachael Kroodsmas

**A11S-1939** – *From the Tropics to the Poles – Boundary Layer Moisture and Height Variability Observed from Airborne Differential Absorption and High Spectral Resolution Lidar*  
- Amin R Nehrir

**A11S-1946** – *Optimal Estimation IR Sounder Retrievals of the Planetary Boundary Layer with a Generative AI Prior*  
- Adam Milstein

**A11S-1951** – *Physical Retrieval of PBL Thermodynamic Fields from Next-Generation Hyperspectral Microwave Sensors*  
- Yaping Zhou (Antonia Gambacorta)

**A11S-1955** – *The Hyperspectral Microwave Photonic Instrument (HyMPI): Technology Developments for Improved Planetary Boundary Layer Sounding* - Fabrizio Gambini (Gambacorta)

**A11S-1956** – *Ultra-Wideband RF Photonics Spectrometer for Planetary Boundary Layer Sensing* - Mehmet Ogut (Murakowski)

**Poster G11C-3504** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*A Six-axis Optomechanical Inertial Sensing and Navigation System for Future Mass Change Missions* - Andrea Nelson (Felipe Guzman)

**Poster G11C-3511** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Inertial Sensing and Navigation Systems Based on Opto-Mechanical Accelerometers for Future Gravity Field Missions*  
- Mohanad Warrayat (Felipe Guzman)

**Poster GC11H-0038** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Emulating NASA ModelE Shared Socioeconomic Pathways (SSPs) Simulations with a Convolutional Neural Network*  
- John Mekus (Gavin Schmidt)

**Presentation NG11A-06** (9:20-9:30, Marquis 12-13)  
*Enabling Uncertainty Quantification and an Extended Forecast Window using Deep Learning Ensembles for Atmospheric Composition*  
- Jennifer Sleeman (Emma Knowland)

**Poster NH13F-2328** (13:40-17:30, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Integrating Innovative Observations into Coupled Wildfire Models*  
- Kyle Hilburn

**Poster GC13F-0257** (13:40-17:30, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Evaluating High-Resolution Downscaled Climate Products with the Open Climate Workbench* - Hugo Lee

**Poster H13H-1105** (13:40-17:30, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Integrating Remote Sensing and the DSSAT Model with Near-Real-Time Data Assimilation for Improved Decision Support*  
- Meijian Yang (Gavin Schmidt, Alexander Ruane)

**Presentation A14C-08** (17:12-17:21, 152A Convention Center)  
*Sea Surface Air Pressure Retrieval with MBARS*  
- Bing Lin (Matthew McLinden)

**Presentation IN14B-09** (17:20 - 17:30, Marquis 12-13)  
*Real-time Web-based Visualization and Analytics of Petascale Climate Data from the Cloud: Equity as a Tide that Lifts All Boats*  
- Valerio Pascucci (Hugo Lee)

## Tuesday, December 10

**Poster GC21W-0178** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Integrating Observations and Models for Food Security and Health Applications in a Coastal Region* - Stephanie Schollaert Uz

**Poster A21I-1883** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*TEMPO at Night* - James Carr

**Poster H21U-0936** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Enhanced Temporal Resolution of Passive Microwave Remote Sensing of Clouds and Precipitation using Small Satellites: Temporal Experiment for Storms and Tropical Systems (TEMPEST) Missions*  
- Steven C Reising

**Presentation G21A-08** (9:40-9:50, Marquis 3-4)  
*Performance Demonstration of Gravitational Reference Sensors for Satellite Geodesy using a Torsion Pendulum* - John Siu (John Conklin)

**Presentation NS22A-02** (10:35-10:45, 146 A Convention Center)  
*Multi-frequency signals of opportunity (SoOp) remote sensing of soil moisture: Field validation experiments* - James L Garrison

**Presentation NS22A-04** (10:55-11:05, 146 A Convention Center)  
*High Resolution Polarimetric Remote Sensing for Improved Characterisation of Terrestrial Surfaces and Processes*  
- Delwyn Moller (Chris Ruf)

**Presentation NS22A-06** (11:20-11:30, 146 A Convention Center)  
*New Lidar Techniques for Measurement of Snow Properties*  
- Carl S Weimer

**Presentation H22G-04** (11:10-11:25, 145 A Convention Center)  
*Confluence, the operational cloud pipeline predicting global scale discharge using the SWOT satellite*  
- Travis Simmons (Colin J Gleason)

**TOWN HALL TH23I** (12:30-13:30, Salon C Convention Center)  
*NASA Earth Science Division Town Hall*

**Poster IN23A-2189** (13:40-17:30, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Automating Map-Making through Enhanced Geographic Information Extraction Using Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG) with Large Language Model (LLM)* - Zifu Wang (Phil Yang)

**Presentation A24G-01** (16:00-16:20, Room 202B)  
*Designing Observing System Simulation Experiments for the Atmospheric Planetary Boundary Layer* - Derek J Posselt

**Presentation A24G-04** (16:40 - 16:50, Room 202B)  
*Benefits of Irregular Spatio-Temporal Sampling Approaches for Passive Microwave Observations of the Planetary Boundary Layer: Performance Simulations, OSSEs, and Instrument Concepts*  
- William Blackwell

**Presentation A24G-05** (16:50-17:00, Room 202B)  
*Evaluating Earth-Observing Satellite Sampling Effectiveness Using Kullback-Leibler Divergence* - Negin Esmaeili (Paul Grogan)

**Presentation A24G-07** (17:10-17:20 Room 202B)  
*New Angles on the PBL: Potential and Limitations of Space-borne Atmospheric Tomography for Characterizing the Planetary Boundary Layer* - Linda Forster (Mark Richardson)

### Wednesday, December 11

**Poster B31H-1362** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*FireSense: Supporting operational partners through co-development*  
- Jacquelyn K Shuman

**Poster B31H-1364** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*UAS Measurement Platform to Fill a Critical Knowledge Gap on Wildland Fires* - Jennifer Fowler

**Poster B31H-1375** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Pyro-Atmosphere Infrared Sounder (PIRS): A Sub-Kilometer Spatial Resolution Hyperspectral Infrared Sounder for Wildland Fire-Atmosphere Interaction* - Sun Wong

**Poster B31H-1376** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Near real-time detection of wildland fire thermal and gas emissions from UAV-based multispectral infrared imagers*  
- James Oliver Thompson

**Poster B31H-1379** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Flame Finder: Illuminating Obscured Fire through Smoke with Attentive Deep Metric Learning* - Fatemeh Afghah

**Poster G31B-3332** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*The quest for 10 cm precision from space: Satellite stereo-lidar data fusion for precise 3D measurement of the Earth's changing surface*  
- David Shean

**Poster G31B-3336** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Improved Digital Surface Model derivation in vegetation landscapes through simulation and fusion of satellite stereo-photogrammetry and laser altimetry* - Ameni Mkaouer (David Shean)

**Poster Session IN31D** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Novel Observing Strategies for a Changing Planet*  
Conveners: Ben Smith, Nicolas Longepe, James Parr, Michael M. Little

**Poster IN31D-2035** – *Mapping Earth's Changing Surface and Overlying Vegetation Structure using a Novel Observing Strategy (NOS)* - Andrea Donnellan (Steve Chien)

**Poster IN31D-2036** – *A Snow Observing Strategy to Integrate Observations and Modeling* - Melissa Wrzesien (Carrie Vuyovich)

**Poster IN31D-2037**– *Advanced Satellite Scheduling Strategy for Snow Water Equivalent (SWE) Monitoring*  
- Hadis Banafsheh (Paul Grogan)

**Poster IN31D-2042** – *Scientific Target Prioritization with the Intelligent Long Endurance Observing System (ILEOS)*  
- Sarah A Strode (Meghan Saephan)

**Presentation H32F-01** (10:20-10:30, 103A-B Convention Center)  
*Fluorescence Lidar for Ocean Research: investigation to identify and characterize marine debris* - Madeline Cowell

**Poster C33A-0404** (13:40-17:30, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Class X: Automatic Image Labeling Tool for Cryospheric & Multi-Domain Research* - Theodore N Spanbauer (Phil Yang)

**Poster G33B-3365** (13:40-17:30, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Optomechanical inertial sensors and their applications to Earth and Planetary science* - Felipe Guzman

**Presentation IN33E-04** (14:40 - 14:50, Marquis 3-4)  
*The Thematic Observation Search, Segmentation, Collation and Analysis (TOS2CA) System: Serving Data and Visualization Tools for User-Defined Physical Phenomena* - Brian Knosp

**Presentation A34B-08** (17:10-17:20, 147A Convention Center)  
*Vertical Wind and Drop Size Distribution Retrieval with a G-band Doppler Radar* - Nitika Yurk (Ken Cooper)

**TOWN HALL TH35J** (18:00-19:00, Salon C Convention Center)  
*NASA Earth Science in Action*

### Thursday, December 12

**Poster A41U-1924** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Gigatraj: An Atmospheric Trajectory Model*  
- Leslie Lait (Thomas Grubb)

**Poster GC41H-0032** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*REMIR (Reduced Envelope Multispectral Infrared Radiometer): integration, preliminary testing, and flight campaign planning for an airborne demonstrator for future Sustained Land Imaging*  
- Michael S Veto

**Poster GC41M-0103** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Spatial Aggregation by Delineating Agroecological Zone for Regional Crop Growth Modelling in Corn Yield Prediction*  
- Yuxin Miao (Alexander Ruane)

**Presentation NH41B-02** (8:40-8:50, Archives Marriott Marquis)  
*Simulating the impacts of regional wildfire smoke on ozone using a coupled fire-atmosphere-chemistry model*  
- Derek Vincent Mallia (Kyle Hilburn)

**Hyperwall Talk** (10:45-11:00, NASA Exhibit)  
*NASA ESTO: Launchpad for Novel Earth Science Technologies*  
- Michael Seablom

**Poster B43A-1520** (13:40-17:30, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Systematic Study of Uncertainty Quantification for Deep Learning Models in Air Quality Applications* - Anusha Malarvizhi (Phil Yang)

**Poster B43B-1528** (13:40-17:30, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Ecological Modeling of Tree Mortality in the Sierra Nevada*  
- Gary B Doran (Seungwon Lee)

**Presentation IN43C-05** (14:50-15:00, Marquis 3-4)  
*Climate PAL: Enhancing Accessibility of Climate Model Data through Conversational AI* - Sonia Crompt (Gavin Schmidt)

**Presentation U44A-02** (16:27-16:47, Ballroom A/Convention Center)  
*New initiatives for maximizing the utility of Climate Modeling for mitigation and adaptation at NASA GISS* - Gavin Schmidt

**TOWN HALL TH45C** (18:00-19:00, Capitol/Congress Marriott Marquis)  
*NASA's Early Career Research Program Paving the Way*

**TOWN HALL TH45I** (18:00-19:00, Liberty I-K Marriott Marquis)  
*NASA Sea Level Change Team: Turning Research into Action*

## Friday, December 13

**Poster B51H-1614** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Machine Learning Models of Fuel Moisture Content with Custom Loss Functions* - Jonathon Hirschi (Kyle Hilburn)

**Poster B51H-1616** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Generative Algorithms for Initial Wildfire Progression Conditioned on Active Fire Satellite Measurements and Terrain Height*  
- Bryan Shaddy (Kyle Hilburn)

**Poster GC51V-0263** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Reference DEM Generation over Ice Sheets and Ice Caps from Multi-Sensor Data Fusion* - Benjamin Eaton Smith (David Shean)

**Poster GC51V-0265** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*The Next Generation NASA Airborne Imaging Radar (AIRSAR-NG) under development in support of Surface Topography and Vegetation Targeted Observable Incubation* - Yunling Lou

**Poster IN51D-2395** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*TERRAHydro: An AI-based Framework for Land Surface Digital Twins*  
- Mahmoud Saeedimoghaddam (Craig Pelissier)

**Poster Session IN51E** (08:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Advanced Digital Twin Information Systems and Earth Action I*  
Conveners: Kenneth Ranson, David Considine, Pierre-Marie Brunet, Chaowei Phil Yang, and Daniel Duffy

**Poster IN51E-2407** – *Multi Target Learning Advances State-of-the-Art Accuracy in Land Surface Modeling*  
- Mahmoud Saeedimoghaddam (Craig Pelissier)

**Poster IN51E-2409** – *Visualizing Earth Science Climate Model and Digital Twin data in XR* - Thomas Grubb

**Poster IN51E-2410** – *Open-Source Framework for Earth System Digital Twins* - Nga Chung (Thomas Huang)

**Poster IN51E-2411** – *Bayesian transport maps: Digital twin technology for probabilistic emulation of Earth-system models*  
- Jonathan Hobbs (Matthias Katzfuss)

**Poster IN51E-2412** – *Challenges and Opportunity of Digital Twin*  
- Chaowei Phil Yang

**Poster IN51E-2414** – *Dasymetric Mapping for Vulnerable Coastal Population Risk Assessment Using an Open Data Cube in Hampton Roads, Virginia* - Tom Allen

**Poster IN51E-2415** – *Towards an Actionable 'Wildfire Digital Twin as a Service'* - Milton Halem

**Poster IN51E-2416** – *Development of a Digital Twin Model for Agriculture* - Rajat Bindlish

**Poster IN51E-2417** – *EcoPro: Digital Twin for Ecological Projection* - Seungwon Lee

**Poster SY51D-2597** (8:30-12:20, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Managing Large-scale Atmospheric and Oceanic Climate Data for Efficient Analysis and On-the-fly Interactive Visualization*  
- Aashish Panta (Hugo Lee)

**Presentation GC51C-05** (9:06-9:14, Salon-H Convention Center)  
*A Virtual Agricultural Innovations Laboratory (AVAIL) – combining NASA resources for multi-perspective decision support for Iowa Corn and beyond* - Alexander Ruane

**Presentation GC51B-06** (9:25-9:35, Salon-C Convention Center)  
*Disentangling the Natural and Anthropogenic Drivers of Changes in Extreme Sea Levels since 1900*  
- Sönke Dangendorf (Tom Allen)

**Poster GC53G-0428** (13:40-17:30, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Crop Yield Estimates from Land Agriculture Information System for Agriculture Guidance*  
- Pang-Wei Liu (Alexander C Ruane)

**Poster GC53H-0442** (13:40-17:30, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Evaluating NASA's Statistically Downscaled Products to Assess FEMA's National Risk Index in Oklahoma Under a Changing Climate*  
- Hugo Lee

**Poster OS53C-0795** (13:40-17:30, Hall B-C Poster Hall)  
*Flood Resilience: Real-Time Sensor Integration and Advanced Hydrodynamic Modeling for Norfolk, Virginia*  
- Navid Tahvildari (Tom Allen)

**Presentation A53AA-02** (14:13-14:16, eLightning Theater 1)  
*EViz: A Toolkit for Simplifying Earth System Models Data Visualization and Workflows*  
- Carlos Cruz

**Session IN53C** (14:10-15:40, Marquis 3-4 Marriott Marquis)  
*Advanced Digital Twin Information Systems and Earth Action II*  
Conveners: Kenneth Ranson, David B Considine, Chaowei Phil Yang, Pierre-Marie Brunet, and Daniel Duffy

**Presentation IN53C-01** – *Intelligent Systems and Digital Twin Technologies for Earth Science* - Jacqueline Le Moigne

**Presentation IN53C-04** – *Development of a Coastal Zone Digital Twin* - Jeff Walter

**Presentation IN53C-05** – *Development of a Digital Twin Model for Wildfire: Leveraging Spatiotemporal AI for Predicting Wildfire Progression* - Mohammad Pourhomayoun (Dawn Comer)

**Presentation IN53C-08** – *Advancing Progress on Earth System Digital Twins through an Integrated AI-Enabled Framework*  
- Deepthi Raghunandan (Craig Pelissier)

**Presentation GC54E-01** (16:00-16:10, Salon-H Convention Center)  
*Cryospheric Science Activities Towards Achieving NASA's Surface Topography and Vegetation Targeted Observable*  
- Brooke Medley

**Presentation GC54E-03** (16:20-16:30, Salon-H Convention Center)  
*Hydrology from mountains to the sea: Measurements hydrologists desire versus what they can have.*  
- Marc Simard

**Presentation GC54E-05** (16:40-16:50, Salon-H Convention Center)  
*A data fusion approach to generate sub-meter accuracy DEMs and orthoimages from VHR-stereo imagery*  
- Shashank Bhushan (David E Shean)

**Presentation GC54E-06** (16:50-17:00, Salon-H Convention Center)  
*Advances in Developing a Novel Radar for High-Resolution 3-Dimensional Structure Measurements*  
- Lauren Wye