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A salute to the Gulf of Mexico Research Initiative's contribution to the state of science in Mississippi

Date: November 5, 2020

Time: 1:00 – 3:30 pm CST

- 1:00 – 1:05 pm** Event introduction, LaDon Swann, Mississippi-Alabama Sea Grant Consortium
- 1:05 – 1:15 pm** RDML Tim Gallaudet, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere and Deputy NOAA Administrator
- 1:15 – 1:25 pm** Introduction from the GoMRI Research Board Chair, Rita Colwell
- 1:25 – 1:35 pm** GoMRI and GOMA, Laura Bowie
- 1:35 – 1:45 pm** GoMRI in Mississippi, Research Board members' perspective: David Shaw and Denis Wiesenburg (moderator Steve Sempier)
- 1:45 – 1:55 pm** GoMRI science, Mike Carron, GoMRI Program Director
- 1:55 – 2:05 pm** Question-answer panel with available first half speakers, time permitting
- 2:05 – 2:10 pm** The GoMRI/Sea Grant partnership, Tara Skelton
- 2:10 – 2:20 pm** *Dispatches from the Gulf* preview followed by intermission, time permitting
- 2:20 – 2:40 pm** GoMRI and the value of interdisciplinary, multi-institutional collaboration, Arne Diercks, Pat Fitzpatrick, Joe Griffitt, Jerry Wiggert (moderator Tara Skelton)
- 2:40 – 3:00 pm** GoMRI as a career builder, Kemal Cambazoglu, Stephan O'Brien, Sabrina Parra (moderator Tara Skelton)
- 3:00 – 3:20 pm** Targeting stakeholders who need to know, Ryan Bradley, Jessie Kastler, Cheryl Lassitter (moderator Missy Partyka)
- 3:20 – 3:30 pm** Final QA, time permitting, and event wrap up

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