

# AGENDA



## BIODIVERSITY AND ECOSYSTEM INFORMATICS WORKING GROUP

May 27, 2004

2:00 – 4:30 p.m.

National Museum of Natural History  
Waldo Schmidt Room ~ W218B

10 Constitution Avenue, NW ♦ Washington DC 20560

### WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Cotter/Spengler

### REVIEW AGENDA

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### BRIEFINGS

- **GISIN: International Meeting Summary and Path Forward** Annie Simpson, USGS
- **National Invasive Species Council: Activities, Challenges** Chris Dionigi, Ph.D.  
Ass't Dir for Domestic Policy,  
Science, and Cooperation  
National Invasive Species Council
- **Use of Natural Science Collections in Facing the Challenge of Invasive Species** Terry Yates, (*Invited*), National  
Science Collections Alliance

### DISCUSSION ITEMS

- NSCA Meeting Report Attendees
- GEOSS Status Report Christian, Hill
- Inventory of Biodiversity Programs in Federal Agencies Carroll
- GBIF8 Meeting Report Murdy, Attendees
- IABIN Update Cotter
- Inter-American Symposium on Environmental Data Cotter, Carroll
- DNA Barcoding Consortium Meeting Report Miller

### INFORMATION ITEMS

- Agency Update Roundtable All

### MINUTES AND ACTION ITEMS REVIEW

Carroll

### OTHER/NEW BUSINESS

All

### NEXT MEETING

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