Day 3
Flow of the Workshop

Day 1: Science
Understand and translating sea-level rise science for resilience

Day 2: Planning + Action
Learning and sharing about planning processes and adaptation actions for sea-level rise

Day 3: Communicating
Developing skills to communicate challenges and build support with stakeholders

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Reflections from Day 2 – *Planning Adaptation*

**Successes and Drivers of Success:**

Acceptance SLR is real and happening / Community capacity exists
- Public engagement; recent events; policies supported;
- Connection to livelihoods made; collaboration between jurisdictions occurs; technical capacity exists; funding

Government Action at multiple levels is happening (Success metric)
- Multi-level agency action; federal and local integrated; state goals set

Science is accessible and understood (Driver of success)
- Up to date info; local projections and data; IPCC reports accessed & understood
Reflections from Day 2 – Planning Adaptation

Challenges/Failures and Drivers of Failure

Political changes, government capacity, and planning difficulties
- Shifting political support for action, loss/lack of mandate; how long it takes; Political and financial cycles are shorter term than climate projections
- Lack of funding

Mismatch between timing of SLR and other priorities and values
- Intergenerational (property values vs. long-term resilience); today’s pressing issues vs. long term SLR; short term hazards vs. long term SLR

Trust, fear, and low awareness
- Opposition to change from landowners; trust and complexity don’t mix; lack of awareness or communication resources

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Inter-Workshop Outputs (preliminary)

Global North, Global South...
Western Hemisphere (Workshop A), Eastern Hemisphere (Workshop B)...
Urban Coastline, Rural Coastline, Islands...

Context matters, but there appear to be common challenges and opportunities

1. Public and government acceptance that SLR is real drives progress (education)
2. When political winds blow, resilience momentum can slow
3. Multi-interest collaboration matters: Locally tailored solutions + nationally engaged governments; working across jurisdictions; community opinion + governments
4. Mismatch between timescale of concerns (shorter) and SLR (longer) is a challenge
5. Access to and understanding of the science matters
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Logistics

- Rename yourself to include affiliation and gender pronouns
- Turn on your camera
- Gallery vs. speaker view
- Recording! Why?
- For technical assistance send a private chat in Zoom to AGCI's Emily Jack-Scott or Alyson Wright
Ground Rules

- Be respectful and inclusive.
- Find ways to support the work & ideas of others.
- Be persistent and patient.
- Share our time & space together. Actively listen, contribute, and learn!
Introductions – Day 3

- Recall the place you spoke of yesterday, the place that grounds your work
- What is the most important message you want to convey and to whom?
- Write a short message.