



Chesapeake Bay Program's (CBP)  
Scientific and Technical Advisory Committee (STAC)  
Quarterly Meeting – September 15-16, 2020

**Webinar Meeting**  
September Meeting Webpage

**Tuesday, September 15<sup>th</sup>**

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88550822320?pwd=ZmUvVTNJeWZTU2FPVXEwSUdUQUdIZz09>

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- 9:00 am**      **Call to Order, Announcements – Andy Miller (STAC Chair – UMBC)**
- Introductions
  - Approval Request:
    - June 2020 Quarterly Meeting Minutes
    - August 2020 Executive Board call minutes
  - Approval Request: 2021 STAC Quarterly Meeting Proposed Dates
    - 3/23-3/24; 6/15-6/16; 9/13-9/14; 12/7-12/8
    - Please let STAC Staff know if there are any major conflicts with these meeting dates
  - Member Announcements and Updates
- 9:15 am**      **Recap of STAC June 2020 Quarterly Meeting – Andy Miller (UMBC)**  
Miller will highlight important takeaways from the June 2020 meeting and provide an overview of today's meeting.
- 9:30 am**      **Recap of 2020 Executive Council Meeting—Andy Miller (UMBC)**  
Miller will highlight the important takeaways from the August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020 meeting of the Chesapeake Bay Program Executive Council. More information on the meeting can be found on the [webpage here](#).
- 9:45 am**      **STAC Newsletter—STAC Staff (CRC)**  
Cole and Harvey will update the membership on the new monthly and quarterly newsletters.
- 10:00 am**      **Lessons from the Baltic—Lara Fowler (PSU)**
- 11:00 am**      **Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Justice (DEIJ): Discussions with STAC**
- 12:30 pm**      **Lunch Break**
- 1:00 pm**      **Facilitated Discussion on COVID impacts to the Chesapeake Bay—Lara Fowler (PSU)**
- 1:30 pm**      **Achieving Water Quality Goals in the Chesapeake Bay: An Assessment of System Response and Science Needs (STAC SGA)—Kurt Stephenson, Zach Easton, Brian Benham (VT)**
- 4:00 pm**      **Zoom Breakout Happy Hour**  
STAC members and other meeting participants are invited to stay after the allotted meeting time to enjoy casual conversation and a beverage or two!

**Wednesday, September 16<sup>th</sup>**

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- 9:00 am**      **SRS Update: Next Generation Stewardship**—*Emily Trentacoste (EPA), Shannon Sprague (NOAA)*
- 10:00 am**      **Outreach and Communications Update**—*Caitlyn Johnstone (Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay, CBP Communications)*  
Johnstone will update STAC members on the latest outreach and communication strategies and any STAC reports that have been featured.
- 10:30 am**      **New CRC Projects: Chesapeake U, Webinar Series, Newsletter Update**—*Denice Wardrop (CRC)*
- 11:00 am**      **STAC Workshop Update: Soil Health and Hydrology (FY19)**—*Kathy Boomer (FFAR)*  
Boomer will provide a summary on the proceedings and findings from the January 2019 STAC workshop, entitled “Linking Soil and Watershed Health to In-field and Edge-of-Field Water Management”.
- 11:30 am**      **Wrap Up**—*STAC Staff (CRC)*  
STAC Staff will summarize meeting action items and members will brainstorm topics for the December 2020 STAC quarterly meeting. STAC Staff will also solicit feedback on the successes and challenges of meeting virtually in order to improve the experience moving forward.
- 12:00**      **Adjourn**

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