



Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council

Ecosystem and Ocean Planning Committee & AP Meeting

February 23, 2023 via Webinar

Webinar Information

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Meeting Topic(s): the EOP Committee and AP will provide feedback on the results and future application of a research project the Council is collaborating on with a research team from Rutgers University. The project developed forecast models to predict short-term (1-10 years) climate-induced distribution changes for four economically important Mid and South Atlantic managed species (Summer Flounder, Spiny Dogfish, *Illex* Squid, and Gray Triggerfish). The forecast model was initially developed, fully tested, and evaluated for summer flounder and has been fitted and applied to the other three focal species. The EOP Committee and AP will provide feedback on the model results, potential model utility, and possible future science and management applications.

AGENDA

- 1:00 Welcome (M. Duval)
- 1:05 Project overview and discussion
 - Model(s) development review, outputs, and results (M. Pinsky and A. Fredston)
 - Q&A, discussion, and feedback – Committee and AP
- 2:15 Project application and utilization by Council
 - Examples of potential science and management application (B. Muffley)
 - Feedback and direction – Committee and AP
- 3:00 Adjourn

Note: agenda topic times are approximate and subject to change