

# 2013 Satellite Conference

For Direct Readout, GOES/POES,  
& GOES-R/JPSS Users

## Questions or Comments?

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Subject: NOAA Satellite Conference



## Conference Objectives:

- Satellite program updates
- Current and future applications
- User readiness for near-term and future satellites
- International cooperation
- User Feedback

## Expected Outcomes:

- Well-versed users
- Improved users needs and available resources
- Awareness of recent improvements and upcoming opportunities for cooperation
- Technology sharing and discovery

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## Call for Poster Abstracts

NOAA Center for Weather and  
Climate Prediction (NCWCP)  
College Park, MD

April 8-12, 2013

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## Call for Abstracts

This groundbreaking conference merges the regular Satellite Direct Readout and GOES Users' Conferences together with Joint Polar Satellite System (JPSS) customers. The theme of the 2013 National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Satellite Conference (NSC) is "Strengthening Partnerships to Enhance User Readiness, Reception, and Utility." The NSC will provide critical and unique venues for enhanced communication on the improved use of environmental satellite data and related recent scientific advances. Posters for this conference are solicited on all aspects of NSC topics with emphasis on new and emerging technologies that affect the real-time access, product generation, and applications of current and upcoming satellite data.

## Poster Topics

Posters are requested on a wide range of topics, to include, but not limited to:

- enhanced interaction, coordination, environmental satellite programs, user access
- reception and readiness for data, technology, and applications from current and future environmental satellite constellations
- use of environmental satellite data by leveraging science advances, data fusion,

# "Strengthening Partnerships to Enhance User Readiness, Reception, and Utility"

## Deadline and Submission Details

The deadline for poster abstracts is 21 January 2013. Access the poster template at <http://satelliteconferences.noaa.gov>. Email your completed abstract to [nesdis.nsc@noaa.gov](mailto:nesdis.nsc@noaa.gov), with a courtesy copy to Gary McWilliams ([Gary.Mcwilliams@noaa.gov](mailto:Gary.Mcwilliams@noaa.gov)) and Tim Schmit ([Tim.J.Schmit@noaa.gov](mailto:Tim.J.Schmit@noaa.gov)).

Posters will be given maximum exposure, with ample time for presenter and audience interaction. Abstracts must be no more than one page in length and in 12-point Times New Roman font.

## Conference Overview

This conference is a combination of past Direct Readout, GOES Users', and Polar Max Conferences. In addition, the conference will include JPSS customers and user topics. Real-time access is essential for scientific research, education and serving the public. Real-time applications enhance our ability to advance general knowledge of weather and climate, and contribute to the scientific literacy. In serving the public, real-time applications allows us to express weather and climate forecasts in a timely and effective manner for people to understand and use. An essential part of real-time applications is not only presenting information in an effective timeframe, but we must also listen and learn from our users, policy makers, and the general public. Listening to and integrating the ideas of partners in other disciplines or the public sector will lead to better research, products and services for our diverse society.

