



**Earth System Modeling Meeting  
Friday, 23 March 2007  
FL1, EOL Atrium  
1:15 – 4:30**

**Agenda**

- 1:15 - 1:20 Introduction - Guy Brasseur**
- 1:20 - 1:45 Scientific grand challenges at the Earth system level - Guy Brasseur**
- 1:45 - 2:15 Coupling the natural and social system - Linda Mearns**
- 2:15 - 2:45 Software Engineer issues - Mariana Vertenstein and John Michalakes**
- 2:45 - 3:30 Steps toward a plan for an Earth System Model at NCAR - Guy Brasseur  
(Constitution of working groups and participation of universities/stakeholders)**
- 3:30 - 4:00 Next steps - Guy Brasseur**
- 4:00 - 4:30 General discussion**