AGENDA

World Bank Visit at NASA Goddard Space Flight Center

Theme: NASA Satellite & Information Products in Support of Water and Agriculture

7 (Tues.) April 2009

9:45 – 10:00	World Bank Group Arrives	
10:00 –10:05	NASA Welcome	Shahid Habib (NASA/GSFC)
10:05 - 10:15	World Bank Background & Meeting Objectives	Vijay Jagannathan (World Bank)
10:15 - 10:35	NASA Earth Science Overview & Applications	Shahid Habib (NASA/GSFC)
10:35 – 11:00	NASA Water Science Overview & Remote Sensing	Ted Engman (NASA Water Consultant)
11:00 – 11:15	Remote Sensing Applications for Agriculture Resources Assessment	Paul Doraiswamy (USDA/ARS)
11:15 -11:30	NASA Land Data Assimilation System & Water Availability for the MENA	John Bolten (NASA/GSFC)
11:30 - 11:45	'SERVIR' Africa & USAID Famine Early Warning System	Fritz Policelli (NASA/GSFC)
11:45 -12:00	Land Information System: Applications and Capabilities	Sujay Kumar (NASA/GSFC/SAIC)
12:00 – 12:15	Using NASA Products for Aquifer Monitoring & Agriculture Planning	Ben Zaitchik (Johns Hopkins University & DoS)
12:15 – 12:30	Impacts of Climate Change on Food Production and Water Resources	Radley Horton (NASA/GISS) & Alex Ruane (NASA/ORAU)
12:30 – 1:00	Discussion	
1:00 – 1:30	Break with 'Quick Lunch' at Visitor Center	
1:30 – 3:30	World Bank Tour of GSFC Facilities (Satellite Fabrication & Testing, Communications, Earth Sciences, etc.)	