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**TRANSBOUNDARY AQUIFERS OF THE AMERICAS**

V COORDINATION WORKSHOP  
DELTA HOTEL Centre-Ville on University

Montréal, Canada, September 17-21 2007

**DRAFT AGENDA**

**Monday, September 17**  
**(Room Cartier AB)**

09:00 - 10:00 OPENING CEREMONY  
- Alfonso Rivera, Chair, NRCan, Canada (5 min.)  
- Mark Corey, ADM, NRCan, Canada (10 min.)  
- Pierre Baril, ADM, Québec, Canada (10 min.)  
- Fred Wrona, Director, EC, Canada (15 min.)  
- Andras Szöllösi-Nagy, Secretary, UNESCO/IHP (10 min.)  
- Jorge Rucks, Chief Division II, DSD/OAS (10 min.)

10:00 - 10:30 INVITED SPEAKERS  
- Doug Alley, Officer, IJC  
- Arturo Herrera Solis, Commissioner, IBWC  
- Carlos Marin, Commissioner, IBWC

**10:30 - 10:45 COFFEE-BREAK**

10:45 - 11:25 LECTURE - Ambassador C. Yamada - UN International Law Commission

11:25 - 12:05 PRESENTATION OF THE FIRST BOOK - Nelson Da Franca

12:05 - 12:30 DISCUSSION

**12:30 - 14:00 LUNCH - Bistro Chez Antoine**

14:00 - 14:30 PRESENTATION OF STATUS OF PHASE II (LEGAL AND INSTITUTIONAL ASPECTS) - Raya Stephan

14:30 - 15:00 DISCUSSION OF LEGAL AND INSTITUTIONAL ASPECTS - Raya Stephan

15:00 - 15:30 STATUS OF SECOND BOOK

**15:30 - 16:00 COFFEE BREAK**

16:00 - 17:30 CASE STUDIES

## Tuesday, September 18

09:00 – 18:00 FIELD TRIP  
Châteauguay aquifer system: Quebec, Canada – New York, USA

## Wednesday, September 19 (Room Verrière AB)

08:30 – 08:45 PHASE III -PRESENTATION

08:45 – 10:00 3<sup>rd</sup> QUESTIONNAIRE - COUNTRY PRESENTATIONS ON PHASE III

10:00 – 10:30 COFFEE-BREAK

10:30 – 11:45 COUNTRY PRESENTATIONS ON PHASE III (CONT.)

11:45 – 12:30 ANALYSIS AND DISCUSSION

12:30 – 14:00 LUNCH- *Bistro Chez Antoine*

14:00 – 15:30 PROPOSAL AND DISCUSSION ON STRUCTURE OF THIRD BOOK

15:30 – 16:00 COFFEE-BREAK

16:00 – 17:30 SETTING A VISION FOR MANAGING TRANSBOUNDARY AQUIFERS

## Thursday, September 20 (Room Verrière AB)

08:30 – 10:00 FUTURE ACTIVITIES / PROGRAMME PLANNING

10:00 – 10:30 COFFEE-BREAK

10:30 – 12:00 REVISION AND ADOPTION OF AGREEMENTS

12:00 – 12:30 CLOSING

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**TECHNOLOGY WORKSHOP  
DELTA HOTEL Centre-Ville on University  
Montreal, Canada  
September 20 and 21, 2007**

<b>Thursday, September 20 (Room Verrière AB)</b>		
<b>TIME</b>	<b>SESSION</b>	<b>INSTRUCTOR</b>
14:30-16:00	Approaches to transboundary diagnostic analysis	Shammy Puri Chair IAH Commission on Transboundary Aquifers
16:00-17:30	Geophysical tools for aquifer characterization: Airborne, surface, borehole	Vic Labson, John Lane, and Wade Kress, USGS Sue Pullan, GSC
<b>Friday, September 21 (Room Cartier B)</b>		
08:30-09:30	Advances in GW modeling : flow, transport groundwater/surface water interactions	Randall T. Hanson, USGS Claudio Paniconi, INRS
09:30-10:30	Real-Time Groundwater Monitoring: water level/quality; collection; transmittal, processing	Brian D. Reece, USGS David Leeth, USGS
10:30-11:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
11:00-12:15	Advances in integrated Data Management and Analysis (database structure, analysis tools e.g., GIS), spatial data visualization	Brian D. Reece, USGS Heryk Julien, GSC
12:15-13:00	Sustainable development of groundwater resources: GW availability, sustainability, vulnerability	Alfonso Rivera, GSC

TOTAL TIME: 7 hours: 3 hours on Thursday and 4 hours on Friday

NOTES

- Simultaneous translation English-Spanish-English will be provided
- Material prepared in advance will be provided as hard copy to participants at the meeting and will be translated in Spanish at a later date by OAS