**Agenda of the 15th ARP Meeting in Qingdao**

9 am–noon, September 17

**Topic 1:** *Atlantic Observing System* (Speich)

09:00 AM AMOC/SAMOC (Speich/ Chidichimo)

09:20 AM Status of H2020 “Atlantic” European Projects

09:30 AM PIRATA/PREFACE (Araujo/Peter Brandt)

09:45 AM Discussions:

 Going from deep to coastal, from MOC to small-scale, from physics to fisheries? (Speich/Young-Oh Kwan)

**Topic 2:** *Modeling/Prediction Studies* (Chang)

10:00 AM Decadal Prediction (Knight)

10:15 AM Tropical Atlantic Modeling & Bias Studies (Keenlyside/Chang)

10:30 AM Paleo Modeling Activities (Ivanovic)

10:45 AM Discussions: Going from coarse- to fine-resolution climate simulations? (Chassignet/Robinson)

 SAMOC hi-res model/data comparison (Chassignet)

11:00 AM *Coffee Break*

**Topic 3:**  *Panel Business* (Chang/Speich)

11:15 AM Capacity Building (Speich/Brandt)

11:30 AM New Events: Organizing two topical workshops (perhaps with other panels) in the coming 3 years (one next year and another in three years)?

11:45 AM Membership issues

Noon *Adjourn*