**DRAFT AGENDA OF THE MEETING OF EBUS RESEARCH FOCUS**

**Confirmed participants**: Ryan Rykaczewski, Art Miller, Alban Laza, Thomas Toniazzo, Gokhan Danabasoglu, Enrique Cutchitser (co-chair), Ruben Escribano (co-chair}

**First Session:**

**Time:** 09:00 - 12:00, September 17, 2016

**Venue:** Salon 7, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Qingdao, China

09:00 Introduction

09:30 Revisiting the Implementation Plan

10:00 Defining actions and deliverables:

* Goals of the RF
* Issues of interest
* Products (e.g. scientific publications)
* Time line for actions

10:00 Break

10:30 Continued discussion on deliverables

12:00 Lunch and end first Session

**Second Session:**

**Time:**13:00 - 17:30, September 18, 2016

**Venue:**Salon 7, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Qingdao, China

13:00 Linking EBUS Focus with CLIVAR panels/RFs and other scientific programs

14: 00 Planning activities for 2016-2017

15: 00 Break for coffee

 15:30 Organization and tasks assignments

16:30 Planning activities for next year (workshops, meetings, venue, funding request)

17:30 End meeting