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**AGENDA & SCHEDULE FOR THE 29<sup>th</sup> SESSION OF THE IPHC  
SCIENTIFIC REVIEW BOARD (SRB029)**

**Date:** 22-24 September 2026

**Location:** Hybrid - Seattle, WA, USA & Electronic

**Venue:** IPHC HQ (for SRB and Science advisors only) & Adobe Connect (observers)

**Time:** 09:00-17:00 (22-23<sup>rd</sup>), 09:00-12:00 (24<sup>th</sup>) PDT

**Chairperson:** Dr. Olaf Jensen (USA)

- 1. OPENING OF THE SESSION**
- 2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SESSION**
- 3. IPHC PROCESS**
  - 3.1. SRB annual workflow (D. Wilson)
  - 3.2. Update on the actions arising from the 28<sup>th</sup> Session of the SRB (SRB028) (D. Wilson)
  - 3.3. Outcomes of the 102<sup>nd</sup> Session of the IPHC Annual Meeting (AM102) (D. Wilson)
  - 3.4. Observer updates (e.g. Science Advisors)
- 4. INTERNATIONAL PACIFIC HALIBUT COMMISSION INTEGRATED RESEARCH AND MONITORING PLAN**
  - 4.1. RESEARCH**
    - 4.1.1. Biology and ecology
    - 4.1.2. Pacific halibut stock assessment
    - 4.1.3. Management strategy evaluation
  - 4.2. MONITORING**
    - 4.2.1. Fishery-dependent data
    - 4.2.2. Fishery-independent data
      - IPHC Fishery-Independent Setline Survey (FISS)
        - 2027 FISS design evaluation (R. Webster)
        - Updates to space-time modelling (R. Webster)
    - 4.2.3. Age composition data (both fishery-dependent and fishery-independent)
- 5. OTHER BUSINESS**
- 6. REVIEW OF THE DRAFT AND ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE 29<sup>th</sup> SESSION OF THE IPHC SCIENTIFIC REVIEW BOARD (SRB029)**



**SCHEDULE FOR THE 29<sup>th</sup> SESSION OF THE IPHC SCIENTIFIC REVIEW BOARD (SRB029)**

| <b>Tuesday, 22 September 2026</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                            |
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| <b>Time</b>                       | <b>Agenda item</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>Lead</b>                |
| 09:00-09:05                       | 1. OPENING OF THE SESSION                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | O. Jensen<br>(Chairperson) |
| 09:05-09:10                       | 2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SESSION                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | O. Jensen<br>(Chairperson) |
| 09:10-09:30                       | 3. IPHC PROCESS<br>3.1 SRB annual workflow (D. Wilson)<br>3.2 Update on the actions arising from the 28 <sup>th</sup> Session of the SRB (SRB028)<br>3.3 Outcomes of the 102 <sup>nd</sup> Session of the IPHC Annual Meeting (AM102)<br>3.4 Observer updates (e.g. Science Advisors) | D. Wilson                  |
| 09:30-10:30                       | 4. INTERNATIONAL PACIFIC HALIBUT COMMISSION INTEGRATED RESEARCH AND MONITORING PLAN<br><br>4.1 RESEARCH<br>4.1.1 Biology and ecology                                                                                                                                                  | J. Planas                  |
| 10:30-11:00                       | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                            |
| 11:00-12:30                       | 4.1.2 Pacific halibut stock assessment                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | I. Stewart                 |
| 12:30-13:30                       | Lunch                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                            |
| 13:30-14:00                       | 4.1.2 Pacific halibut stock assessment (cont.)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | I. Stewart                 |
| 14:00-14:30                       | 4.1.3 Management Strategy Evaluation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | A. Hicks                   |

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| 14:30-14:45                         | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |              |
| 14:45-16:00                         | 4.1.3 Management Strategy Evaluation (cont.)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | A. Hicks     |
| 16:00-17:00                         | SRB drafting session                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | SRB members  |
| 18:30-21:00                         | SRB Function (Location TBA)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | SRB          |
| <b>Wednesday, 23 September 2026</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |              |
| <b>Time</b>                         | <b>Agenda item</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>Lead</b>  |
| 09:00-09:30                         | Review of Day 1 and discussion of SRB Recommendations from Day 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Chairperson  |
| 09:30-10:30                         | 4.2 MONITORING<br>4.2.1 Fishery-dependent data<br>4.2.2 Fishery-independent data <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• IPHC Fishery-Independent Setline Survey (FISS)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 2027 FISS design evaluation (R. Webster)</li> <li>○ Updates to space-time modelling (R. Webster)</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | R. Webster   |
| 10:30-11:00                         | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |              |
| 11:00-12:00                         | 4.2.2 (cont.)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | R. Webster   |
| 12:00-12:30                         | 4.2.3 Age composition data (both fishery-dependent and fishery-independent)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | B. Hutniczak |
| 12:30-13:30                         | Lunch                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |              |
| 13:30-16:00                         | <i>Offline collaborative work session</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | SRB          |
| 16:00-17:00                         | SRB drafting session                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | SRB members  |
| <b>Thursday, 24 September 2026</b>  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |              |
| <b>Time</b>                         | <b>Agenda item</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>Lead</b>  |
| 09:00-10:30                         | <i>Offline collaborative work session</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | SRB          |
| 10:30-11:00                         | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |              |
| 11:00-11:30                         | 5. OTHER BUSINESS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Chairperson  |

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| 11:30-12:30 | 6. ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE 29 <sup>th</sup> SESSION OF THE IPHC SCIENTIFIC REVIEW BOARD (SRB029) | Chairperson |
| 12:30-13:30 | Lunch and departure                                                                                    |             |