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Task Team 6 (Site Representatives) progress report 01/2013

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Summary and Purpose of Document

Progress report from the task team 6 (Site Representatives) covering period from 09/2012 till 01/2013.

Task Team of Site Representatives

Dale Hurst and Belay Demoz, Co-Chairs

Progress Report for January 2013

SUMMARY

The **task team of site representatives** continues to serve as the conduit through which information and requests from the Lead Center and Working Group are disseminated to the GRUAN measurements sites. During the last 6 months most of the information and requests centered around the GRUAN manual and guide, the expansion of GRUAN to include new sites, and the assessment and certification of sites. The composition of the task team has changed:

Marion Maturilli joined as site representative of Ny-Ålesund

Hironobu Yokota was replaced by **Toru Ueda** (Tateno)

Murray Poulter replaced **Karin Kreher** and **Paul Johnston** (Lauder).

PROGRESS ON TASKS IN THE PREVIOUS REPORT

Task: Find a site representative willing to serve as member of TT3 (measurement scheduling)
Main Contact: *TT3 co-chairs D. Whiteman and T. Gardiner* **Due Date:** **31 May 2012**
Status: *Completed. Rigel Kivi has joined TT3.*
Milestone:
Progress:
Issues:

Task: Complete matrix of instruments and capabilities at each site. Post on GRUAN website
Main Contact: *Lead Center* **Due Date:** **31 May 2012**
Status: *Completed.*
Milestone:
Progress:
Issues:

NEW TASKS AND PROGRESS TO DATE

Task: Site representatives to sign off on the GRUAN Manual and Guide
Main Contact: *Greg Bodeker* **Due Date:** **31 March 2013**
Status: *In progress*
Milestone: *Obtain sign-off by 2/3 of site reps*
Progress: *Documents disseminated to site reps 28 January 2013*
Issues:

Task: Compile information about the colocation of instrumentation at sites
Main Contact: *Lead Center* **Due Date:** **25 Feb 2013**
Status: *In progress*
Milestone: *Draft manuscript prepared*
Progress: *Report from F. Madonna and A. Sasso in GATNDOR on 1 February*
Issues: