Welcome and aims of workshop

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Welcome

- Thanks to KNMI for hosting this meeting and arranging the social events
 - Special thanks to Arnoud Apituley
- Thanks to US GCOS Office and NOAA CPO for support for a number of individuals
- Thanks to all of you for attending.

Meeting aims

- Review programmatic progress since last meeting in Tokyo (days 1 and 2)
- Review future plans and discuss future data streams for GRUAN (days 1,2,3)
- Review and update site status (day 3)
- Review KNMI site and science contributions (day 4)
- Discuss GRUAN in broader global science context (day 5)
- Formulate specific workplan for coming year (day 5)

Meeting outcomes

- Updated workplan for Lead Centre, Working Group and Task Teams
- Meeting report to be published as a GCOS technical document
 - Require a draft of this by end of March for AOPC meeting April
 2nd-5th
 - To achieve that deadline, a google docs document has been made available so that we can collectively work on the report during this meeting. A link to that document has been circulated. If you do not have it, email Greg (greg@bodekerscientific.com). Rapporteurs please edit notes directly into the document.