

# Joint Engineering and Methodology Subprograms Workshop

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**Welcome**

**Questions, Logistical Issues** Susie Bayarri, Donna Pike, TJS

This meeting is followup to a General Workshop held in September at which tentative working groups were formed to study somewhat specific application areas and methodology of general applicability

## **Emphasis will be on**

- Detailed specification of problems of engineering or general methodology as motivated by specific computer models
- Data from physical experiment and/or data from such models.
- Specific implementation issues such as "automatic" prior specifications and MCMC implementations for Bayesian models

## **Potential problem areas**

- Prediction and screening for high dimensional inputs
- Performing hierarchical validation
- Determining the adequacy of GASP emulator--alternatives
- Extrapolation
- Determining the adequacy of GASP emulator, and finding alternatives when appropriate
- Role of design to facilitate any of the above

## **Discussion, Interaction, Problem Formulation/Solving**

### **Talk 1 Experiment Designs for Model Calibration**

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