Agenda – AIMES Young Scholar’s Network
The cultural uses and impacts of fires: past, present and future
July 14-18, Boulder, Colorado, USA

July 14: Monday
LOCATION: UCAR/NCAR Foothills Lab, Bldg. 2, Room 1001
3450 Mitchell Lane, Boulder, CO 80301
9:00-9:30 Welcome, goals and introductions
9:30-10:30 Jerry Meehl: Climate models and the IPCC process
10:30-11:00 Coffee break/informal discussions
11:00-11:15 Jerry Meehl (biography)
11:15-12:15 Group discussion time/prep
12:15-1:15 Lunch (groups with senior speakers)
1:15-2:15 Group 1: fires as a natural process
2:15-3:15 Group 2: human impacts on fire
3:15-3:30 Discussion
3:30-4:00 Coffee Break/informal discussion
4:00-6:00 Short presentation on individual posters (30 seconds) and then poster session and reception

July 15: Tuesday
LOCATION: UCAR/NCAR Foothills Lab, Bldg. 2, Room 1001
3450 Mitchell Lane, Boulder, CO 80301
9:00-10:00 Cathy Whitlock: Paleo fire data (reflections on whitepaper)
10:00-10:15 Cathy Whitlock: biography
10:15-10:45 Coffee Break/informal discussions
10:45-11:45 Group 3: Fire distributions
11:45-12:15 Discussion
12:15-1:15 Lunch (groups with senior speakers)
1:15-2:15 Jim Randerson: Global fires, biogeochemistry and interactions
2:15-2:30 Jim Randerson: Biography
2:30-2:45 Discussion
2:45-3:15 Coffee Break (informal discussions)
3:15-4:15 Group 4: Paleodata/human interactions
4:15-5:00 Discussion
July 16: Wednesday
LOCATION: UCAR/NCAR Foothills Lab, Bldg. 2, Room 1001
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9:00-10:00 David Bowman: Pyrogeography (reflections on whitepaper) 10:00-10:15
David Bowman: biography
10:15-10:45 Coffee Break/informal discussions
10:45-11:45 Group 5: Models of human/fire interactions
11:45-12:15 Discussion
12:15-1:15 Lunch (groups with senior speakers)
1:15-2:15 Group 6: Fires in the anthropocene: drivers
2:15-3:00 Discussion
3:00-3:30 Coffee Break (informal discussions)
3:30-5:00 Discussion

July 17: Thursday
LOCATION: UCAR/NCAR Center Green Campus, Building 1, Room 3131
3080 Center Green Drive, Boulder, CO 80301
9:00-10:00 Group 7: Implications of changes in fire drivers
10:00-10:15 Discussion
10:15-10:45 Coffee Break/informal discussion
10:45-11:45 Group 8: Future fires
11:45-12:15 Discussion
12:15-1:15 Lunch
1:15-5:00 Discussion/working sessions

July 18: Friday
LOCATION: UCAR/NCAR Foothills Lab, Bldg. 2, Room 1001
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9:00-5:00 Discussion/working/writing sessions (with coffee breaks and lunch)