

Interdisciplinary Discussion Group Guiding Questions

- 1) What are the most compelling Antarctic science questions that are best addressed by an integrated and/or systems approach? Are there specific examples from the IPY or other on-going programs and projects that are exemplary?
- 2) How should AISS set priorities and assess whether topics are intellectually, scientifically, and technologically mature enough to be addressed in a timely manner?
- 3) What are the most compelling reasons for a new Antarctic Integrated and System Science program that would justify a request for new resources?

Disciplinary Discussion Group Guiding Questions

- 1) From what you have heard from the presentations and in the interdisciplinary group discussions, what are the research topics at the ‘edges’ of your discipline that can only be accomplished in coordination other disciplinary experts?
- 2) Within your discipline, what are the most compelling science questions that are best addressed by an integrated and/or system science approach?
- 3) From the viewpoint of your discipline, what are the most compelling reasons for the continuation of the new Antarctic Integrated and System Science program?