

**Committee on Geological and Geotechnical Engineering
Board on Earth Sciences and Resources
National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine**

**March 26, 2018
Agenda
National Academy of Sciences Building
2101 Constitution Avenue NW
Washington, DC**

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**8:45 am -4:30 pm
OPEN SESSION**

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| 8:45 | Doors open | |
| 8:55 | Introductions | Martin McCann, Chair, COGGE |
| 9:00 | Conclusions and recommendations from recent COGGE report:
<i>A Decision Framework for Managing the Spirit Lake and Toutle River system at Mount St. Helens</i> (https://www.nap.edu/catalog/24874/) | Gregory Baecher, study committee chair
John Boland, study committee member
Sammantha Magsino, study committee director |
| 11:00 | Break | |
| 11:15 | The United States Universities Council on Geotechnical Education and Research (USUCGER) | Scott Olson, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign |
| 12:00 | Individual and small group discussion over lunch (to be served in the room) | |
| 1:00 | Current activities and research directions at the National Science Foundation | Division of Civil, Mechanical & Manufacturing Innovation |
| 1:45 | The Geo-Institute of the American Society of Civil Engineers | Brad Keelor, Director |
| 2:30 | Break | |
| 2:50 | The Federal Highways Administration Office of Bridges and Structures
Silas Nichols, Principal Geotechnical Engineer, Hydraulics and Geotechnical Engineering Team | |
| 3:35 | National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Office on Mine Safety Health and Research | R. J. Matetic, Director, Pittsburgh Mining Research Division |
| 4:30 | Open session adjourns | |