Maritime Awareness Session Focus

• Drivers and user requirements and service provision within following 2 thematic areas:
  
  – Ice monitoring for high density traffic areas, polar regions, environmentally sensitive areas and indigenous communities.

  – Monitoring of illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fisheries activities.
Ice monitoring and needs of indigenous communities

- Two talks specifically addressing the issue of the melting of the ice caps in the Arctic region, marine transportation and safety, exploitation of resources and the information needs/requirements of indigenous communities within the Arctic regions.

  - Ruth Lane: Domain Awareness at High Latitudes
  - Vera Metcalf: Collaborative Arctic Observations
Monitoring of IUU fisheries activities

- Two talks specifically addressing how EO can benefit monitoring and combating of IUU activities, and the needs/requirements of users within SIDS.
  - Mark Richardson: Use of satellite data and information for monitoring of IUU fisheries activities.
  - James Movick: Reinforcing and moving beyond Pacific SIDS monitoring of IUU fisheries activities