











Working group 4

Community building and communication

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All presentations, discussions during the breaks, bilateral consultations, the working groups, the dinner and of course today - all this was part of the working group 4 and thus of communication and the community building.



Thanks to everyone who answered the survey yesterday despite the very busy program!



Questions from the survey, each with three example answers.

Q: What will be different in your daily work when we have achieved the natESM vision?



- 1. Readiness for cutting edge science. Well documented code and input data and relatively straight forward to set up.
- 2. A successful collaborative process would strengthen the position of the scientific community as a partner to politics and government at eye level
- 3. one (supported) German model will hopefully stop the discussions whether a certain model is worth a try or not

Q: What advantage(s) do you see in being part of natESM?



- 1. Larger community with more potential than single institution could offer, support from policy
- 2. A model environment and expert community to do cutting edge science and developments. I cannot do fully coupled studies alone.
- 3. broad community building and knowing about what the other research fields are up to is certainly beneficial to identify partners for collaborations to address specific scientific questions

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If there is anything you would like to see concretely now and today – raise your hand and speak up!

- Another workshop this year?
- Build a working group on "trainings"?

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 - 1. We have the sprints with which we support you in the technical implementation of your projects.
 - 2. We have community interactions like this workshop, where we have to regularly coordinate and adjust our strategy.
 - 3. I will continue to work on our communication strategy.
 - 4. We have laid the foundation for the establishment of working groups.



The whole thing only works if you become active and really get involved.