

Workshop Title: Lobsters as model organisms for interfacing behavior, ecology and fisheries

- 8-8:30 Coffee and set-up
- 8:30-8:45 Welcome (Dr. Barry Costa-Pierce, RI Sea Grant Director)
- 8:45-9:25 A Short History of Lobsters and J. Stanley Cobb: Dr. Bruce Phillips, Department of Environmental Biology & Applied Biosciences, Western Australia
- 9:25-10:05 History of the Lobster Workshops and Future Challenges: Dr. J. Stanley Cobb
- 10:05-10:35 Break and poster viewing
- 10:35-12:35 Synthesis talks on spiny and clawed lobsters. 45 minutes each with questions.
- Clawed Lobster: Dr. Lew Incze, University of Southern Maine, Portland, Maine
Spiny Lobster: Dr. Mark Butler, Old Dominion University, Norfolk, Virginia
- 12:35-1:45 Lunch
- 1:45-4:30 Challenges (Discussion) Led by Stan Cobb
Disease and Population Level Impacts: Facilitated by Dr. Jan Factor, State University of New York

Metapopulations and Links to Fisheries Management: Facilitated by Dr. Rom Lipcius, Virginia Institute of Marine Science

Cooperative Research- Facilitated by Ms. Bonnie Spinazzola, Atlantic Offshore Lobstermen's Association
- 4:30-5:30 Break and cocktails
- 5:30-10:00 Dinner (Lobsterbake and roasting) at the University Club at Mosby's (Graduate School of Oceanography)