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**Further information on the Modelling workshop on the
status of North Pacific gray whales**
Southwest Fisheries Science Center, La Jolla, California, 18-21 April 2016 (to finish at lunchtime)
*(followed by the Small Drafting Group Meeting to update the
Conservation Management Plan for Western Gray Whales from 21-23 April 2016)*

Further to Circular Communication IWC.SC.199 dated 16 December 2015, please find additional information for the above technical Workshop (this can also be found on our website <https://iwc.int/modelling-process-workshop-april-2016>)

Full location details:

Southwest Fisheries Science Center
8901 La Jolla Shores Drive
La Jolla, CA 92037-1023 USA
Phone: (858) 546-7000
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Accommodation

Hotel La Jolla (<https://www.kimptonhotels.com/hotels/hotels-lajolla.aspx>) is the recommended hotel for participants.

Hotel La Jolla
7955 La Jolla Shores Drive
La Jolla, CA 92037 USA

The hotel is near to the workshop location (15 min walk or free shuttle) and within minutes of restaurants and shops. Twelve rooms are presently being held for 17 – 23 April at a discounted government rate (\$153.00 USD + tax) but reservations must be made **on or before 18 March 2016**.

Reservations can be made either by:

phone: 1+619 515 3038 – request the room block for the International Whaling Commission; or

online: [IWC Workshop](#)

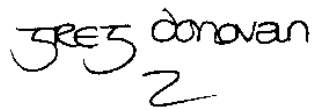
The hotel contact Person is Ms. Amanda Campbell (Amanda.Campbell@hotellajolla.com) ; Tel: 1+858-551-3627.

Chair: Mr Bruno Mainini (Switzerland)
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IMPORTANT - PLEASE NOTE:

In addition to registering for the workshop via https://portal.iwc.int/event_meetings

Non-US Citizens must complete a foreign nationals form (attached) and return it to Dave Weller (dave.weller@noaa.gov) by **15 March 2016**.

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Greg Donovan
Head of Science

c.c. Accredited observers to the IWC