BESSIG Meeting Wed, Sept 19, 4 - 6 PM

Another BLAST! Many thanks to Anna and Dave for their willingness to share ideas with us this month.

Anna Milan, NOAA/NESDIS/NGDC, *Metadata for the Archive: Transition to ISO, Approaches, Challenges, and Opportunities*

Dave Fulker, President, OPeNDAP, Inc., *A (Very) Rough Idea: Raster Binning and Masking Services* (see attachment)

I'll sketch my idea for a new type of data query/response service built (perhaps for EarthCube) around a standardized space-time raster that has a dual function. Tentatively dubbed "Raster Binning & Masking Services" or RBinMasks, users would gain a (potentially standard) way to specify (irregular) space-time regions of interest and a (potentially standard) way to gain information about the space-time distributions of pertinent data, without -- or before -- retrieving actual values.

Come join us at the Boulder Outlook Hotel!

4:00 - 5:00 Presentations
5:00 - 6:00 Social