



Defining NUG

NERSC Users Group Annual Meeting 2019

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NERSC Users Group (NUG)

- All users are part of NUG
- Executive committee: NUGEX
 - 3 members elected from each office, 3 at-large members
 - Elected Chair and Co-Chair
- NUG charter describes activities and purpose, last updated in 2005
- As a user facility, we have the following mandate
 - *“The facility supports a formal user organization to represent the users and facilitate sharing of information, forming collaborations, and organizing research efforts among users.”*

NUG Charter

Purpose

The purpose of NUG is to provide advice and feedback to NERSC on the current state and future delivery of NERSC resources and services.

Task Forces and Working Groups

(on current NUG web page, but all inactive)

- **Meetings** – planning and hosting NUG meetings.
- **Training** – communicate user needs in the area of training.
- **Elections** – elections for NUG Chair, Vice-chair, and Executive Board.
- **“Green Book”** – Requirements gathering



Discussion of NUG's Role as a User Group

Updating the Charter: What should NUG be?

Introducing NUGEX's New Leadership



NUGEX Chair

Alicia Clum
Berkeley Lab/JGI



NUGEX Co-Chair

Balint Joo
Jefferson Lab