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Several additional excellent invited talks and papers that dealt with air-sea interaction, airborne imaging and models coupling remote sensing data with numerical models and related image analysis were presented. Readers may want to note these papers.

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