

## **Delta Independent Science Board Meeting**

Speaker Bio  
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### **GUIDO FRANCO**

Guido Franco is a Senior Engineer at the California Energy Commission. For more than a decade, he was the Team Lead for Climate Change and Environmental Research in the Energy Commission's Research Division. Mr. Franco has been involved in climate change issues since 1995. He has been one of the main forces behind the 2006, 2009, and 2012 California Climate Assessments and co-led the development of California's Fourth Climate Change Assessment. He has been an Editor of two special issues of the prestigious journal *Climatic Change* on climate impacts and adaptation options for California. More recently, he was a member of the federal advisory committee that produced the National Climate Assessment delivered to the President and the US Congress on May 6, 2014. He was one of the authors of the 2018 National Climate Assessment and the 2nd State of the Carbon Cycle Report (SOCCR-2) both coordinated by the U.S. Global Change Research Program. He has published in *Science*, *Climatic Change*, *Journal of Climate* and other journals. Mr. Franco is a registered engineer in California and holds a Master's Degree in Engineering from UC Berkeley.