



# INMARTECH 2006



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Fall 2006 (mid October?)

Planning is underway – suggestions for presentation and discussion topics are welcome

*Possible topics include:*

- Shipboard handling equipment safety issues
- International shipping – chemicals, samples, instrumentation
- Underway data collection and archiving standards
- AUV operations
- Vessel security
- Long-term instrumentation deployments

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## *Additional Topics:*

- Real-time, shore-based data analysis (survey direction and quality control)
- Advanced instrumentation
- Equipment and procedure innovations
- Educational opportunities
- Onboard data archives – content and access
- SWAP radio – international
- Equipment evaluation procedures – tricks and techniques



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## Timeline

- Nov 2005 – Announce tentative INMARTECH 06 meeting date and solicit topic suggestions.
- Dec 05/Jan06:
  - Create INMARTECH 2006 Website and broadly announce meeting.
  - Pre meeting on-line survey (US and International):
    - Determine interest in potential session topics
    - Solicit speaker suggestions
- Spring 2006 - Prepare meeting agenda and identify speakers
- Summer 2006 – INMARTECH On-line Registration
- October 2006 – INMARTECH 2006 Meeting



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## General Information

- Show-n-tell, Facility and Ship tours are planned – coincide with evening reception.
- Informal discussion periods among participants and speakers - extend periods between talks.
- Provide a web listing of local companies offering plant tours following the INMARTECH meeting (Friday). Avoid industry participation in actual program.



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