



Tech Recruitment & Retention Pilot Program Update

*Report by Alice Doyle
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Technician Exchanges/Pool

- 7 exchanges scheduled for 2012 (so far)
- De-briefs continue to be very positive for both the institutions and technicians
- PT Tech Pool Tech Rob Hagg - (4mths funded)
 - 3 cruises scheduled
 - Looking for further opportunities for Rob in October – December
 - Working towards better scheduling methods to continue effectively



Long-Term internship

- Ashley Stinson:
 - BS Earth Sciences, BA Anthropology – U of ME
 - Previous shipboard experience on the THOMPSON, KNORR
- Working with UH and URI (THANK YOU both!)
- Great real-world experience
 - Getting to see all aspects of MT work from shipyard to instruments to IT to deck work.
 - From Week 5 of her weekly updates: “It has been an eventful, exciting, and intense few weeks here on the Kilo Moana.”
- Heading to URI in July through the fall



Pre-Cruise Planning System

- Pilot Program funded through WHOI
- Gathered feedback/input from 8 institutions
- 2 Institutions chosen for implementation in 2012 (UW and DUKE)
- Prototype to be out soon



UNOLS Equipment Inventory

- Pre-populated with information from various sources
- Searchable by Public, Editable by Tech Managers
- Will be **required** (by NSF) to be updated 1x/year prior to submitting the Tech Support proposal
- Working with R2R Vessel Profiles & Eventlogger
- Possible expansion
 - Potential to streamline with the NSF Ship Inspection Form
 - Adding more fields if requested
 - Harvesting this data to be served on institutional websites
 - Enriching with standard stock photos



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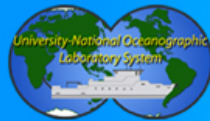
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UNOLS Equipment Inventory Search

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Other Projects

- NOAA/UNOLS MT Training
- 14C/3H/Natural Abundance Best Practices
- Satellite Comms Survey
- Working with new USAP contractor to renew the UNOLS-USAP Tech Exchange programs.
- Assisting with update to proposal guidelines
- UNOLS Personnel pages – cleaned-up as of mid-May



Any Questions?

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