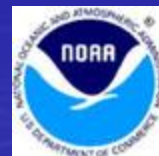




*Marcus Langseth Science Oversight Committee
(MLSOC)*

*Brockman 200 Conference Room
Rice University, Houston, TX*

June 20 and 21, 2012



UNOLS Office News

Personnel Status

Jon Alberts- Exec. Sec.

Annette DeSilva- Asst. Exec. Sec.

Caitlin Mandel- Project Asst.

Alice Doyle- Technical Services Manager

Rosemary White- Research Grant Assistant

Sandy Fontana- Programmer

Dennis Nixon- UNOLS Risk Manager

UNOLS News

May 1st, UNOLS office at Univ. of Rhode Island - started year 4

UNOLS Goals for 2012- Evaluate the size and make-up of the fleet for the next 5-10 years

ITAR- International Traffic in Arms Regulations/EAR- Export Administration Regulations

Completed Technician Recruitment and Retention Pilot Program- Transition this effort to an ongoing full time position with Alice Doyle to continue as UNOLS Technical Services Manager.

- Technician Exchange Pool
- UNOLS Equipment Inventory Online
- UNOLS Pre-Cruise Planning System Pilot Program with WHOI

UNOLS News Continued

- UNOLS Annual Meeting Oct 23-24, 2012
- MLSOC meeting at AGU- Sunday Dec. 2, 2012
- MLSOC spring 2013 meeting- Location- ?

Call for Nominations to UNOLS Council

Nominating Committee: Peter Ortner (Chair), Larry Atkinson, and John Morrison.

Nominations are being sought from UNOLS institutions to fill four Council positions opening in 2012. Requirements for the positions are as follows:

One Chair-Elect Position - affiliation with any UNOLS institution.

One At-Large Position - affiliation with any UNOLS institution.

One Non-Operator Position - affiliation with a UNOLS non-operator institution.

One Operator Position - affiliation with a UNOLS facility operator institution.

The term for the Chair-Elect is two years, followed by being UNOLS Chair for two years, and Immediate Past Chair for two additional years. Terms of office are three years for Council Members with the possibility of re-election for a second term.

Nominations for the slate may be submitted by anyone affiliated with a UNOLS institution to [<office@unols.org>](mailto:office@unols.org).

A 2-page CV and statement of interest with nominations are due by June 30, 2012. Nominating Committee must give due consideration to the qualifications of nominees. maintenance of regional and disciplinary balance on the Council.

The committee will then recommend a slate of candidates that will be voted upon by the UNOLS membership at the 2012 Annual Meeting in the fall. For more information about UNOLS and its activities, visit the website, <http://www.unols.org>. The UNOLS Charter is located at: <http://www.unols.org/info/ucharter.html>

Agency Fleet Recommendations- See Agency Letter