

Deep Sea Challenger

- Donated to WHOI in March along with a \$1 million cash gift
- Welcomed at WHOI June 14 after cross-country whistle-stop tour
- Featured in WHOI public event August 24 about the world's deep trenches



Project Activities:

- In *Alvin* High Bay
- Engineering project team established
- Analysis ongoing
- Cameron/WHOI engineering team workshop held November 13 - 20

Engineering Outcomes

- DSC camera system used on Cayman Trench *Nereus* mission
- Presentation to Oceans Conference September 18
- Components being considered for future WHOI vehicles
- Long term plan being developed