UNOLS Chief Scientist Training Cruise Program Report



2011- two cruises, some foreign applicants, *R/V Wecoma*

2012- one cruise, *R/V New Horizon*

2013-October 20-29, *R/V Endeavor*

Interest in the program remains strong and community-wide



2013 Applicant Pool

- 25 female, 19 male
- 11 faculty or scientist, 19 postdoc, 14 PhD student
- 13 ChemO, 21 BioO, 3 MG&G, 5 PhysO, 2 Eng



Institutions Responding

- 1 Arizona State University
- 2 Bangor University UK
- 3 Bermuda Institute of Ocean Sciences
- 4 Harte Research Institute, Gulf of Mexico Studies, TAMUCC
- 5 Harvard University
- 6 Marine Biological Laboratory (MBL)
- 7 Lamont-Doherty –Columbia,
- 8 NOAA Fisheries, NWFSC
- 9 Princeton University
- 10 Rutgers University
- 11 Scripps Institution of Oceanography
- 12 Texas A&M University
- 13 Thayer School of Engineering, Dartmouth College
- 14 UC Berkeley
- 15 University of Alaska Fairbanks
- 16 University of Delaware
- 17 University of Hawaii
- 18 University of Maine/Gulf of Maine Research Institute
- 19 University of Miami Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science
- 20 University of North Carolina Chapel Hill
- 21 University North Carolina Charlotte
- 22 University of Rhode Island
- 23 University of South Carolina
- 24 University of Southern California
- 25 University of Tennessee
- 26 University of Washington
- 27 University of Wyoming
- 28 US EPA New England
- 29 Western Washington University
- 30 Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution

EN534 Participants



Mentors: Clare Reimers and David Ullman Marine Techs: Lynne Bulter and John Ahern

Training Workshop Agenda-day 1

9:00 Welcome and Introductions, Program Goals	Clare Reimers (OSU) Chair UNOLS Fleet Improvement Committee
9:15 History, Purpose and Structure of UNOLS and the UNOLS Fleet	Jon Alberts (UNOLS Executive Secretary)
9:45 Introduction to Shiptime Requests and Scheduling (including discussion of different agency and vessel requirements)	Jon Alberts
10:15 Planning Cruises and developing science projects dependent on Deep Submergence Assets	Peter Girguis (Harvard) Chair UNOLS DESSC Committee
10:45 Break	
11:00 Pre-cruise planning: Marine Technician Support, Shared Use Equipment, Hazmat and Radioisotope Usage, Chemistry Services (institution dependent)	Bill Fanning (URI)
11:30 Tour of URI Ship Operations and Dock Support Facilities	Bill Fanning and Tom Glennon (URI)
12:15 Lunch and introductions to ship's captain and crew	
13:15 Long lead time cruise planning: scheduling and clearance procedures for international and seismic cruises; science budget considerations	Rose Dufour (NSF)
14:00 Bridge to transducer well tour of Endeavor-emphasizing ship's science equipment and considerations for cruise	Bill Fanning, John Ahern and Lynne Butler
15:30 Group review of deck and lab space utilization for the present cruise-start moving aboard	John Ahern (LUMCON) and Lynne Butler (URI)
16:15 R2R, data sharing, Demo of event logger use	Cyndy Chandler (WHOI), Cynthia Sellers (WHOI)
17:30 dinner	
break 19:00 Introduction to the Oceanography of the New England shelf and Hudson Canyon region	David Ullman (URI) Cruise Mentor
19:45 From Proposal to Post-cruise: Good Practices and Responsibilities of a PI/Chief Scientist	Clare Reimers (OSU) Cruise Mentor
20:30 visit to local brew pub (Willows)	

Day 2 agenda

- 8:00 Breakfast
- 9:00 co-chiefs meeting with Ship's captain, officers and mentors to discuss cruise plan
- 9:30 co-chiefs meet with participants to finalize cruise plan, sampling, shifts
- 10:00 Cruise Mobilization-securing deck and lab equipment
- 12:15 lunch
- 13:00 Introduction to Telepresence from Sea
- 14:00 precruise safety meeting
- 15:00 mobilization continues
- 17:30 dinner out evening free

Brian Kennedy (NOAA), Dwight Coleman (URI)

Cruise Plan

Co-chiefs

Kristen Buck (BIOS)
Andrew McDonnell (UAF)

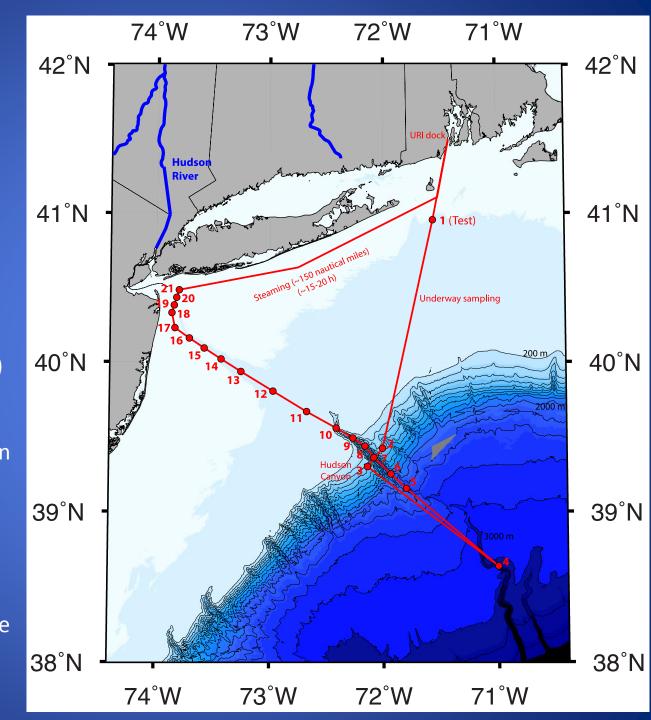
Operations

Flow-thru seawater system linked to FIRe fluorometer CTD (+ 3 add-on instruments) uCTD

TM-clean surface pumping and GOFLO bottles on Vectran Deck incubators
Multi-corer
ADCP
3.5 kHz echo sounding
Bucket sampling to groundtruth Aquarius satellite

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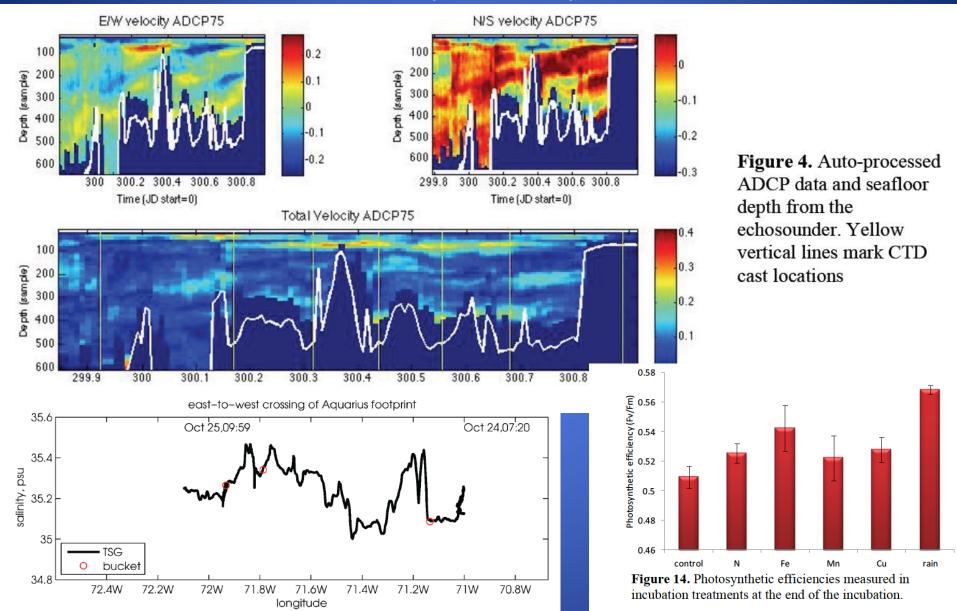
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Cruise Report:

rich with preliminary data



Immediate Impacts

2013 NSF proposal cycle ship time requests from pool of first 42 participants: 5 as PI; 11 as co-PI 2013 Awards to date: 1 as co-PI (Dr. Kimberly Null, UCSC)

TOP PUBLISHING

SMART MATERIALS AND STRUCTURES

Smart Mater. Struct. 22 (2013) 014012 (7pp)

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Calibration and validation of a harbor seal whisker-inspired flow sensor

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What next?

Would you recommend that the NSF support more training cruitees of this kind?

Answer Options
Percent
Yes
100.0%
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No
Please explain your response
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- 2014 Ocean Sciences Meeting "tutorial"
- Post-cruise engagement at UNOLS meetings
- 2014 cruise- R/V Atlantic Explorer (M. Conte lead)