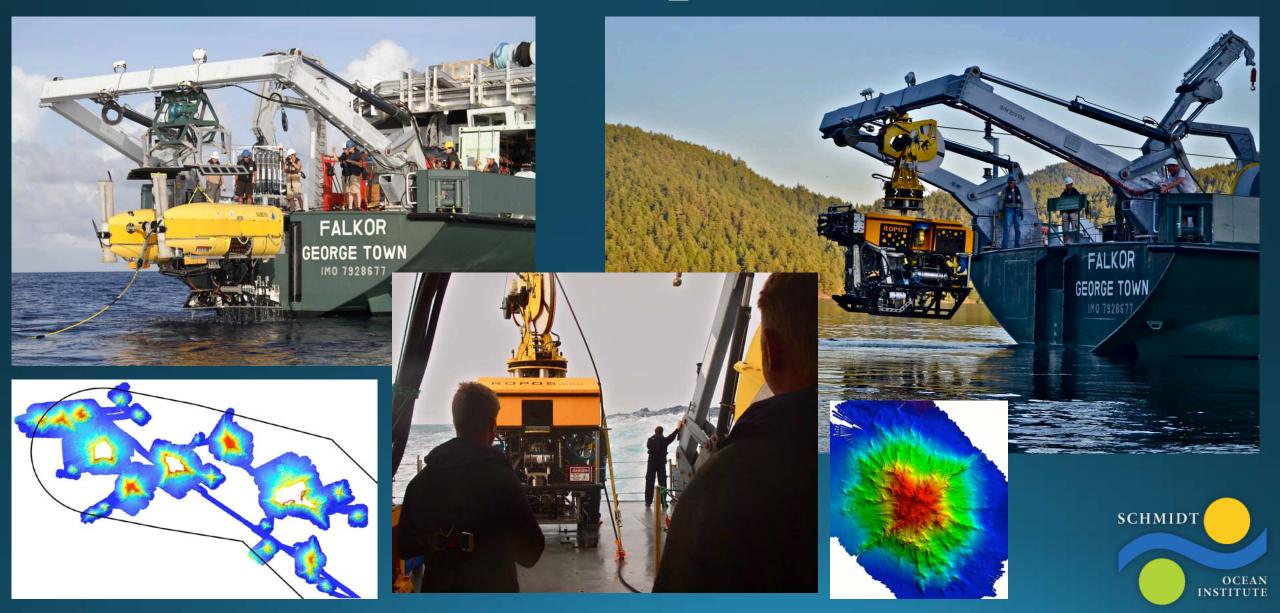


# Highlights

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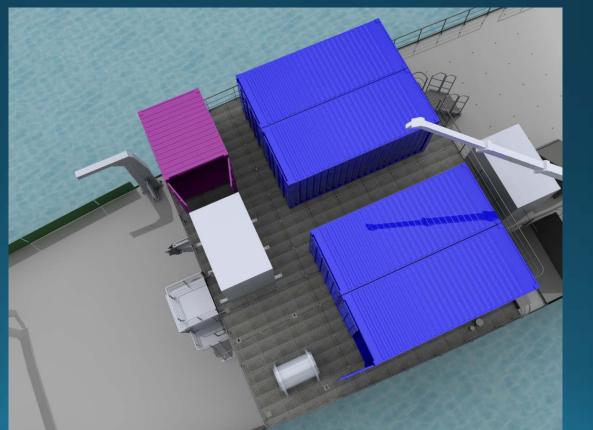
# 12 Months of Operations



## Ship Improvements

- Storage deck for 4 x 20' ISO vans
- Scientific Winch 10,000m .322 CTD fiber
- 400 kW 500 kVA Emergency Harbor Generator
- 64x64 video matrix





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## Science Cruises Proposals

**2014** 9 cruises...239 days

#### <u>2015</u>

9 cruises...248 days (est)

#### 2016

81 Expressions of Interest...1,059 days 6-7 expected cruises

Science verification cruise(s) for new 11,000m HROV in Mar '16

230 – 270 days at sea target



## Community Engagement & Outreach

- Exploratorium in San Francisco
- University of Victoria Ocean Networks Canada
- Conferences Ocean Sciences, MTS, AGU
- SOI 2014 Symposium (Honolulu)
- SOI 2016 Symposium (Australia???)
- SOI Communications Workshop for Chief Scientists 2014-2015
- SOI Communications Manager & Outreach Coordinator
- SOI Social Media
  - Facebook, Google+, Twitter, YouTube, SOI
- Google Street View



## ROVs, Blimps & Landers

- 1,000m blimp
- 11,000m HROV 2015 delivery, 2016 science cruises
- 11,000m landers/elevators

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300m ROV...SAAB SeaEye Falcon



### Challenges, Opportunities & Partnerships

- Crew Retention
- Telepresence
- Conferences (e.g. MTS, Ocean Sciences, AGU)
- University of Hawaii...3 one-week student cruises to SOEST
- Data Management...UH (ADCP), UNH (multibeam), FSU (SAMOS)
- NSF
  - Proposal Process and Collaborative Funding
    - enhance opportunities
  - UNOLS Ship Inspection Program
    - biennial ship dockside & underway
  - UNOLS Multibeam Advisory Committee
    - annual MES System review

