



UNOLS Green Ship Initiatives

Workshop: “Green Boats and Blue Ports III”

URI GSO on April 5-6, 2016

- **Objective:** Exchange information and develop sustainability recommendations for the operation of existing ships and ports and the design and construction of future vessels and ports.
- **Description:**
 - The workshop will be broadly advertised
 - Invited presentations from marine architects, designers, builders, related private businesses, and representatives of state and federal governments.
 - Anticipate ~ 75 participants
 - An evening poster session is planned



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- **The workshop will be patterned after and build upon:**
 - 2012 Workshop at Duke University entitled “Greening the Research Fleet”: http://unols.org/meetings/2012/green_workshop/details.html)
 - 2014 Workshop at the URI GSO entitled “Green Boats and Ports for Blue Waters”:
<http://www.gso.uri.edu/blog/green-boats-and-ports-workshop/>).



April 8–9, 2014

GREEN BOATS AND PORTS FOR BLUE WATERS

A Workshop to Promote Environmental Sustainability of Boats and Ports

Attend this 2-day national workshop to facilitate communication between academia, governmental agencies, and private industry involved in the environmental sustainability of ships, boats, and ports. Participants will exchange information and develop sustainability recommendations for the operation of existing and future ships and construction of future ports and other marine facilities.



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- The findings and recommendations from the previous workshops will be reassessed and updates on the progress in these areas will be discussed.
- The 2016 workshop topics are expected to include:
 - Port Sustainability
 - Emerging Technologies
 - Propulsion and Fuel
 - Energy Monitoring and Conservation
 - Ship Design
 - Recycling
 - Certification
 - Compliance
 - Noise Pollution