



University-National Oceanographic Laboratory System ~UNOLS~

UNOLS Report





UNOLS Council/Annual Meeting November 30 & Dec 1, 2016

New Chair- Debbie Steinberg/VIMS

Chair-Elect- Craig Lee/UW

Immediate Past Chair- Chris Measures/UH

**New UNOLS Charter- New Marine Seismic Research
Oversight Committee Charter- MSROC**

<https://www.unols.org/what-unols/unols-charter#Annex%20IX>



Division of Ocean Sciences at NSF Dear Colleague Letter (DCL) New opportunity for researchers to use the *JOIDES Resolution* drill ship for sediment coring up to 100 meters below seafloor.

This program, referred to as “JR100”, will not be part of the JOIDES Resolution’s participation in the International Ocean Discovery Program (IODP), and will be funded, managed, and implemented separately from the IODP.

NSF-OCE will release another DCL when the specific dates and port for the next tie-up period for JOIDES Resolution have been determined.

Prospective PIs are encouraged to consult with a Program Officer to determine the applicable program proposal submission guidelines and deadlines. The DCL can be found here: <https://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2017/nsf17018/nsf17018.jsp?org=NSF>



IODP Workshop

Demystifying the IODP Proposal Process for Early Career Scientists: Northern Atlantic and Gulf of Mexico

Time: January 23-25, 2017

Location: Austin, Texas, USA

Workshop Committee: Chris Lowery (Univ. Texas Austin), Andy Fraass (Natl. Mus. of Nat. Hist., SI), Molly Patterson (SUNY Binghamton), Justin Dodd (North. Illinois Univ.), Jason Coenen (North. Illinois Univ.)

Steering Committee: Steve D'Hondt (Univ. of Rhode Island), Sean Gulick (Univ. Texas Austin), Susan Humphris (WHOI), Christina Ravelo (Univ. of California, Santa Cruz)

Deadline to Apply: Extended to **November 23, 2016**, to encourage more participation from the Deep Biosphere, Earth Connections, and Earth in Motion themes of the IODP Science Plan.



The Subcommittee on Ocean Science and Technology (SOST),

Requesting written input on the structure and content of its upcoming 10-year ocean research plan (tentatively titled “Ocean Research in the Coming Decade”).

Plan will describe the most pressing research questions and most promising areas of opportunity within the ocean science and technology (S&T) enterprise for the coming decade.

Public input period on the Plan is open now until January 1, 2017 are particularly encouraged. See the Federal Register Notice for additional information on the public input period. <https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2016/10/28/2016-26118/plan-for-ocean-research-in-the-coming-decade> To provide input, please visit <https://contribute.globalchange.gov/plan-ocean-research-coming-decade>.



MLSOC Committee Membership- As of 7 December 2016

Nathan Bangs, UT Austin 02/10 - 02/13, & 2/13-2/15

MLSOC Chair 2/15-2/16 & Chair- 2/2016 to 2/2019

Bobby Reece/TAMU – 04/16-04/19

Warren Wood/NRL-Stennis- 04/16- 04/19

Sean Gulick/UT Austin- 04/16-04/19

Debbie Hutchinson- USGS- 03/12-03/15 & 03/15-03/18

Greg Mountain/Rutgers 10/14-10/17

Maria Beatrice Magnani/Southern Methodist Univ. 11/2014 to 11/2017

Dan Lizarralde/WHOI- 9/2015 to 9/2018

Donna Blackman/SIO- 9/2015 to 9/2018

Ex-officio members

Maya Tolstoy, LDEO (ex-officio) 09/98 – XXXX

Suzanne Carbotte, LDEO (ex-officio) 09/98-XXXX

Paul Ljunggren (ex-officio RVOC Rep) 09/98 - XXXX

Jeff Rupert (ex-officio RVTEC Rep) 08/10 – XXXX