

## White Paper on Proposing, Planning and Executing Logistics Involved in Oceanographic Field Operations in Foreign Water and Ports

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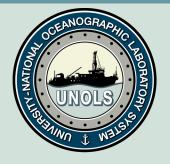






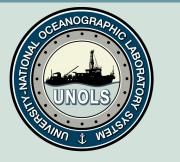






## The History

- Very difficult operations out of Mexico in late 2016-2017
- Large variety of issues from
  - Last minute changes in visa requirements
  - Cargo difficulties in and out
  - Questions around agent
  - Difficulties obtaining sample shipment requirements
- Special meeting at the spring scheduling meeting (03/17)
- Formed a committee comprised of scientists, operators and the funding agencies.



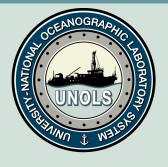
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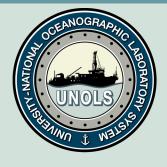
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 Appendix 1 – Detailed Recommendations and Considerations for Working in Foreign Ports and Obtaining Marine Science Research Clearances.

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So what does this have to do with us?



## Any Questions?