

U.S. InterRidge Membership

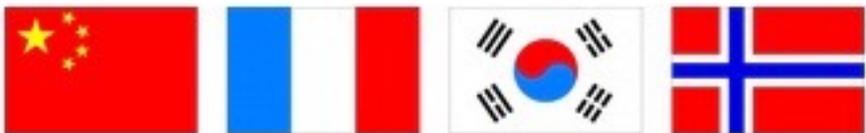


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What is InterRidge?

- **InterRidge** is a non-profit organization, founded in 1992 and concerned with *“promoting all aspects of ocean floor research”*
- Coordinates **scientific exchange** between national research groups
- Provides a unified voice for ocean ridge researchers worldwide
- Encourage the **protection** and **management** of the oceanic ridge environment
- Promotes communication between public, educators and policy-makers
- Spearheads **education outreach** efforts to raise awareness of ridges

Principal Member



Regular Member



Previous U.S. Membership

- U.S. was founding member of InterRidge
- Membership challenges since 2013, not member since 2017
- Hosted office in 1992-1993 and 2007-2009

Member country	Year																									
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2017	
France	Green	Green	Red	Red	Red	Green	Green	Green	Red	Green																
Japan	Yellow	Red	Green	Green	Green	Green	Red	Blue	Blue																	
UK	Yellow	Red	Green	Green	Green	Red	Green	Green	Green	Red	Red	Red	Blue													
USA	Green	Green	Red	Green	Green	Green	Red																			
Germany	Yellow	Yellow	Blue	Blue	Red	Red	Red	Red	Blue	Blue	Blue	Red	Green	Green	Green	Red	Blue									
Portugal	Yellow	Yellow	Blue	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Blue	Blue	Blue	Blue	Blue														
Spain	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Red	Red	Red	Blue	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Blue	Blue	Blue	Yellow										
Norway	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Blue	Red																				
Canada	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Blue																				
Italy	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Blue	Blue	Blue	Blue	Blue	Blue	Yellow														
Korea	Yellow	Blue																								
India	Yellow	Blue																								
China	Yellow	Red	Green	Green	Red																					

MEMBERSHIP ■ Host ■ Principal ■ Regular ■ Corresponding ■

Membership Opportunities

- **Meetings** and **workshops**, and InterRidge decision making
- Sharing new focus areas and experiments with international partners
- Access to remote regions improved by greater **international cooperation**
- Student and Postdoctoral **Fellowships**
- **Spare berth** information, cruise bursaries
- InterRidge Newsletter
- Representation at **International Seabed Authority** and **SCOR**



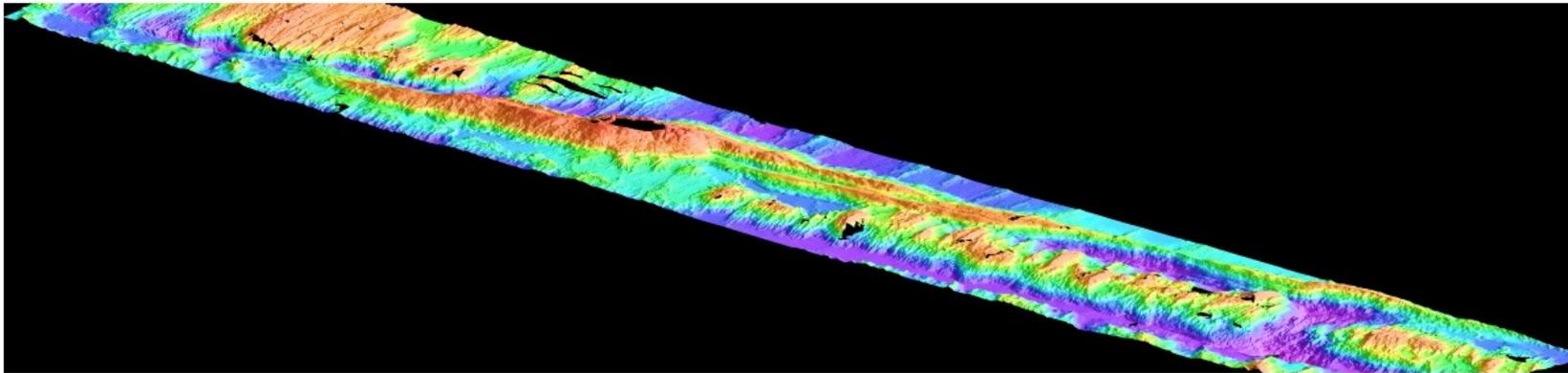
InterRidge Working Groups



Oceanic Transform Faults

An InterRidge Working Group

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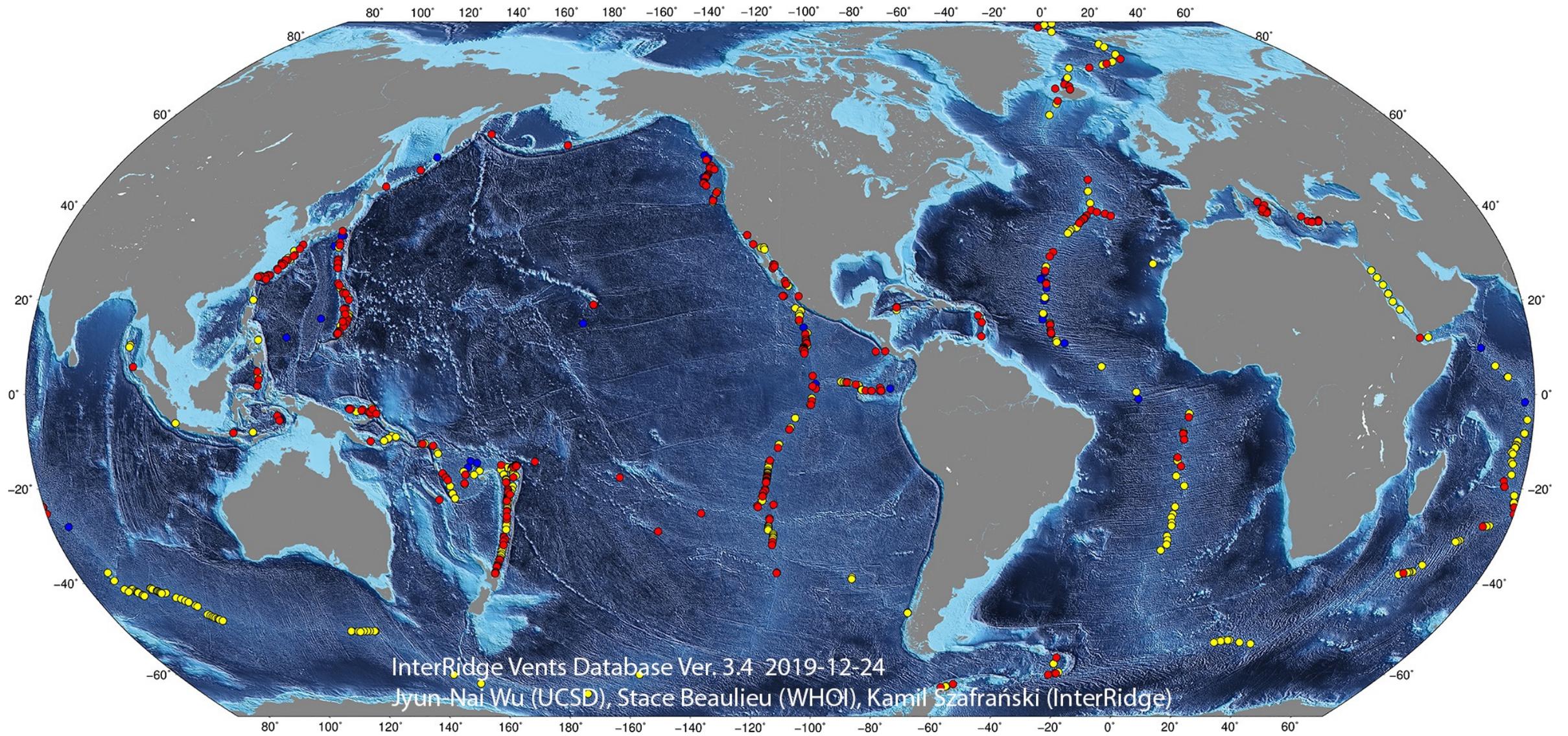
Welcome to the InterRidge Working Group on Oceanic Transform Faults.

Transform faults cover a significant portion of the active part of the Mid Ocean Ridge system. They generally consist of a single narrow strike-slip zone offsetting two mid-ocean ridge segments. This oversimplified view is challenged by growing evidences of the tectonic complexity of the transform boundaries and their significant interaction with the magmatic, hydrothermal and thermal setting of the ridges.



May 22 -24 2018

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Rift2Ridge Workshop 2021

Extensional Processes Across Tectonic Settings and Time Scales

June 7 - 11, 2021

Rift2Ridge 2021 Mini-Whitepaper: U.S. InterRidge Membership

Ross Parnell-Turner, Jessica Warren, Shi J. Sim, Zachary Eilon, Laurent Montesi

<https://tinyurl.com/29vfrbze>



What's next?

- NSF OCE/MG&G supporting 'Regular' membership
- New mailing list for U.S. ridge community, **email signup and survey** coming out soon
- US interests to be represented by new **U.S. InterRidge Steering Committee**
 - Will include broad range of **subdisciplines** and career stages
 - White paper coauthors are nominating committee
 - Parnell-Turner interim point of contact
 - Volunteer for committee: respond by **1 April, 2022**
 - Committee in place by summer 2022

