
RVTEC Update UNOLS Annual Meeting

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2021 RVTEC Virtual Meeting

Presentation Topics

MERAS: Maintaining an Environment of Respect at Sea
Pools and Resources: E.Coast and W. Coast Winch Pools, Wire Pool,
UHDAS (ADCP), PFPE (Gravimeters), RCRV, MarSSAM (Sediment)
Community Instrumentation (ARGO; Pingers, MOCNESS, pCO2)
SatComms: High Seas Net, SatNAG, Low Earth Orbit Satellites
Cyber Security: Cyberinfrastructure Working Group, Research SOC
Subcommittees: Tech Training, SCOAR (aerial), MATE Internship program
Instrumentation: R2R, 3D printing, Best Practices
Launch and Recovery Systems: RCRV (Macgregor Triplex), JASON ROV
Poster Session (16 posters)
Friday Technical Sessions: Marine Facilities Planning (MFP),
Sikuliaq IT asset management

Communication

Tools

- Zoom and You Tube for presenters
- Whova for questions and communication

Communication

- 199 registrants, communication in Whova's "community" spaces
- Slides introducing each group
- Monday social event using Whova's "Network Tables"
- Slack introduced 2020; still sees some use, not widely adopted

Future Plans

- Quarterly moderated technical discussions "What Went Wrong Wednesdays"
- Managers meeting: virtual, monthly
- Hopefully in-person RVTEC meeting in 2022