

Guidelines for application SOLAS summer school 2018

In order to apply for the SOLAS summer school 2018, please use this form and fill the mandatory fields marked with * and send it to: solas-school@geomar.de.

You will receive an email acknowledging receipt of your application.

Application deadline: 15 November 2017.

Once submitted, your application will be sent to the summer school Scientific Committee for review. At least two reviewers will assess your application and successful candidates will be contacted by **end of December 2017**.

For any problems or queries with the application please email solas-school@geomar.de

Information required

Please note:

- Information in Section A, B, and F marked with * is mandatory as is all information in Section D and E. If you do not provide this information your application will not be reviewed.
- Please do NOT send any other CV or letter, only the information requested in the online form. Additional documents will NOT be examined.

Section A: Personal Information

Civility (Miss, Ms, Mr):

First name *:

Family name *:

Date of the birth (yyyy-mm-dd) *:

Primary Nationality *:

Institution *:

Laboratory*:

Institution Address*:

Country of residence *:

Phone:

Fax:

Current Email (work address)*:

Personal Email (gmail, yahoo, hotmail...):

Scientific Information

This information is required by the Institute hosting the summer school (Institut d'Études Scientifiques de Cargèse) for data collection purposes however information in this section is mandatory.

Position *: eg Undergraduate student, PhD student, Postdoc, Professor
Background *: Academic Institution, Government Agency, Industrial Corporation, other
Previous Attendance *: please indicate if you have attended summer schools or events at Institut d'Etudes Scientifiques de Cargése before. Participants may only attend the SOLAS summer school on one occasion but may have visited the Institute for meetings previously.

Section B: Academic information

Q1. Are you employed as a postdoctorate (employment after PhD completion)?*

Yes (continue) No (go to question Q2)

Title of position:

Title of project:

University/Institute:

Postdoc. advisor:

Advisor's current Email:

Advisor's telephone:

When did you start your postdoc. (yyyy-mm-dd) ?

Details of your postdoc. research (max. 1000 characters):

Q2. Are you currently studying for or have you completed a PhD?*

Yes (continue) No (go to question Q3)

Title of PhD:

University/Institute:

PhD advisor:

Advisor's current Email:

Advisor's telephone:

When did you start your PhD (yyyy/mm/dd)?

Current year of PhD: 1st 2nd 3rd 4th or More, in this case indicate which year

Estimated or actual defense date (yyyy-mm-dd):

Details of PhD research: (max. 1000 characters):

Q3. Are you currently studying for or have you completed a post-graduate course (Master of Science or overseas equivalent)?*

Yes (continue) No (go to question Q4)

Title of course:

University/Institute:

Post-graduate advisor (if applicable):

Advisor's current Email:

Advisor's telephone:

Actual or estimated completion date (yyyy-mm-dd):

Details of course (max. 1000 characters):

Do you plan to do a PhD after your post-graduate course (Master of Science or overseas equivalent)?

Yes (continue)

No (go to question Q4)

Will you be a PhD student in July 2018?*

Yes (continue)

No, why? go to question Q4

Title of future PhD:

Title of future project:

Future University/Institute:

Future PhD advisor:

Advisor's current Email:

Advisor's telephone:

When will you start your PhD (yyyy/mm/dd)?

Details of PhD research: (max. 1000 characters):

Q4. Details regarding your completed undergraduate degree (Bachelor of Science or overseas equivalent)*:

Title of degree:

University/Institute:

Advisor (if applicable):

Advisor's current Email:

Advisor's telephone:

Completion date (yyyy-mm-dd):

Details of degree (max. 1000 characters):

Q5. Give the details of the top five most SOLAS-relevant courses you have attended AND at which level of your education path (for ex. undergrad, post-grad, PhD...):

- i)
- ii)
- iii)
- iv)
- v)

Q6. List your publications (5 maximum)(peer-reviewed articles, conference proceedings...):

- i)
- ii)
- iii)
- iv)
- v)

Section C: Other research related experience

Use this section to describe any relevant experience not already stated (do NOT repeat information stated in section B):

- i List all scientific cruises or field campaigns you have taken part in. Please do NOT exceed 1000 characters.

Date, place, duration, activities, Vessel's name...

- ii Describe relevant lab experiments that you have been involved in. Please do NOT exceed 1000 characters.

- iii Mention any relevant interaction that you have had with other projects/programmes (If you are selected to participate in the summer school, this information will be particularly useful for the SOLAS Office in order to work with you in seeking financial support for your attendance). Please do NOT exceed 1000 characters.

Section D: Personal statement of interest

This information is crucial to your application and forms an essential part of the review process.

Filling in this section is **mandatory**. If you do not provide this information your application will not be reviewed.

Please explain why you have applied for the SOLAS summer school, and what you hope to achieve from it. Please do NOT exceed 2000 characters.

Section E: Financial support

IMPORTANT: The potential success of your application is **COMPLETELY independent** of funding.

Once the review process has taken place and the successful applicants have been identified and notified his/her acceptance, the SOLAS IPO staff will work with each of the future participants, individually, on a case-by-case basis to help seek financial support for their attendance where necessary.

However filling in this section is **mandatory**. If you do not provide this information your application will not be reviewed.

- i. Inform us if you have secured funding to cover registration fees and attendance expenses for the summer school (discuss this with your advisor)

How much? From which source? Etc...

- ii. If you have not secured funding to cover registration fees and attendance expenses for the summer school, inform us about the organisations/institutions/associations you are planning to approach in order to develop funding if you are selected.

Which organisations/institutions/associations? When do you plan to approach them? Is there a call for a grant? Etc...

Section F: References

Give details of two academic references. Please DO NOT send reference letters. Information in Section F with * assigned is mandatory.

Referee 1:

Name*:

Position:

Relationship to you*:

University/Institute:

Building name/number:

Street name 1:

Street name 2:

Department:

Institute:

Town/City:

County:

Country:

Postcode/ZIP:

Telephone*:

Fax:

Email*:

Referee 2:

Name *:

Position:

Relationship to you *:

University/Institute:

Building name/number:

Street name 1:

Street name 2:

Department:

Institute:

Town/City:

County:

Country:

Postcode/ZIP:

Telephone *:

Fax:

Email*:

Good luck!