

## SOLAS Bulletin Number 29

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### 1. SOLAS News

SOLAS Open Science Meeting, Xiamen, China.  
6th– 9th March 2007

<http://www.solas2007.confmanager.com>

The program schedule can be downloaded at:

<https://www.confmanager.com/communities/c457/files/images/Schedule.xls>

SOLAS Summer School, Corsica  
22nd October–3rd November, 2007  
Applications open very soon.

On January 24th, a meeting was held at the University of Cape Town to discuss the formation of a Southern African SOLAS Network. Several presentations were given demonstrating some of the wide range of SOLAS relevant science going on in the region. We are planning to hold a Southern African SOLAS workshop in October of this year. If you are interested in taking part please contact: [carl.j.palmer@googlemail.com](mailto:carl.j.palmer@googlemail.com).

### 2. Meetings/Conferences/Schools

1st March 2007

International Polar Year 2007–2008 Opening Ceremony

Palais de la Decouverte, Paris, France

<http://www.ipy.org/index.php?/ipy/detail/launch/>

26th – 29th March 2007

UK QUEST Open Science Conference (OSC)

Oxford, UK

<http://quest.bris.ac.uk/workshops/OSC/index.html>

11th – 14th April 2007

'Surface Ocean CO<sub>2</sub> Variability and Vulnerabilities Workshop'

Sponsored by IOCCP, SOLAS, IMBER and GCP

UNESCO headquarters, Paris France.

[http://www.ioc.unesco.org/ioccp/pCO2\\_2007.htm](http://www.ioc.unesco.org/ioccp/pCO2_2007.htm)

15th – 20th April 2007

The General Assembly of the European Geosciences Union (EGU)

15–20 April 2007

Vienna, Austria

[http://www.cosis.net/members/meetings/programme/overview\\_db.php?m\\_id=40](http://www.cosis.net/members/meetings/programme/overview_db.php?m_id=40)

23rd – 25th April 2007

CLIVAR/GOOS Indian Ocean Panel 4th Session

Pretoria, South Africa

[http://www.clivar.org/organization/indian/IOP\\_meet.php](http://www.clivar.org/organization/indian/IOP_meet.php)

7th – 12th May 2006

Marie–Curie–iLEAPS training course for PhD. and early career scientists

“Integrated measurements over land ecosystem atmosphere boundaries”

Hyytiälä, nr. Helsinki, Finland

<http://www.atm.helsinki.fi/ILEAPS/marie-curie-ileaps/>

19th – 24th May 2007

ESF–FWF Conference in Partnership with LFUI Ocean Controls in

Abrupt Climate Change

Innsbruck, Austria

Abstract deadline: 8th March 2007–02–20

[http://www.esf.org/esf\\_genericpage.php?section=10&language=0&genericpage=2674](http://www.esf.org/esf_genericpage.php?section=10&language=0&genericpage=2674)

28th May – 1st June 2007

Air, Ocean, Earth and Ice on the Rock

CMOS–CGU–AMS Congress 2007

St. John's, Newfoundland, Canada

Abstract Submission Deadline: Thursday, 15 February 2007

<http://www.cmos2007.ca>

11th – 15th June 2007  
ModObs: An Air–Sea Interaction Summer School  
Castro Marina, Italy  
<http://modobs.le.isac.cnr.it/>

24th June – 14th July 2007  
Bermuda Institute of Ocean Sciences – Summer Field Courses 2007  
Microbial Oceanography  
<http://www.bbsr.edu/Education/education.html>

25th June – 3rd August 2007  
Microbial Oceanography: Genomes to Biomes  
University of Hawai‘i, Mānoa  
Application Deadline: 16th March 2007  
<http://www.cmore.soest.hawaii.edu>

26th – 28th June 2007  
CCMVal 2007 Workshop  
University of Leeds, UK  
<http://www.see.leeds.ac.uk/ccmval2007>

2nd – 13th July 2007  
IUGG XXIV 2007  
ABSTRACT deadline: 28th February 2007  
Perugia, Italy  
Call for abstracts: The Dynamics of Eastern Tropical Oceans  
and Subtropical Highs (ICDM)  
<http://www.eol.ucar.edu/projects/vamos/>

23rd – 27th July 2007  
Second ACCENT Symposium  
Urbino, Italy  
<http://www.accent-network.org/2nd-symposium>

13th – 24th August 2007  
Utrecht Summer School in Physics of the Climate System 2007  
Application deadline: 1st May 2007  
<http://www1.phys.uu.nl/masters/summerschools/uspc/>

3rd – 7th September 2007

7th International Summer School on Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences (ISSAOS) "Integrated Ground-Based Observing System Applications for Climate, Meteorology, and Civil Protection"  
L'Aquila, Italy  
Announcement only.

7th – 18th September 2007  
NCAS Graduate Summer School in Atmospheric Measurement  
Isle of Arran, UK  
<http://www.ncas.ac.uk/contacts/index.html>

11th – 20th September 2007  
ESF-ACCENT-CNRS-GEIA Summer School  
Surface emissions and prediction of atmospheric composition changes  
ile d'Oléron, France  
Application deadline: 20th April 2007  
<http://www.geiacenter.org>

17th – 21st September 2007  
Joint LOICZ/IMBER Continental Margins Open Science Conference ,  
Shanghai, China  
<http://www.loicz.org>

2nd – 7th March 2008  
2008 Ocean Sciences Meeting  
"From the Watershed to the Global Ocean"  
Orlando, Florida  
<http://www.aslo.org>

### 3. Miscellaneous

GEOTRACES invites SOLAS and IMBER scientists to participate in intercalibration cruises. The US NSF anticipates funding two cruises to support the intercalibration of sampling, sample handling, and analytical methods used to measure dissolved and particulate trace elements and their isotopes in seawater.  
<http://www.geotraces.org>

START/PACOM Call for Proposals – Small Research Grants for African Global Change Scientists

[http://www.start.org/Program/African\\_sm\\_grants.html](http://www.start.org/Program/African_sm_grants.html)

Call for proposals

Southeast Asia Regional Carbon and Water Project (2007) Phase III  
[http://www.start.org/News/download/SARCS%202007%20CFP\\_1221%201.doc](http://www.start.org/News/download/SARCS%202007%20CFP_1221%201.doc)

NSF Special Joint Solicitation for IPY proposals within Understanding Environmental Change in Polar Regions amongst other topics

<http://www.nsf.gov/od/opp/ipy/ipyinfo.jsp>

Call for Abstracts:

Impact of CO<sub>2</sub> Changes on Biogeochemical Processes and Ecosystem Functioning IUGG general assembly, Perugia, Italy, on 2nd – 17th July, 2007

Deadline for Abstracts (electronic submission): 28th February 2006  
<http://www.iugg2007Perugia.it>

2007 POGO–SCOR Visiting Fellowships for Oceanographic Observations [http://www.ocean-partners.org/POGO\\_SCOR\\_Fellowships.htm](http://www.ocean-partners.org/POGO_SCOR_Fellowships.htm)

DOE Methods Handbook has been a valuable resource to the community in promoting a standardization of approaches for making high-quality inorganic carbon measurements in the ocean requires your aid in revision

Deadline: 15th March 2007  
<http://cdiac3.ornl.gov/handbook/>

A white paper to promote the addition of oxygen sensors to the Argo float program has been released, and the authors are currently seeking comments from the wider community. To download the pdf (2MB) click on

[http://www.ioc.unesco.org/ioccp/docs/o2\\_argo\\_whitepaper\\_15feb07\\_r.pdf](http://www.ioc.unesco.org/ioccp/docs/o2_argo_whitepaper_15feb07_r.pdf)

ESSP Monsoon Asia Intergrated Regional Study (MAIRS) Annual Progress Report

<http://www.mairs-essp.org/products.asp?c=2&cid=7>

The final Ocean Research Priorities Plan and Implementation Strategy is now <http://ocean.ceq.gov/about/docs/orpp12607.pdf>

