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1. SOLAS News

As part of our new website, we are encouraging the SOLAS community to submit their project details and research highlights online. To do this visit:

<http://www.uea.ac.uk/env/solas/science/solasprojects/notifyyourproject/notify.html>

<http://www.uea.ac.uk/env/solas/science/researchhighlight/researchhighlights.html>

SOLAS has partnered with ResearchPages.net

<http://researchpages.net/SOLAS/>

to develop a science community networking facility (similar in scope to the social networking site Facebook). We encourage you to post a profile (email: Justin.Ho@uea.ac.uk). In the future, the site will feature a Forum, Wiki pages. If you have suggestions for features, email Justin.

The SOLAS Scientific Steering Committee will meet May 5-6 prior to the IGBP Congress in Cape Town, South Africa. We welcome any items to communicate about projects, national activities, etc.

2. Meetings/Conferences

International Symposium on the Effects of Climate Change on the World's
Oceans

19–23 May 2008

Gijón, Spain

http://www.pices.int/meetings/international_symposia/2008_symposia/Climate_change/climate_background_3.aspx

IOC WESTPAC 7th Scientific Symposium

21–25 May 2008

Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, Malaysia

<http://www.ums.edu.my/conferences/IOCWESTPAC7/>

Canadian Meteorological and Oceanographic Society (CMOS) Congress 2008

26–30 May 2008

Kelowna, B.C., Canada

<http://www.cmos2008.ca>

Eastern Boundary Upwelling Ecosystems

2–6 June 2008

Las Palmas, Gran Canaria, Spain

<http://www.confmanager.com/main.cfm?cid=845>

2008 ASLO Summer Meeting: 'Interactions on the Edge'

8–13 June 2008

St. John's, Newfoundland, Canada

<http://www.aslo.org/meetings/stjohns2008>

Second Joint GOSUD/SAMOS Workshop

10–12 June 2008

Seattle, WA, USA

http://www.coaps.fsu.edu/RVSMDC/marine_workshop4/

Advances in Marine Ecosystem Modeling Research Symposium (AMEMR)

23–26 June 2008

Plymouth, UK

<http://www.amemr.info/>

Early registration until 4 May

2008 OCB Summer Science Workshop

21–24 July 2008

Woods Hole, MA, USA

<http://www.whoi.edu/sites/ocbworkshop2008>

Deadline of registration: 10 June 2008

Tenth IGAC Conference

7–12 September 2008

Annecy, France

<http://www.igacfrance2008.fr/>

Early bird registration: 31 May 2008

Thirteenth Biennial Challenger Conference for Marine Science

8–11 September 2008

Bangor University, Wales, UK

<http://www.challenger2008.co.uk/>

Abstracts now accepted

International Council for the Exploration of the Sea (ICES) Annual
Science Conference

22–26 September 2008

Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

<http://www.ices.dk/iceswork/asc/2008/index.asp>

Eighth Annual Meeting of the European Meteorological Society (EMS) and
the Seventh European Conference on Applied Climatology (EGAC)

29 September–3 October 2008

Amsterdam, Netherlands

<http://meetings.copernicus.org/ems2008>

Call for contributions to session entitled 'Air-Sea Interactions and
Exchange (AWIO)'

Abstract deadline: 16 May 2008

Convenors: Anna Maria Sempreviva, Lise-Lotte Soerensen, Marcello
Miglietta, Sven-Erik Gryning

Invited speakers: Ann-Sofi Smedman and Peter Liss

The session will focus on processes controlling interfacial fluxes of
momentum, energy, heat, moisture, CO₂, sea spray, and other gases. This
includes coastal zones and lakes, flux determination from in-situ
measurements and remote sensors, and their parameterizations in models.
Of particular interest are experimental and modeling studies on: the
interplay of processes at different vertical and horizontal scales;
the effect of sea spray on the exchange mechanisms in the marine surface
layer; the physical processes controlling air-sea exchange of carbon
dioxide and the effect of waves into the marine boundary layer; the
effect of air-sea interaction on the development and intensification of
mesoscale and synoptic scale features (cyclogenesis, sea breezes,
tropical cyclones, tornadoes, etc).

Second Symposium on 'The Ocean in a High-CO₂ World'

6–9 October 2008

Monaco

<http://www.highco2world-ii.org>

Limited numbers of registration

XXIX SCOR General Meeting

22–24 October 2008
Woods Hole, Massachusetts, USA
<http://www.scor-int.org/2008GM/2008GM.htm>
Call for working group proposals
Deadline for proposals: 31 May 2008

DISCCRS (Dissertations Initiative for the Advancement of Climate Change research) IV: Interdisciplinary Climate Research Symposium
2–9 November 2008
Saguaro Lake Ranch, AZ, USA
<http://www.discdrs.org/DISCCRSposter.pdf>
Deadline of application: 30 April 2008

2009 ASLO Aquatic Sciences meeting: 'A Cruise Through Nice Waters'
25–30 January 2009
Nice, France
<http://www.aslo.org/forms/nice2009.html>

Ninth International Conference on Southern Hemisphere Meteorology and Oceanography (9ICSHMO)
9–13 February 2009
Melbourne, Australia
<http://www.bom.gov.au/events/9icshmo/>
Deadline for abstracts: 1 August 2008

3. Books/Reports

April 2008 Issue of the Ocean Carbon and Biogeochemistry News available for download:
<http://www.us-ocb.org/publications/index.html>

Oden Southern Ocean Workshop (Lejondals Slott, Sweden, 10-13 Feb) report, download:
http://www.nsf.gov/od/opp/antarct/science/workshop_rpt/oden_workshop_report08.pdf

4. For Students

Announcement of opportunity for graduates to participate in hydrographic cruises run by the National Oceanography Centre, Southampton as a chemical oceanographer involved in measuring inorganic

nutrients/titrating dissolved oxygen samples. Modest additional sampling can probably be entertained. Cruises are scheduled for the Arctic gateway, Canada – Greenland – UK (Summer 2008); Andrex Southern Ocean (Early 2009); Drake Passage, Southern Ocean (Early 2009); 25°S in the Atlantic (Easter 2009) and 24°N in the Atlantic (November 2009). For more information, please contact Richard Saunders (rics@noc.soton.ac.uk).

5. Miscellaneous

The LDEO (Takahashi) database (Version 1.0) is now available for general public use through CDIAC web page:
http://cdiac.ornl.gov/oceans/LDEO_Underway_Database/LDEO_home.html

The global pCO₂ data set is available free of charge as a numeric data package (NDP-088: http://cdiac.ornl.gov/oceans/ndp_088/ndp088.html) from the Carbon Dioxide Information Analysis Center (CDIAC). The database is available as simple ASCII data and metadata files, as an ODV collection, and via two search engines: WAVES and LAS.

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