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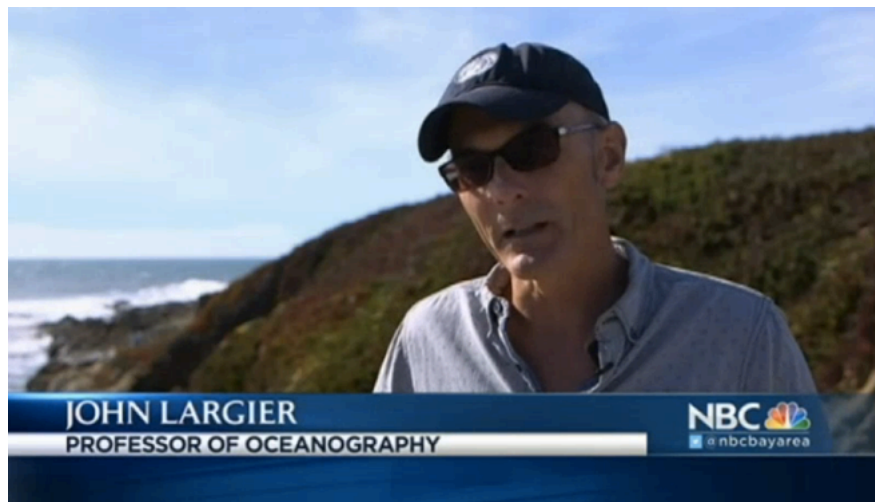
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RFPs

The Coastal Conservancy announces [Round 2 of its Proposition 1 Grants Program](#) for project proposals that protect and enhance adronomous fish habitat. Proposals for Round 2 are due **December 31, 2015**.

The North Pacific Research Board (NPRB) released the 2016 annual [request for proposals](#). The deadline for proposal submission is **Friday, December 4, 2015**

News



Professor John Largier was recently interviewed by NBC Bay Area about the domoic acid build-up in Dungeness crab. Watch the video [here>>](#)

at 4pm.

The new [Long-Term Ecological Research Solicitation](#) is open. The preliminary proposal deadline is **February 1, 2016**. The full proposal deadline is **August 2, 2016**.

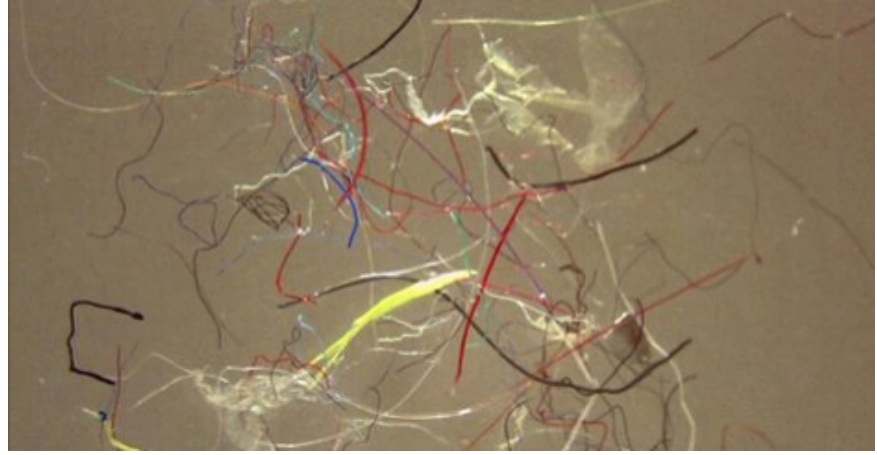
Fellowships



The application period for the 2016 NOAA Dr. Nancy Foster Scholarship is now open. The scholarship provides support for master's and doctoral studies in disciplines involving ocean and coastal areas. Applications are due **December 10, 2015** at **5pm**. Find more info [here](#).



The 2017 Sea Grant Knauss Fellowship Program has been published and is available for download. Find more details [here](#).



(Photo courtesy of ABC7 News)

UC Davis Bodega Marine Laboratory professor, Susan Williams, Ph.D., was interviewed by ABC7 News about her recent study that links tiny plastic fibers, believed to come from manmade fabrics, in fishes' guts.

Watch her interview [here>>](#)

One of a Kind



Take a look at Sarah Moffitt's, '14, College of Biological Sciences (Graduate Group in Ecology), [One of a Kind profile](#)! See how a love of the sea inspired this UC Davis alumna to study how abrupt Climate Change affects ecosystems. Watch her video [here>>](#)

Events



The NOAA Fisheries/Sea Grant Joint Graduate Fellowship

Program provides 2–3 years of support for PhD students pursuing degrees related to either marine resource economics or population and ecosystem dynamics. More details [here](#).



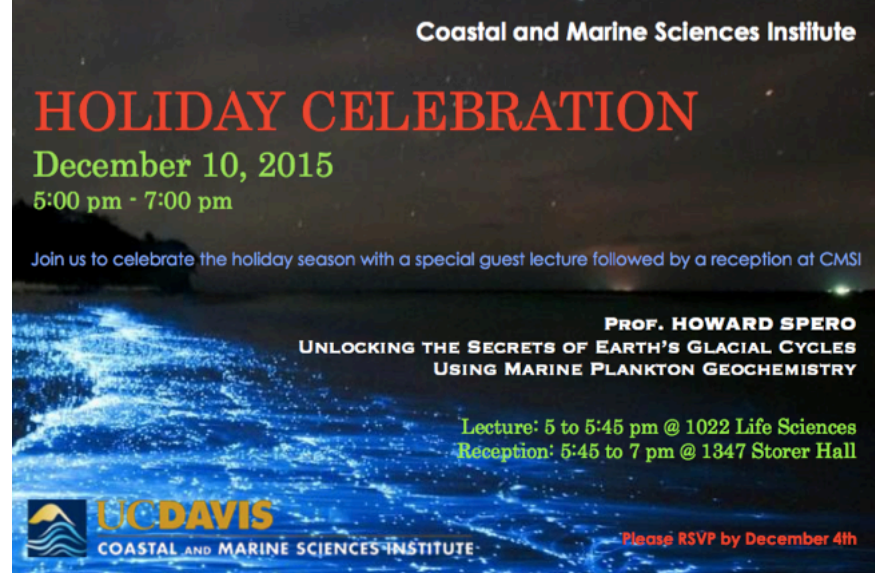
The Coastal Management Fellowship proposals are due **Friday, January 22, 2015**. Additional details [here](#).



Applications for the postdoctoral fellowship program at the Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute (MBARI) are currently being accepted. Find out more [here](#).

Tideline Updates

If you have any news we should know about,



Join us for a Holiday Celebration on **December 10** from **5 to 7pm**. The Celebration will feature a special guest lecture by Prof. Howard Spero, followed by a reception at CMSI. Please RSVP by **December 4th** [here](#).



Join us for our monthly coffee/tea hour on **December 8, 2015** in **1347 Storer Hall** at **3pm**.

Announcements

please email us at
cmsinews@ucdavis.edu

Jobs

1. The University of California San Diego seeks a tenure track professor for interdisciplinary initiative in Climate Change impacts and adaptation. Find out more [here>>](#)

2. The Inter-departmental Graduate Program in Marine Science at UCSB is advertising for an Assistant Professor position in Coastal Marine Ecology. [More details here>>](#)

3. The University of California, Santa Barbara, seeks a field lab technician in disease dynamics. [More here>>](#)

4. The Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO is looking for a head of the Ocean Science Section of the IOC Secretariat. [Details here>>](#)



(Photo courtesy of Olivia Rhoades)

Congratulations to **Olivia Rhoades** for winning the Mia Tegner Award for Applied Ecology/Conservation Biology at the WSN meeting! Read more about her award [here!](#)



(Photo courtesy of Rachel Wigginton)

Congratulations to **Rachel Wigginton** for being awarded 1st place for Graduate Student Poster Presentation at the CERF conference! More details about her award [here!](#)

Pack, Snap, and Send it!



Grab a bag and go! We would like to feature pictures of you—like CMSI intern Clara MacLeod—with your CMSI bag! Send your pictures to cmsinews@ucdavis.edu. If you don't have a bag yet, come pick one up at CMSI, 1347 Storer Hall.



Thank you to our new Twitter Team members Emily Miller (Wildlife, Fish, and Conservation), Rachel Wigginton (Environmental Science and Policy), Serena Caplins (Ecology and Evolution), Jaime Ashander (Environmental Science and Policy), and Mateo Robbins (Environmental Science and Policy)!



(Photo courtesy of WSN)

Congratulations to **Tessa Hill** for being nominated as a photo contest winner for her coastal/estuary inspired photograph at the CERF conference. See her winning photo above!



Western Society of Naturalists

Thank you to the 22 CMSI graduate student volunteers for playing an important role in helping organize and staff the November WSN meeting in Sacramento:

Matt Whalen, Erin Satterthwaite, Brittany Jellison, Jason Sadowski, Chris Kwan, Frances Armstrong, Sam Bashevkin, Brendan Cornwell, Allison Dedrick, Connor Dibble, Katie DuBois, Kristen Elsmore, Grace Ha, Melissa Kardish, Nicole Kollars, Lauren Miller, Gabriel Ng, Aaron Ninokawa, Kelly Norris, Mikaela Provost, Christine Sur, and Lauren Yamane.

Spotlight



(Photo courtesy of Shay O'Farrell)

Shay O'Farrell is our newest Spotlight! O'Farrell, who hails from Ireland, is a postdoctoral research fellow in the College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences. He studies movement tracking data to understand how and why people and animals choose to go where they go. Read his full Spotlight [here!](#)



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