SSIO 2015 Internship Opportunity Position

Internship Information

Project title: Inter-Annual To Decadal-Scale Oceanic Dissolved Oxygen Variabilityclimate Change And Variability And Hypoxia Using The World Ocean Database And World Ocean Atlas

NOAA mission goal: Healthy Oceans

Hypothesis or objectives: Document Chemical and Physical Climate Change And Variability Based On The World Ocean Database And World Ocean Atlas. [For NSF Fellows]

Academic status: Graduate

Area(s) of discipline: Chemistry, Computer Science, Ecology, Geography, Information Technology, Marine And Aquatic Sciences, Meteorology, Oceanography, Physics

Internship location: Silver Spring, MD

Duties and responsibilities:
1. Ability to understanding scientific methods, ability to develop a specific research question (topic open: examples, documenting ocean heat warming, ocean acidification, fresh water fluxes, etc).
2. Query and extract ocean observations data and metadata from the World Ocean Database; derive climatological variable fields from World Ocean Atlas
3. Fundamentals of data archival, quality control, and scientific use of oceanographic profile data and metadata.
4. Study time series of ocean biochemical or physical variability based on analysis of quality-controlled ocean chemical and physical profile data in the ocean

Special skills/training required: Ideally, the fellow should have some programming experience (or ability to learn quickly) in C or FORTRAN. UNIX/PC familiarity desired. Some basic marine science background is useful.

Expected outcomes: Brief student paper/presentation

Guidance and supervision: Hernan Garcia (Chemical Oceanography)

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Internship Travel Information

Purpose (student's role): ---
Mode of transportation: ---
Date(s): ---
Destination: ---
Estimated cost: ---
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