

SCCOOS News

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Scripps Oceanography's development office invited SCCOOS and CDIP to participate in a neighborhood outreach event, celebrating SIO's leading advancements and research. It was a full day of highlighting the value of sustaining long-term ocean observations!



August 2016 Activities

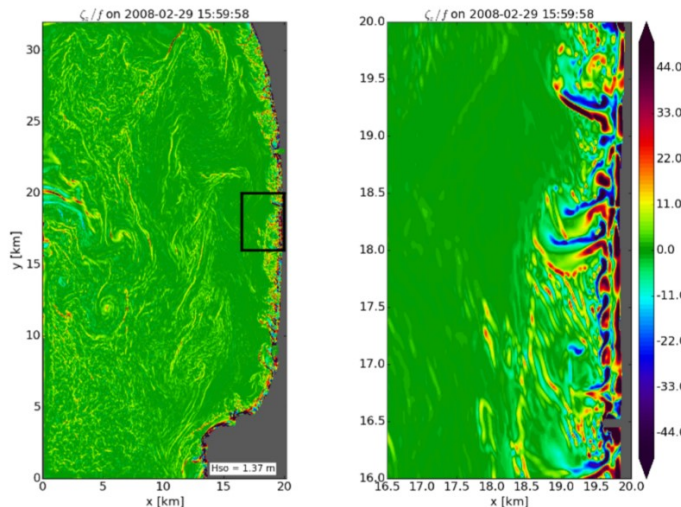
August 6	Scripps Oceanography Neighborhood Outreach
August 17	US Coast Guard Auxiliary Tour



SCCOOS Has a New Project Page: Coastal Modeling

Jim McWilliams is a Principle Investigator that specializes in coastal modeling, and works at the Department of Atmospheric and Ocean Sciences at UC Los Angeles. SCCOOS funds a portion of his coastal modeling efforts to gain insights on a wide range of issues that impact our coastal zone.

Jim uses a coupled Regional Ocean Modeling System (ROMS)/biogeochemical system and you can learn more about this project on his [SCCOOS project page](#).



Santa Monica Bay (left) with a zoom into a region off Dockweiler Beach on Feb. 29, 2008 when the surface waves were relatively large for this region. Notice the features on the shelf of the rip current patterns.

NOAA is Currently Searching for a New US IOOS Director—Help us Spread the Word



Zdenka Willis, the director of the U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS) Program office will be retiring January 2017 after more than a decade directing and guiding the U.S. IOOS Program.

NOAA has opened a national search for a Director. The full position announcement can be found at [USA Jobs](#).

The deadline for applications is September 4, 2016. The U.S. IOOS Program office is housed at [NOAA's National Ocean Service](#).



SCCOOS Board of Governors Elect a New Member—Dr. Krista Kamer

SCCOOS is happy to announce that our Board of Governors just unanimously voted in a new member, Dr. Krista Kamer. Krista brings a wealth of experience as she led the development and is now the director of California State University's Council on Ocean Affairs, Science and Technology (CSU COAST). Her 23-campus program supports marine and coastal research, providing opportunities and support for student research experiences, and building partnerships. We look forward to working with Krista and are thankful for her commitment to SCCOOS.



Join us at the 2016 WeatherFest Rally on Sept. 17th at the National Weather Service (NWS) San Diego Forecasting Office

San Diego's local [NWS forecasting office](#) is hosting a perfect family outing with full day of fun activities.

- Tours of the NWS office every 30 minutes
- Emergency vehicles & equipment on site
- Free educational Materials
- Free preparedness guides
- Meet a meteorologist
- Games for kids



Check out their flyer for more information.

Check out the Latest Post-Doctoral and Job Opportunities

The UC Davis Coastal and Marine Sciences Institute, in collaboration with CA Department of Fish & Wildlife (CDFW), are seeking to fill [three postdoctoral positions](#) in the science of adaptive management of Marine Protected Areas (MPAs). This is a unique opportunity to work at the academia-agency interface and advance the science of adaptive management in the context of one of the world's most extensive MPA networks.



The CSU Council on Ocean Affairs, Science & Technology (COAST) is searching for a part-time [Policy & External Communications Analyst](#). This is a part-time position (8-10 hours/week) with the option to work remotely from anywhere in California. Please contact [Dr. Krista Kamer](#) with questions.

COAST is the CSU system-wide affinity group for marine and coastal related activities. COAST integrates system-wide resources and promotes interdisciplinary multi-campus collaborations to advance our knowledge of California's natural coastal and marine resources and the processes that affect them. The scope of COAST includes the ocean, coast and coastal watersheds.