

Updates and Opportunities for Engagement

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The Deep Ocean Observing Strategy (DOOS) is a community-driven, international initiative strategically aligning the deep ocean observing community toward collective solution-based science.



Builds bridges across disciplines and communities



Facilitates discussions between people/groups tackling similar global deep-sea challenges



Promotes the development of future leaders and elevates diverse global voices

How do we do DOOS?

DOOS working groups address global deep sea challenges at the <u>intersection</u> of communities and disciplines.

Working groups were designed with...community input to determine priority actions,leverage existing research efforts and resources,and address defined challenges and gaps together.

Our Working Model - Align individual efforts toward shared aims of addressing challenges in the deep sea by creating a series of initiatives designed to 1) add value to the work of the global volunteers and 2) lead to novel research collaborations and external funding opportunities.

DOOS Events





- DOERs Plenary
- Community Lightning Talks
- DOOS, Community, Partner-led Breakouts
 - Deep Sea Capacity Development Monitoring & Evaluation Initiative (Ocean Discovery League)
 - Subseafloor Marine Carbon Dioxide Removal: Strategies and Knowledge Gaps (COBRA)
 - Pathways Connecting Climate Changes to the Deep Ocean (US CLIVAR/OCB)
 - Accessible Technology Solutions
 - Deepening the Decade
 - Habitat & Ecological Mapping for Place-Based Management
- Mind the Gaps! Community Conversations

DOOS

Join us virtually at the DOOS Annual Meeting

Missing Pieces: Identifying gaps and prioritizing solutions to address global deep ocean challenges

May 21-23, 2024



Register Here!



New bathymetry data of the New England Seamounts. Image courtesy of NOAA Ocean Exploration, 2021 North Atlantic Stepping Stones: New England and Corner Rise Seamounts



iDOOS Working Groups



Accessible Ocean Technology

- Leading network coordination to synergize efforts
- Creating standards and goal-driven timelines across stakeholders to rapidly expand accessible ocean tech.
- Producing synthesis reports to assess gaps and prioritize technology maturation to observe EOVs.
- Co-Creating an online community hub to connect accessible providers and users.





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Ecological Mapping



Datastream Planning

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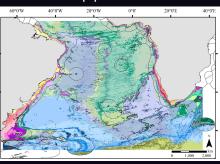


Building on a human-centred, iterative, and agile co-design strategy to facilitate the availability of deep ocean data

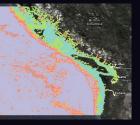
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Year 1 Year 2 Year 3 Year 4+ Creating Sharing Developing products and ssembling an required proposal(s) fo Creating analytics indicators observing Conducting observing new observing e)parameterizing specifications and inventory system simulation technical cological/habitat models/maps documentation experiments Assessin Supporting new Building understanding surveyin and of needs observatio Conducting ocean observing gaps (Re)estimating statistical Constructing derived ower analys nabitat/ecological indicators models/maps Engaging stakeholders through feedback, rough feedback, through feedback. eports, and product eports, and products reports, and products Managers, data providers, policy makers, and other stakehc ders

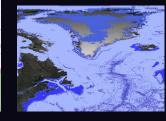
Goal - gridded regional habitat characterization maps for use across applications - MPAs, Sanctuaries and offshore wind.



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Science to Policy Translation

Listening Sessions with UN & International Bodies



Leads: Lisa Levin, Dawn Wright, Kristina Gjerde

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Designing, generating, and translating deep-ocean observations for and with international policy makers

Lisa A. Levin ^[], Laura Cimoli², Kristina Gjerde³, Harriet Harden-Davies⁴, Patrick Heimbach ^[], Diana LaScala-Gruenewald ^[], Maria Pachiadaki ^[], Helen R. Pillar⁵, Leslie M. Smith⁸, Karen Stocks⁹, Justin E. Stopa¹⁰ and Dawn J. Wright ^[]

Desktop Projects:

- Review of Deep Ocean in IOC's State of the Ocean Report - Pilot June 2022, COMPLETED
- Assessment of Ocean Data Use by RFMOs Led by Amelia Bridges and Lissette Victorero
- Climate-Related Data Gaps (AR 6) Led by Laura Cimoli, Liz Hetherington and Helen Pillar
- GESAMP Reports and the Deep Ocean TO BE INITIATED

Integrating Modeling and Observing

Bringing together observational oceanographers and modelers across physical, biogeochemical, and ecological communities...

to assess our understanding of pathways connecting the surface to the seafloor...

and to develop recommendations for improved detection and attribution of change in the global deep ocean system.

> Virtual registration open until April 16th

Pathways Connecting Climate Changes to the Deep Ocean Workshop

Tracing physical, biogeochemical, and ecological signals from surface to deep sea

A joint US CLIVAR/OCB workshop April 23-25, 2024, in Lewes, DE and virtual



Deepening the Decade!







UN Ocean Decade Conference, Level 2 Banqueting Ha CCIB Barcelond

Representatives from the projects listed below will be at the booth at the following times:

| Time | Wednesday 10 April | Thursday 11 April | Friday 12 April |
|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| 8-9 am | Closed | Closed | Opens o8:30 |
| 9-10 am | Closed | Closed | |
| 10-11 am | Digital DEPTH | | DOOS |
| 11 am -12 pm | Digital DEPTH | SMART Cables | DOOS |
| 12-1 pm | AleutBio | AleutBio | |
| 1-2 pm | COESS | Challenger 150 | COESS |
| 2-3 pm | NEPDEP | Challenger 150 | SMART Cables |
| 3-4 pm | OneDeep Ocean | | JETZON |
| 4-5 pm | OneDeep Ocean | DOSI | JETZON |
| 5-6 pm | NEPDEP | DOSI | ECOPs networking event |

DEEPENING THE DECADE

Deep Ocean Actions for a Sustainable Ocean

April 12th, 13:15 - 14:45 CCIB, Southern Ocean Room (133+134)

Featuring expert panels on:

- Deep ocean health, wealth, and the role of biodiversity •
- Progressing deep ocean observing for the next generation















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Thank you!

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