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Monterey Bay Defense Alliance Breakfast



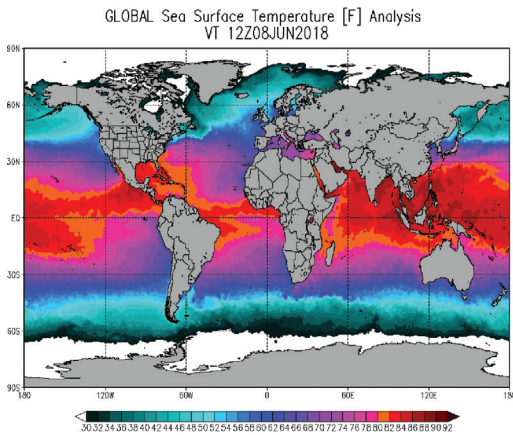
Friday, June 29, 2018

7:30-9:45 AM

Monterey Conference Center

1 Portola Plaza

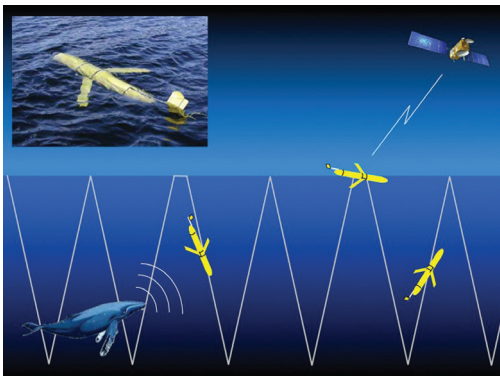
Monterey, CA 93940



Example FNMOC Product - Sea Surface Temperature



FNMOC Workforce



An Ocean Glider Collecting Data

Agenda

7:30-8:00	Registration and Networking	All Attendees
8:00-8:05	Seating	All Attendees
8:05-8:10	Welcome	Hans Uslar, Monterey Interim City Manager
8:10-8:15	Introduction of Speakers	Vice Admiral Dan Oliver, USN (Ret.)
8:15-9:00	Ocean Security: An Opportunity for the Monterey Bay Area	Rear Admiral Jon White, USN (Ret.), President and CEO Consortium for Ocean Leadership
9:00-9:05	Q&A	All Attendees
9:05-9:35	Fleet Numerical Meteorology and Oceanography Center (FNMOC)	Commander Erin Acosta, USN, Executive Officer, (FNMOC)
9:35-9:40	Q&A	All Attendees
9:40-9:45	Wrap Up	Vice Admiral Dan Oliver, USN (Ret.)



USS Paul F Foster Heading into Heavy Seas



Rear Admiral Jon White, USN (Ret), was appointed as president and CEO of the Consortium for Ocean Leadership (COL) in January 2016. COL is a consortium of the leading ocean science and technology institutions from academia, aquaria, and industry. Based in Washington, DC, COL advances ocean research,

innovation, education, and sound policy.

Admiral White's passion for the ocean and science began at a very early age as he grew up near Florida's Gulf coast. He earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Oceanographic Technology from the Florida Institute of Technology, and a Master's degree in Meteorology and Oceanography from the U.S. Naval Postgraduate School. Prior to his appointment at COL, he had a distinguished 32-year career in the U.S. Navy with numerous assignments at sea and ashore as a Naval Meteorology and Oceanography specialist. He commanded the Naval Meteorology and Oceanography Facility in Pensacola, FL, was the 50th Superintendent of the U.S. Naval Observatory in Washington, DC, and the Commander of the Naval Meteorology and Oceanography Command based at Stennis Space Center, MS.

Upon receiving his second star, Admiral White was assigned as Oceanographer and Navigator of the Navy from 2012 to 2015. This position included his appointment as the Naval Deputy to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).



Commander Erin Acosta is a native of Mechanicsburg, PA and was commissioned through the U.S. Naval Academy in 2000. She served four years at sea, including a tour as First Lieutenant aboard USS Decatur (DDG 73) and a tour as staff oceanographer, scheduler, and staff navigator for Carrier Strike Group (CSG) 2, embarked on USS George H. W. Bush.

Shore tours include Forecast Duty Officer and Command Duty Officer at the Naval European Meteorology and Oceanography Center in Rota, Spain; Joint Meteorology and Oceanography Officer at Combined Joint Task Force-Horn of Africa as an Individual Augmentee; Requirements Officer for the ISR Capabilities Division, Chief of Naval Operations Staff (OPNAV N2N6F2); and as Deputy Executive Assistant to the Oceanographer and Navigator of the Navy (OPNAV N2N6E). She also completed a special assignment as an associate fellow on the CNO's Strategic Studies Group (SSG) in Newport, R.I., an innovation think tank for the Navy. CDR Acosta commanded the Naval Oceanography Antisubmarine Warfare Center, Yokosuka, Japan. She currently serves as Executive Officer of Fleet Numerical Meteorology and Oceanography Center (FNMOC) in Monterey, CA.

Commander Acosta holds a B.S. in Physical Oceanography from the U.S. Naval Academy, and an M.S. in Meteorology and Physical Oceanography from the Naval Postgraduate School.

Our Previous Events

Friday, November 17, 2017

7:30-9:30 AM

Hyatt Regency Monterey

with Congressman Jimmy Panetta



Friday, March 30, 2018

7:30-9:45 AM

Monterey Conference Center

with Colonel Phillip J. Deppert,

Vice Admiral Ronald A. Route and Captain Richard A. Wiley



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FNMOC Flagpole with Computer Center in Background