

OCEAN CLASSROOM LIVE!

So You Want to Be an Oceanographer (Ep. 15)

EDUCATOR SUPPORT MATERIALS

THE
UNIVERSITY
OF RHODE ISLAND
GRADUATE SCHOOL
OF OCEANOGRAPHY

You're committed to studying ocean science, but once you're in college or graduate school how do you identify your research interests? Join us for the second of four Ocean Classroom (Live!) episodes to explore the many different paths towards a future in ocean science. In this episode, Holly Morin of the Inner Space Center hosts a conversation with undergraduate and graduate students and faculty at the University of Rhode Island to learn how they're framing their ocean future!

Discussion Questions

- What opportunities are available that provide experience to further explore ocean interests?
- What are emerging trends in oceanography?
- What steps do you need to take to pursue a career in oceanography?

Resources

Graduate School of Oceanography

As one of the nation's premier academic oceanographic institutions, the University of Rhode Island's Graduate School of Oceanography (GSO) educates marine scientists, students, policymakers, business leaders and citizens and helps develop the knowledge and skills necessary to address present and future marine challenges.

- GSO: <https://web.uri.edu/gso/>
- Inner Space Center: <http://innerspacecenter.org/>
- Rhode Island Teachers At Sea: <https://web.uri.edu/gso/research/outreach/rhode-island-teachers-at-sea-program/>
- Narragansett Bay Classroom: <https://web.uri.edu/gso/research/outreach/narragansett-bay-classroom/>
- GSO Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/URIGSO/>
- GSO YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/c/URIGraduateSchoolofOceanography>
- This is GSO: Melissa Omand: <https://youtu.be/Cz5Q9P-uo0w>
- Oceanography opportunities for undergraduates at URI: <https://web.uri.edu/gso/academics/undergraduate/>

- Learn about URI Graduate School of Oceanography academic programs:
<https://web.uri.edu/gso/academics/>

Other Resources

- URI Honors Program: <https://web.uri.edu/honors/>
- URI Ocean Engineering: <https://web.uri.edu/engineering/about/ocean-engineering/>
- Hydrobotics Youtube channel from when Jackson Sugar served as captain 2018+2019 -
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQcHAWOvE-uQV_XNLj1cZKw/videos

Suggested Standards

Ocean Literacy Principles

OLP7: The ocean is largely unexplored