# Research Vessel Operators Committee



## **Committee Report**

UNOLS Council Meeting June 2017
Tom Glennon

### **RVOC 2017**

- RVOC Business:
  - Tom Glennon (URI) Chair 9/2016 9/2019
  - Stewart Lamerdin (OSU) Chair Elect

#### Marine Superintendent Changes

- UAF Murray Stein retired. Doug Baird is Interim
- LDEO: Paul Ljunggren retired. Sean Higgins is new MarSup.

#### RVOC 2017 – April 19-21 New Orleans

- Hosted by Joe Malbrough/Dr. Craig McClain LUMCON ~ 65 attendees.
- Agency Reports NSF/ONR/NOAA/State Dept/NOC-NERC/NIOZ/CMRE
- JMS Annual report on ship inspection program
- UNOLS Wire Pool/East & West Coast Winch Pools
- Fleet Broad Band/Sat Comms
- Marine Insurance(Hull), Jones Act, and Public Vessels



#### RVOC 2017 cont'd

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- RVOC 2017 April 19-21 New Orleans
  - UNOLS Report
  - Safety Committee Report
  - RVTEC Mtg Update
  - Ship Scheduling Committee Report
  - Medical Services Update
  - Group Purchases Update
  - New Builds and Mid-Life Refits
- RVOC 2018 URI-GSO Narragansett, RI April 17-20
  - Safety Committee Meeting Tues 17 April 0900-1600
  - All Marsups encouraged to attend Safety Committee Meeting
  - RVOC Meeting Wed 18 April 20 April (noon)