

## Michigan Tech Water Newsletter

Please send water-related items to post in the weekly email to Carol Asiala at [glrcadmin-l@mtu.edu](mailto:glrcadmin-l@mtu.edu). We would especially like to include on-campus seminar announcements, off-campus conferences and webinars, and notifications of new funding and other member highlights.

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## 1. Recorded Events

### Panel Discussion on April 6, 2017

**"[Economics of Climate Change](#)"** organized by the Economics Club

**Moderator:** Brianna Koski, Economics Undergrad, VP of the Economics Club

**Panelists:** Dr. Gary Campbell (SBE), Dr. Sarah Green (CHEM), Dr. Nancy Langston (SS), Dr. Jessica McCarty (MTRI), Dr. Craig Waddell (HU)

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## 2. Highlights

### **[Zhaohui Wang \(ECE/GLRC\) wins CAREER Award](#)**

Zhaohui Wang (ECE/GLRC) is the principal investigator on a five-year \$500,000 NSF CAREER award for the project, ***"CAREER: Online Learning-based Underwater Acoustic Communications and Networking"***

**Joan Schumaker Chadde (CEE/GLRC)** is the principal investigator on a project that has received a \$44,518 public service grant from Wayne State University. The project is ***"Educating Educators and Their Students Everywhere to Prevent New Invaders."***

This is a two-year project.

## **Muxue Zhang was awarded the Third Place at 2017 Poster Presentation ACS Upper Peninsula Student Research Symposium**

**Muxue Zhang (GLRC)** attended at the American Chemical Society (ACS) Upper Peninsula 2017 Student Research Symposium and presented her poster on March 25 at North Michigan University. She was awarded the third place for her poster presentation on her MS thesis work about predicting the reverse osmosis (RO) rejection of toxicologically relevant organics for direct potable reuse application in wastewater reclamation processes. Muxue Zhang is a second year masters student in environmental engineering program at Michigan Tech and works with Dr. Daisuke Minakata, an assistant professor in the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering. Her work is the part of funded water reuse project looking at the intrinsic interactions between a wide variety of organics and RO membrane using computational chemistry tools.

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### **3. On-Campus Seminars**

**April 14-15, 2017**  
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#### ***Green Talks***

##### **Green Campus Enterprise**

The purpose is to inform students about the green efforts going on around campus and to give the organizations that are presenting a forum to benefit from each other's experience and resources. Often, different organizations work on similar projects, and there may be opportunities for collaboration or advice.

Noblet Forestry Building G0002      6-7:30pm Friday and 2:00-3:00pm Saturday

**Monday, April 17, 2017**  
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##### **Green Film Series: *The Messenger* (2016)**

Based upon the award-winning book, *Silence of the Songbirds*, by Stutchbury, [The Messenger](#) is an investigation into the causes of songbird mass depletion, and the people who are working to turn the tide. The film takes viewers on a visually stunning, emotional journey revealing how issues facing birds also pose daunting implications for our planet.

##### **Facilitator: David Flaspohler, SFRES**

Forestry, Hesterberg Hall G002      7:00 - 8:30 pm

**Thursday, April 20, 2017**  
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##### **Lake Superior Celebration**

*ART ~ NATURE ~ HISTORY ~ MUSIC ~ GEOHERITAGE*

Great Lakes Research Center      6:00-8:00 pm

Sponsored by: Lake Superior Stewardship Initiative, Michigan STEM Partnership, Western U.P. Center for Science, Mathematics and Environmental Education, Michigan Tech Center for Science and Environmental Outreach, and the Great Lake Research Center

**July 22-27, 2017**

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**Summer Keweenaw Geotours by Land and Boat**

**Bill Rose (GMES) and Erika Vye (GLRC)**

Five different one-day geotours are offered, focusing on Keweenaw Geoheritage, and using the RV Agassiz:

July 22: Glacial Geology

July 24: Lavas and the great rift

July 25: The Keweenaw Fault

July 26: Redbed sediments filling the Rift

July 27: Mining wastes and Lake Dynamics

For registration and more information, see this [link](#).

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#### **4. New Funding Opportunities**

New proposals can be submitted through the Great Lakes Research Center. Director Guy Meadows' signature will be needed on the PI signature page of the transmittal sheet.

[NASA ROSES 2017](#) has been announced. The table of program elements with updated due dates will be kept current in the “**Open RFPs of ongoing interest**” section of this newsletter.

#### **[Great Lakes Bay Watershed Education and Training Program \(B-WET\) FY18](#)**

NOAA-NOS-ONMS-2018-2005158

Department of Commerce, NOAA

Deadline: June 2, 2017

#### **[Coastal Watershed Restoration Grant Program for the Southeast New England Program \(SNEP\)](#)**

EPA-R1-SNEP-2017

Environmental Protection Agency

Deadline: June 12, 2017

#### **[2018-2020 Research Projects](#)**

Ohio Sea Grant

- Crude Oil Transport (e.g., risk, economic evaluation of transport methods, outreach and education materials for risk evaluation, spill and emergency preparedness)
- Pharmaceuticals and Personal Care Products (e.g., impacts to biota, ability of both wastewater and water treatment facilities to address these issues, concentrations within receiving waterbodies)
- Tourism and Coastal Economic Development (e.g., market and nonmarket value of the Lake Erie watershed)

- Aquaculture (e.g., research and extension efforts that support improvements in nutrition, reproduction, larval rearing, and genomics that seek to address questions, barriers, or hurdles impeding the advancement of aquaculture initiatives)
  - Sensor Technology Development (e.g., nutrient and toxin sensors)
  - Environmental Economics
  - Environmental Education Curriculum to compliment the Lake Erie Literacy Principles
- Pre-proposal Deadline: May 11, 2017  
 Webinar: June 15, 2017  
 Full Proposal Deadline: August 3, 2017

[Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit, Great Lakes Northern Forests CESU](#)

G17AS00052

Department of the Interior, Geological Survey

Deadline: April 14, 2107

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**Ford College Community Challenge Grant 2017**

Ford Motor Company Fund is requesting proposals for an innovative grant-making initiative: The Ford College Community Challenge. This program is designed to empower student-led projects at higher education organizations to catalyze community-building projects that address pressing local needs.

The overarching theme of the Ford College Community Challenge is ***“Making Lives Better”*** by:

- Changing the Way People Move Through Smart Mobility
- Driving Social Mobility
- Building Sustainable Communities

“At Ford, we understand that to be a truly sustainable organization, we must play an active role in the larger community, helping address a wide range of vital issues from education to safety to mobility.”

Winning proposals must address, in some creative way, a tangible, unmet community need that addresses the issue of ***Making Lives Better***. Participants are urged to think broadly and explore a variety of potential topics including infrastructure and workforce needs, education pipeline issues, design issues, new approaches to student volunteerism, etc.

Up to 10 winning proposals will be selected to receive \$25,000 each from Ford Motor Company Fund to support implementation of the proposed projects. Winning proposals must, at a minimum:

1. Describe an innovative approach to ***Making Lives Better***
2. Involve students in a leadership role
3. Seek to address an urgent and unmet community need in a tangible way

4. Involve a community-based organization as a partner
5. Involve the school of business, engineering, or design in some way

Faculty and staff who would like to submit a proposal should contact Pete Cattelino, Office of Industry Relations ([pjcattel@mtu.edu](mailto:pjcattel@mtu.edu), 487-3486), to obtain a full RFP and further information. Please provide a 1 or 2 sentence overview of your proposal idea.

- Submission deadline of **Wednesday, April 26, 2017**.
  - Twenty proposals from the 1st round will be selected in early June 2017 to advance to the 2nd round of the competition. These proposals will be asked to provide an additional “elevator speech” description of their projects, delivered via video.
  - Award winners will be announced and projects implemented in fall 2017.
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## **5. Request Contribution numbers for GLRC Publications**

Please email Carol Asiala ([glrcadmin-1@mtu.edu](mailto:glrcadmin-1@mtu.edu)) when you are preparing publications. We are continuing to follow in the time-honored tradition of many Institutes by recognizing Contribution Numbers in papers that we publish in the peer-reviewed literature. You are welcome to participate. All you need to do is -

1. Contact Carol Asiala/Beth Hoy ([glrcadmin-1@mtu.edu](mailto:glrcadmin-1@mtu.edu)) to request a Contribution Number. Please provide as much citation info as possible - author(s), title, journal/book, etc.
2. Add to your acknowledgements section, "This is Contribution No. \_ of the Great Lakes Research Center at Michigan Tech."
3. Get back to Carol when your paper is in print and give her the volume and page numbers.

Your participation is welcomed for this effort to enhance the visibility of the GLRC.

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## **6. Reports and Action Plans**

### **[Federal Science Partners Periodic Update](#)**

April 6, 2017

### **[Great Lakes Connections](#)**

International Joint Commission newsletter  
March 2017

### **[Human Health Effects of Cyanobacterial Toxins in the Great Lakes Region: A Science and Monitoring Assessment](#)**

International Joint Commission, February 2017

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## 7. Conferences & Webinars

### **Wednesday, April 19, 2017**

#### **The Current Webinar 27: *Nitrogen Management in Tile Drained Landscapes***

North Central Region Water Network

[Register here](#)

3:00 - 4:00 pm ET

### **May 10-11, 2017**

#### **[Untrouble the Waters](#)**

Freshwater Lab Summit 2017

University of Illinois at Chicago

### **May 15-19, 2017**

#### **International Association for Great Lakes Research (IAGLR)**

IAGLR Theme for 2017: *“From Cities to Farms: Shaping Great Lakes Ecosystems”*

Detroit, MI

### **Monday, May 15, 2017**

#### **Event Invitation - Fish Spawning Reef Planning Techniques**

Register now for a professional development seminar on planning techniques for fish spawning reef projects. The seminar is being held in conjunction with the [IAGLR conference](#) in Detroit.

*You do not need to register for IAGLR to participate.*

This team-taught seminar will explore strategies for establishing fish spawning reefs to promote the recovery of native species. Specific topics will include site assessment and selection, hydrodynamics and sedimentation concerns, reef design and construction strategies, and monitoring of early life stages of fish. Participants will discuss how techniques used in the St. Clair and Detroit rivers could be applied in other locations.

The seminar is open to all types of restoration practitioners, including professional engineers, biologists, project managers, students, researchers and anyone hoping to champion, design or monitor a constructed spawning reef in Great Lakes nearshore areas, connecting channels or larger rivers. Participants will receive a certificate showing they completed 7 hours of continuing education suitable for professional license renewals.

When: 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday, May 15, 2017

Where: Cobo Center, 1 Washington Blvd, Detroit, Michigan

Costs: \$75 for professionals, \$30 for students (includes lunch)

### **May 31 - June 1, 2017**

#### **Emerging Contaminants in the Aquatic Environment Conference**

The Illinois Sustainable Technology Center (ISTC) and Illinois-Indiana Sea Grant (IISG)

Champaign, IL

Abstract Deadline: Feb 6, 2017

**May 31 - June 2, 2017**

**Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Green Infrastructure Conference**

Detroit, MI

**July 20-21, 2017**

**2017 Naval Future Force Science and Technology (S&T) EXPO**

Walter E. Washington Convention Center in Washington, D.C.

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**8. Open RFPs of ongoing interest**

**2017 National Fish Habitat Action Plan**

F17AS00016

Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service

Deadline: Applications are accepted on a rolling basis

**Conservation Innovation Grant**

USDA-NRCS-PR-CIG-17-01

Department of Agriculture, Natural Resources Conservation Service

Deadline: April 28, 2017

**BOEM FY 2017 Environmental Studies Program**

M17AS00012

Department of the Interior, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management

Deadline: April 28, 2017

**Cooperative Training Partnership in Aquatic Toxicology and Ecosystem Research**

EPA-G2017-ORD-E1

Environmental Protection Agency

Deadline: May 16, 2017

**Cooperative Program for Atmospheric Science Education**

NOAA-SEC-OED-2017-2005168

Department of Commerce, NOAA

Deadline: May 17, 2017

**2018 Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant Program**

USDA-FS-UCF-01-2018

Department of Agriculture, Forest Service

Deadline: May 24, 2017 Due to Dept. Administration Hold on all grant RFP Announcements.

This RFP status is pending.

**National Fish Passage Program**

F17AS00030

Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service

Deadline: September 30, 2017

**Coastal Program F17AS00014**

Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service

Deadline: September 30, 2017

**FY2016 to FY2017 NOAA Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)**

**NOAA-NFA-NFAPO-2016-2004791**

Department of Commerce, NOAA

Deadline: September 30, 2017

**Partners for Fish and Wildlife**

F17AS00015

Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service

Deadline: September 30, 2017

**MI DEQ Nonpoint Source RFP schedule (based on FY2017)**

**–plan next year’s program in advance**

Watershed Plans must be submitted for Approval: Feb 2016

Draft RFP information Released: June 2016

Implementation RFP Released: July 2016

New Watershed Plans must be 319 Approved: 7/20/16

Notice of Intent Letters due: 8/17/16

Invitations for Full Proposals sent via e-mail: 8/31/16

Proposals due: 10/16/16

Projects Awarded: Early Summer 2017

**NSF Announcements:**

<b>Program Nbr</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Proposal Deadline</b>
16-509	<u>Long-Term Ecological Research (LTER) New Site Competition</u>	No date set for next year yet Pre-Proposal: Feb. 1, 2016 Full Proposal: Aug. 2, 2016
16-503	<u>National Science Foundation Research Traineeship Program (NRT)</u>	No date set for next year yet LOI: December 9, 2016 Prop: February 7, 2017
15-609	<u>Division of Environmental Biology (core programs) (DEB)</u>	Pre-Proposal: Jan. 23, 2017 Full Proposal: Aug 2, 2017
16-500	<u>Long Term Research in Environmental Biology (LTREB)</u>	Pre-Proposal: Jan. 23, 2017 Full Proposal: Aug 2, 2017
17-543	<u>Antarctic Research</u>	May 23, 2017
16-571	<u>Partnerships for International Research and Education (PIRE)</u>  Limited Submission –Internal Deadline:	Pre-Proposal: Sept 14, 2016 Full Proposal: Apr 24, 2017 August 3, 2016
15-555	<u>Faculty Early Career Development Program (CAREER)</u>	July 19, 2017: BIO, CISE, EHR July 20, 2017: ENG July 21, 2017: GEO, MPS, SBE
14-559	<u>Opportunities for Promoting Understanding through Synthesis (OPUS)</u>	August 1, 2017



15-506	<u>Science, Technology, and Society (STS)</u>	August 3, 2017
15-577	<u>Collections in Support of Biological Research (CSBR)</u>	August 14, 2017
PD 98-1650	<u>Biological Oceanography</u>	August 15, 2017
PD 98-1610	<u>Physical Oceanography</u>	August 15, 2017
PD 98-1670	<u>Chemical Oceanography</u>	August 15, 2017
PD 98-1620	<u>Marine Geology &amp; Geophysics</u>	August 15, 2017
PD 17-7643	<u>Environmental Sustainability</u>	October 20, 2017
PD 17-1417	<u>Chemical and Biological Separations</u>	October 20, 2017
PD-17-1440	<u>Environmental Engineering</u>	October 20, 2017
PD 09-6882	<u>Environmental Chemical Sciences (ECS)</u>	October 31, 2017
13-589	<u>Oceanographic Facilities and Equipment Support</u> Ship Operations Oceanographic Technical Services Oceanographic Instrumentation Shipboard Scientific Support Equipment Ship Acquisition and Upgrade & Other Facility Activities	November 15, 2017 November 15, 2017 December 15, 2017 December 15, 2017 Accepted Anytime
15-536	<u>Research Experiences for Teachers (RET) in Engineering and Computer Science</u> Limited Submission – Internal Deadline:	November 1, 2017 ? not posted yet for 2017
15-600	<u>Integrated Earth Systems (IES)</u>	November 14, 2017
14-601	<u>Dynamics of Coupled Natural and Human Systems (CNH)</u>	November 21, 2017
16-506	<u>Improvements in Facilities, Communications, and Equipment at Biological Field Stations and Marine Laboratories (FSML)</u>	December 8, 2017
15-568	<u>Earth Sciences Postdoctoral Fellowships (EAR-PF)</u>	January 9, 2018
15-504	<u>Major Research Instrumentation Program (MRI)</u> Limited Submission –Internal Deadline:	January 10, 2018 October 25, 2017
16-517	<u>National Robotics Initiative (NRI)</u>	January 11, 2018
PD 98-1680	<u>Ocean Technology and Interdisciplinary Coordination</u>	February 15, 2018
17-527	<u>NSF Scholarships in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (S-STEM)</u>	March 28, 2018
15-558	<u>Hydrologic Sciences (HS)</u>	Accepted Anytime
PD-06-5740	<u>Climate and Large-Scale Dynamics</u>	Accepted Anytime
15-560	<u>Geomorphology and Land-use Dynamics (GLD)</u>	Accepted Anytime
<u>15-516</u>	<u>Earth Sciences: Instrumentation and Facilities (EAR/IF)</u>	Accepted Anytime
16-595	<u>Arctic Research Opportunities</u>	Accepted Anytime

## NASA ROSES 2016

APPENDIX	PROGRAM	NOI/Step 1 DUE DATE [2]	PROPOSAL DUE DATE
A.3	<u>Ocean Biology and Biogeochemistry</u>	02/13/2017 Step-1	04/13/2017 Step-2
A.25	<u>Rapid Response and Novel Research in Earth Science</u>	N/A	Rolling Submissions through 3/31/2017
A.51	<u>Earth Science Applications: Food Security and Agriculture</u>	2/17/2017	4/7/2017
E.3	<u>Topical Workshops, Symposia, and Conferences</u>	N/A	Rolling Submissions through 3/31/2017

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A.1	<a href="#">Earth Science Research Program Overview</a>	N/A	N/A
A.2	<a href="#">Land-Cover/Land-Use Change</a>	4/3/2017 (NOI)	6/8/2017
A.8	<a href="#">Supporting UN Sustainable Development Goals 14 and 15 in the Context of Climate Variability and Change</a>	TBD	TBD
A.9	<a href="#">ECOSTRESS Science Team</a>	TBD	TBD
A.10	<a href="#">Physical Oceanography</a>	5/30/2017	6/30/2017
A.11	<a href="#">Ocean Salinity Science Team</a>	7/31/2017	8/31/2017
A.14	<a href="#">Ocean Vector Winds Science Team</a>	9/29/2017	10/30/2017
A.16	<a href="#">Cryospheric Science</a>	5/16/2017	6/16/2017
A.17	<a href="#">IceBridge Research</a>	10/3/2017	11/3/2017
A.19	<a href="#">Solar Irradiance Science Team</a>	8/4/2017	10/6/2017
A.20	<a href="#">Atmospheric Composition: Laboratory Research</a>	N/A	5/26/2017
A.23	<a href="#">Fire Impacts on Regional to Global Scales: Emissions, Chemistry, Transport, and Models</a>	N/A	6/16/2017
A.24	<a href="#">DSCOVR Science Team</a>	TBD	TBD
A.25	<a href="#">Terrestrial Hydrology</a>	5/24/2017	7/12/2017
A.28	<a href="#">Earth Surface and Interior</a>	3/31/2017	5/15/2017
A.29	<a href="#">Rapid Response and Novel Research in Earth Science</a>	N/A	Rolling submissions through 3/29/2018
A.33	<a href="#">Science Team for the OCO Missions</a>	N/A	9/14/2017
A.34	<a href="#">Earth System Science Pathfinder (ESSP) Venture-class Science Investigations: Earth Venture Suborbital-3</a>	TBD	TBD
A.36	<a href="#">New (Early Career) Investigator Program in Earth Science</a>	7/31/2017	8/31/2017
A.37	<a href="#">The Science of Terra, Aqua, Suomi NPP, and JPSS</a>	TBD	TBD
A.39	<a href="#">Earth Science Applications: Health and Air Quality</a>	TBD	TBD
A.40	<a href="#">Earth Science Applications: Disaster Risk Reduction and Resilience</a>	TBD	TBD
A.42	<a href="#">Advancing Collaborative Connections for Earth System Science</a>	TBD	TBD
A.43	<a href="#">Making Earth System Data Records for Use in Research Environments</a>	4/21/2017	5/22/2017
A.45	<a href="#">Computational Modeling Algorithms and Cyberinfrastructure</a>	5/25/2017	7/27/2017
E.2	<a href="#">Topical Workshops, Symposia, and Conferences</a>	N/A	Rolling submissions through 03/29/2018

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## 9. Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Water Resources Systems

Currently enrolled students can download the [Certificate Degree Schedule](#) to plan their coursework. When they have completed the required courses, or are enrolled in the last ones, the certificate degree schedule should be submitted to Nancy Byers Sprague ([nspr@mtu.edu](mailto:nspr@mtu.edu)) in the Graduate School.

### Request from CWS:

If you plan to complete the certificate, please email Carol Asiala ([mtcws@mtu.edu](mailto:mtcws@mtu.edu))

- If you are not already on the **glrc-student-community-1** email list, you will be added and will receive announcements of water-related activities and the opportunity to apply for travel and research grants.
- We would like to keep a list of students working towards the certificate, and then we also have an idea of which students need to enroll in the UN5100, the Water and Society colloquium course.

### Links to certificate degree schedule:

CWS Web page: [http://www.mtcws.mtu.edu/education\\_gradcert.html](http://www.mtcws.mtu.edu/education_gradcert.html)

Grad School:

<http://www.mtu.edu/gradschool/administration/academics/forms-deadlines/pdfs/Certificates-ICSW.pdf>

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## 10. Student Research Grants (**August 11**) and Travel Grants (**April 28**)

**Research Awards:** Graduate and undergraduate research awards are now due the first Friday in **December** and **March** of each year, and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday in **August**.

**December 9, 2016**    **March 3, 2017**    **August 11, 2017**

Each award can be up to \$750. Awards can also be used to support undergraduate research in formal class settings (e.g. Enterprise, Senior Design, Pavlis, senior thesis, capstone classes etc.). The research should support the Center's mission (<http://www.mtcws.mtu.edu/about.html#mission>).

**Travel Awards:** Graduate student travel grants (\$500) are also available through the Center for Water and Society to present a water related paper at a conference. Applications are reviewed on the **last Friday of each month**, and must be submitted at least **2 weeks in advance** of planned travel.

Applications for **Travel and Research** grants are online at:

<http://www.mtu.edu/greatlakes/about/documents/glrc-travel-grant-app.pdf>

Student advisors must be a faculty member of the GLRC (**CWS Faculty**) or the students must be supported on a GLRC-affiliated research grant.

Students will also be required to indicate how they would like to provide a return on the GLRC investment. Options include:

- a. presenting a poster at World Water Day in March;
  - b. assisting with preparations for World Water Day;
  - c. assisting with GLRC-sponsored outreach activities;
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## **11. Colloquium Course – UN5100 – Spring 2017**

### **Water & Society Colloquium Course**

**Spring 2017 Topic:** *“Holistic Health Assessment for a Waterborne Contaminant from Multiple Perspectives”*

**Course Number:** UN5100, CRN 13023, 1 credit

**Time/Location:** Tuesdays 3:35-4:25 in **Dow 875 (Confirmed)**

**Course Organizer:** Noel Urban ([nurban@mtu.edu](mailto:nurban@mtu.edu))

[http://www.mtcws.mtu.edu/education\\_colloquium.html](http://www.mtcws.mtu.edu/education_colloquium.html)

Each week, participants will read a journal paper or scientific report in preparation of discussion sessions on Tuesdays. Select films from the Green Film series (held Thursday evenings) will be used in lieu of the paper/Tuesday discussions. Students not registered for the course and faculty are encouraged to participate.

Discussion sessions will be led by a group of students and faculty. This group will prepare a few questions or comments the week preceding the discussion and send these to the class as a way to begin focusing the discussion. The group will begin the discussion session with a 10-minute summary of the major issues covered by the preceding week’s reading and repeat the discussion questions.

This course (or SS 5325) is required for the CWS Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Water Resources Systems.

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## **12. Seminar Speaker Support Program**

Great Lakes Research Center members can apply for assistance in bringing seminar speakers to Michigan Tech. Lecture topics should be of interest to the GLRC, and the visit should correspond with GLRC goals. The **Seminar Speaker Request** form should be emailed to Carol Asiala at [mtcws@mtu.edu](mailto:mtcws@mtu.edu).

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## **13. CUAHSI (Consortium of Universities for the Advancement of Hydrologic Science, Inc.)**

Michigan Technological University is a member university of CUAHSI (<http://www.cuahsi.org>) through the support of the Center for Water & Society and the CEE and GMES departments. Explore their website for resources available to faculty and research.

**CUAHSI Cyberseminar Schedule:** <https://www.cuahsi.org/Cyberseminars>

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## **14. Job Opportunities**

### **[Civil Engineer \(Hydraulics\)](#)**

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers  
Job Announcement Number SWGJ178713641936974R  
1 vacancy in the following location: Buffalo, NY  
Opened: Monday 4/3/2017  
Closes: Wednesday 4/19/2017

### **[Habitat Restoration Engineer/Scientist](#)**

NOAA Great Lakes Environmental Research Lab in Ann Arbor, M  
Posted April 11, 2017

### **[Director of the Lake Erie Center](#)**

University of Toledo  
Application review in early April 2017

### **[Director of Freshwater Research](#)**

### **[Director of Marine Research](#)**

Shedd Aquarium

### **[IAGLR Job Board](#)**

Job Opportunities in the Great Lakes

### **[The Stewardship Network – Job Postings](#)**

### **State of Minnesota**

Hydrologist & Natural Resources positions

**<https://statejobs.doer.state.mn.us/JobPosting>**

Search on Job Grouping=Environmental Sciences

Or Department = Pollution Control Agency (includes summer jobs for students)

### **[The Ohio Environmental Council – Careers & Internships](#)**

### **[Positions posted on CUAHSI web site](#)**

(Careers/fellowships/post-docs/research assistantships/faculty positions)

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## 15. Student Opportunities

### [Superior Watershed Partnership summer positions](#)

posted April 3, 2017

### [Michigan Sea Grant Fellowships](#)

University of Michigan + Michigan State University, NOAA

Deadline: May 26, 2017

### **Graduate fellowships with Michigan Sea Grant or a partner organization**

- [Michigan Sea Grant Graduate Student Fellowship](#): May 26, 2017

### **May 15-19, 2017**

### **International Association for Great Lakes Research (IAGLR)**

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Detroit, MI

### [Graduate Research & Training Scholarship Program \(GRTSP\)](#)

NOAA

Applications accepted twice per year

### [Sea Change - climate change on Lake Superior through sailing experience](#)

- month-long voyage - May 5 - June 4, 2017
- seeking crew, ages 18-25
- includes data collection, research, citizen engagement
- also view web page: <http://www.amicusadventuresailing.com/sea-change.html>

### **Research Associateship Programs**

The National Academies

4 application deadlines throughout the year

Participating agencies include: NOAA and EPA