SCRIPPS INSTITUTION OF OCEANOGRAPHY THREE RESEARCH SCIENTIST POSITIONS

Scripps Institution of Oceanography (SIO, http://sio.ucsd.edu/) invites applications for full time Research positions (9-month academic year appointment) to be funded by extramural research grants and contracts. The appointments may be at the **Assistant, Associate, or Full Research** level with rank and salary depending on qualifications and experience. Associate level appointments receive 25% matching salary support from SIO funds, and Full appointments receive 50% matching salary support for the academic year (subject to availability of institutional funds). Start-up funds and moving expenses may be available.

1) **Oceans and Atmospheres**: Candidates with research interests and experience in physical oceanography, meteorology, climate sciences, or closely related fields are invited to apply. Possible research areas include ocean-atmosphere observations and analysis, general circulation modeling, data assimilation, instrumentation for oceanic and atmospheric observations, and geophysical fluid dynamics.

2) **Physical Coastal Oceanography:** Candidates with research interests and experience in observational oceanography of inshore waters are invited to apply. Possible research areas include but are not limited to wind-driven flows, mixing, internal waves, coastal and estuarine circulation and sediment transport. Collaborations with chemical and biological oceanographers are encouraged.

3) **Marine Biology/Biological Oceanography**: Candidates with research interests and experience in any aspect of marine biology or biological oceanography are invited to apply. Possible research areas include planktonic, pelagic and benthic ecology, systematics, biophysics, and the biochemical, genetic, or physiological bases of adaptations to marine environments.

All candidates will be judged on the basis of research excellence and ability to contribute to the diverse research programs at SIO. Interdisciplinary research is especially encouraged and the search committees will share candidate files when appropriate. Junior candidates should demonstrate outstanding potential to obtain extramural funding for their research; more senior candidates are expected to have a record of such funding. Researchers often obtain lecturer appointments in the SIO Graduate Department and serve as graduate student advisors; participation in SIO/UCSD undergraduate education is also possible.

Interested applicants should send curriculum vitae, statement of research expertise, immigration status, selected reprints, and names and address of three suggested referees to:

Chair, Search Committee (Specify position) c/o Leslie Costi, 0209 Scripps Institution of Oceanography 9500 Gilman Drive La Jolla, CA 92093-0209

Application review will begin 7/1/06 and will continue until position(s) have been filled.

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