What’s up at IARC?

Announcements

- Hajo Eicken will be on travel in Japan and attending ASSW/ISAR-4 April 18 – May 9. In his absence, Scott Rupp will serve as IARC Acting Deputy Director.

- North Pacific Research Board (NPRB) is planning to release its first broad call for proposals for Arctic research in May. Interested researchers may wish to consult some of the background information posted here.

- Open Enrollment has begun. For more information, contact Christi Lepley or go here.


Upcoming proposal deadlines (For more information, contact Elizabeth Lilly):


- US Fish & Wildlife Service Multistate Conservation Grant Program (F15AS00181), Letter of intent deadline May 11, full proposals due August 14

- Department of Defense – ESTCP (Technology Transfer Solicitation), deadline May 15

- NSF Research Experience for Undergraduates (NSF 13-542), deadline: May 22

- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Graduate Fellowships for master's and doctoral level students in environmental fields of study (approx. 55 new fellowships in the fall of 2015), deadline May 26

- NSF Belmont Forum – Multilateral International Opportunities Fund (NSF 15-074), Pre-proposals due June 1

- US Department of Agriculture (USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004875) Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Food Security Challenge Area, deadline June 4

- Department of Education Office of Postsecondary Education: Alaska Native-Serving Program (ED-GRANTS-041015-001), (Note: This requires working with a lead institute that is qualified as Alaska-Native serving – UAF does not meet the requirements, but Ilisagvik College does.) deadline June 9
US Fish & Wildlife Service Arctic Landscape Conservation Cooperative (F15AS00187), [http://arcticlcc.org/grants/](http://arcticlcc.org/grants/), Letter of intent deadline **June 19**

NOAA FY2106 Implementation of the US Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS) NOAA-NOS-IOOS-2016-2004378, deadline **August 31**

NSF Building Community and Capacity in Data Intensive Research in Education (NSF 14-517), deadline **September 1**

**IARC or UAF Events/Workshops/Presentations**

- **IARC Seminar Series** will begin again in Fall 2015, thanks to Yekatrina Kontar for arranging these fine seminars!

- **April 28**, 10:00 a.m., **UAF Research Day**, Wood Center Ballroom, Undergraduate Research & Scholarly Activity

- **May 1**, 5:00 p.m., First Friday: Science as Art – Satellite Imagery, Alaska Satellite Facility, 204 Akasofu

- **May 4**, 1:00 p.m., UAF Faculty Senate Meeting, Wood Center Ballroom

- **May 5**, 10:00 a.m., ACCAP Alaska Climate Webinar
  Todd Brinkman, UAF Wildlife Ecology, “Climate-Driven Changes in Interactions among Hunters, Wildlife, and Habitat” - Go [here](http://arcticlcc.org/grants/) to register; contact [Tina Buxbaum](http://arcticlcc.org/grants/) for more information.

**Accomplishments**

- **Papers published:**
  - Joshua Walston, Georgina Gibson, John Walsh
  
    Biogeochemical analysis of ancient Pacific Cod bone suggests Hg bioaccumulation was linked to paleo sea level rise and climate change. Frontiers in Environmental Science. 1-8, 2015

- **Awards:**
  - PI Igor Polyakov
    NSF supplemental funding, the NABOS project 2015 summer research cruise, $2.12 million