

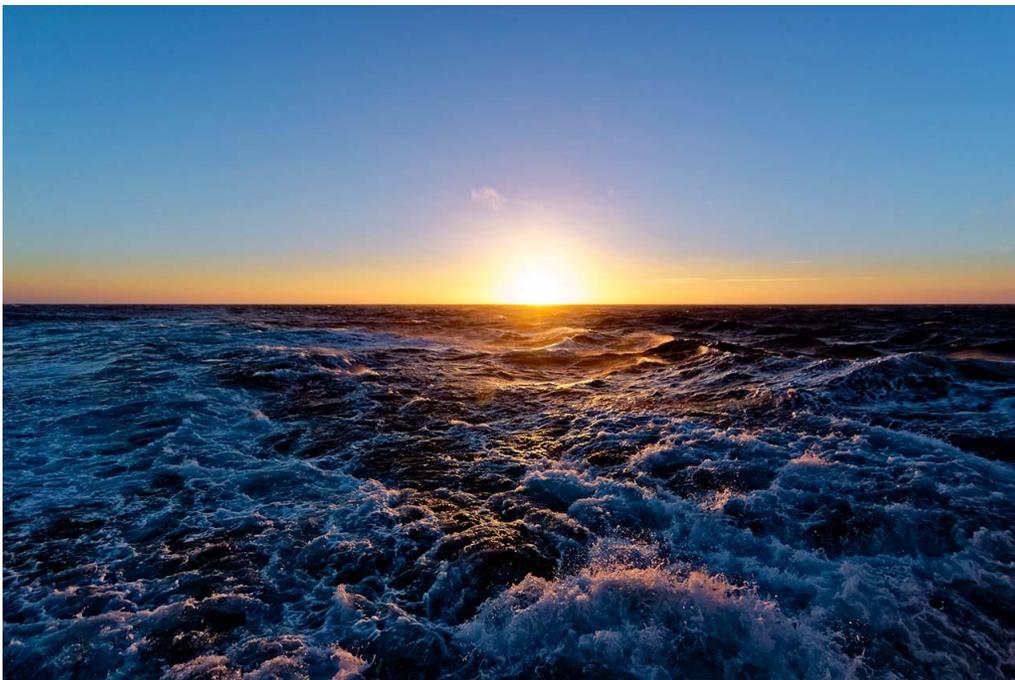
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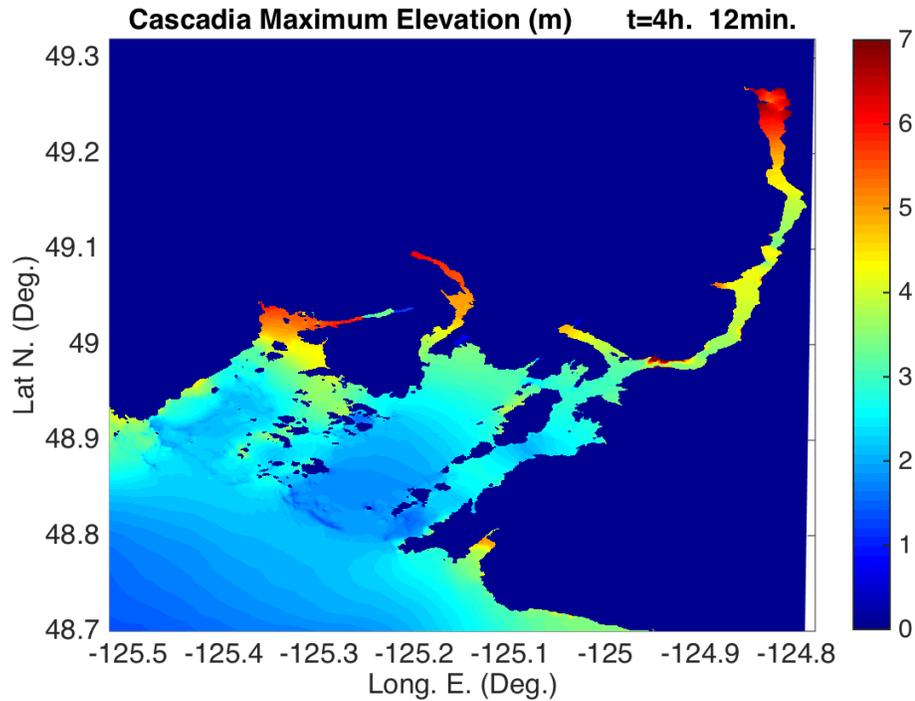
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Expedition 2016 Wrap-up



Ocean Networks Canada's (ONC) Expedition 2016: Wiring the Abyss returned to port on 25 June after 40 days at sea off the west coast of Canada. This ambitious undertaking involved 149 people aboard three ships, and included three remotely operated vehicles (ROV) making 44 dives to deploy, maintain and recover 180 instruments and lay 18 km of fibre-optic cable. The dynamic 24/7 operations engaged viewers across the world via live stream and featured regular Q&A with scientists, educators and engineers. [Read more.](#)

Innovation



Tsunami Models Used for Preparedness Exercise in Port Alberni

ONC's preliminary tsunami models for Barkley Sound and the City of Port Alberni were integrated into Emergency Management BC's first ever full-scale earthquake and tsunami response exercise: Exercise Coastal Response in Port Alberni 7 - 10 June. [Read more.](#)



Port Alberni's Exercise Coastal Response

ONC's preliminary tsunami models were integrated into Exercise Coastal Response, Emergency Management BC's first ever full-scale earthquake and tsunami response exercise. Staff scientist Tania Insua led ONC's tsunami modeling project. She traveled to Port Alberni to take part in this ground-breaking week and to experience the aftermath of an earthquake first-hand. [Read more.](#)

Science



Partnering to Expand Ocean Networks' Reach from Sea to Sky

ONC is partnering with researchers and organizations to add critical ocean sensors from sea to sky. ONC and [Dr. Maycira Costa](#) of the University of Victoria are working together to install a ferry-based sensor system focused on the calibration of satellite data for ocean health monitoring. [Read more.](#)

Learning



Ocean Networks Canada Attends 28th Annual Prince Rupert Seafest

For the second year in a row ONC's Learning and Engagement team members, Mercedes McLean and Jessica Brown, participated in the two-day festival that celebrates everything northern, including three-on-three basketball tournaments, tours of navy ships, arm wrestling competitions, a Swim for Survival race, a sail past, a kayak fire drill race, and much more. [Read more.](#)

Announcements



Naval Commander Tacks into New Waters with ONC

Effective July 4, Naval Commander Brigitte Boutin will lead the ONC's strategic financial and corporate operations plan as it delivers ocean science and big data to Canada and the world. [Read more.](#)

Conferences & Workshops

[25-27 July | INCISE - Victoria, BC](#)

Call for Abstracts! The following conferences are accepting abstracts. Visit their sites for more information:

- [19-22 Sept | Oceans/IEEE, Monterey, California](#)
- [21-24 Sept | EPOC, Mt. Hood, Oregon](#)
- [2-13 Nov | PICES, San Diego, California](#)

ONC Student Award Program

Need travel support to present your research results? ONC has funds to support student and post-doc presentations at national and international symposia related to research using ONC data. Students planning to present a paper where ONC contributed directly to research outcomes are encouraged to apply for consideration of an award. Awards of up to \$1000 are available, depending on the level of demand. Students should apply by

submitting a one page proposal to the [Richard Dewey](#), Associate Director, Science Services including: conference details, the presentation abstract, and a summary of the ONC data contributing to the research. There is no deadline for the award applications, but the proposal must be received well in advance of the event.

In The News

Articles

[Imagine this: when the Big One hits](#) | Pique

[Monique Keiran: We should look more deeply at the sea](#) | Times Colonist

[Opinion: Get to know the ocean](#) | Vancouver Sun

[Web Extra: What Does Our Future Look Like?](#) | Douglas Magazine

[A Computer Network on the Ocean Floor](#) | Professional Employees Association

[Comment: B.C. leading in climate-change initiatives](#) | Times Colonist

[Video and story: Keeping oceans safe on the North Coast](#) | Northern View

[Canadian earthquake detector has deep-sea edge over US rival](#) | Nature

Video

[People of the Port](#) | Port Metro

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