

**Partnership for Observation of the Global Oceans,
Plymouth Marine Laboratory and
Atlantic Meridional Transect
Special Visiting Fellowship On-Board an AMT Cruise 2017**



What does the fellowship consist of?

- 1 month cruise preparation at Plymouth Marine Laboratory (PML)
- 6-week cruise participation (21st September-5th November 2017)
- 1 month at PML following cruise for data analysis and interpretation
- Options for a) Multidisciplinary Training; or b) Specific research project



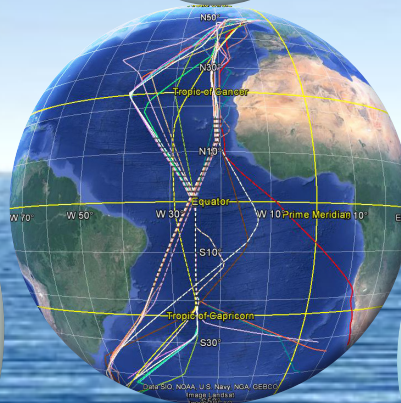
Scientific Questions

- How do the structure, functional properties and trophic status of the major planktonic ecosystems vary in space and time?
- How do physical processes control the rates of nutrient supply to the planktonic system?
- How do atmosphere-ocean exchange and photodegradation influence the formation and fate of organic matter?

What are the benefits?

- A unique opportunity to participate in a major international, multidisciplinary cruise programme that has been running since 1995
- One-on-one supervision and guidance for a research project, including hands-on ship-board training
- Networking and collaboration opportunities with internationally renowned scientists

**Deadline
31st March
2017**



What is covered?

- Travel from home country to PML and from PML to join and return from the ship
- Monthly stipend for the time spent at PML
- Accommodation for joining and leaving ship
- Seafaring medical and sea survival course

What is needed to apply?

- Application form
- Letter of recommendation
- Letter of acceptance from prospective supervisor (for specific research project)

Who can apply?

- Scientists
- Technicians
- Postgraduate students (PhD/MSc)
- Post-doctoral fellows
- ..citizens of developing countries /countries with economies in transition

Priority is given to early-career scientists

What is NOT covered?

- Domestic travel in home country
- Visa costs and insurance
- Salary

