

Open call to host an  
**ECORD Summer School in 2016**  
at your institution

Deadline to apply: **May 5th, 2015**

The European Consortium for Ocean Research Drilling (ECORD) calls for applications to host an ECORD Summer School for graduate students and early career scientists at your institution in **summer 2016**. Thematic topics of the Summer School should cover the research areas of the **Science Plan** (<http://www.iodp.org/science-plan-for-2013-2023>) of the International Ocean Discovery Program (IODP): • Climate and ocean Change • Biosphere Frontier • Earth connections • Earth in Motion



Photo: Urbino Summer School 2014  
Provided by Igor Niezgodzki

Interested institutions are requested to send a proposal outlining the concept, the research topics, the structure, the location and the budget plan of the proposed summer school (max. 20 page). Awards of up to € 10,000 will be considered to (co) sponsor the organisational costs of these events. Advice and support can be obtained from ESSAC Office.

To apply, please send your full proposal in electronic form with the subject line **"Host ECORD Summer School 2016"** to [essac.office@erdw.ethz.ch](mailto:essac.office@erdw.ethz.ch) by the closing date of **May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015**.

After consideration by the ECORD Science Support and Advisory Committee (ESSAC), the awards will be announced early June 2015 to provide the selected organiser(s) with sufficient time to prepare the future summer school(s).

ECORD will also provide 10 to 15 ECORD Scholarships to support students wishing to attend the summer schools and a call to apply will be announced early 2016.



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