

Preliminary Program

Day 1 (Monday) will focus on the fundamentals of MicroRider usage. The material will be geared towards both technical and scientific personnel.

10:00 – 11:30	Unit One: Introduction to the MicroRider	
11:30 – 11:45	Break	
11:45 – 13:30	Unit Two: Data Acquisition Software I	
13:30 – 15:30	Lunch	
15:30 – 16:30	Unit Two: Data Acquisition Software II	
16:30 – 16:45	Break	
16:45 – 18:00	Unit Three: Pre-deployment Checks	
Day 2 (Tuesday) is the field test; all course participants must attend. We will breakout into two sequential groups for higher instructor to participant ratio.		

9:00 – 12:30	Unit Four: Glider Deployment (session 1)
13:00 – 16:30	Unit Four: Glider Deployment (session 2)

Day 3 (Wednesday) will cover the technical aspects of data processing. The material is geared towards the scientific user.

10:00 – 11:30	Unit Five: MicroRider Maintenance	
11:30 – 11:45	Break	
11:45 – 13:30	Unit Six: Data Conversion & Processing I	
13:30 – 15:30	Lunch	
15:30 – 16:30	Unit Six: Data Conversion & Processing II	
16:30 – 16:45	Break	
16:45 – 18:00	Unit Seven: Signal Conditioning	
20:00 – late	Workshop dinner	
Day 4 (Thursday) is an optional morning		

Day 4 (Thursday) is an optional morning special topics workshop on applications, operations, and research featuring the OMG.

9:00 – 12:30 Guest speaker, Dr. Lou St. Laurent, WHOI Others TBD