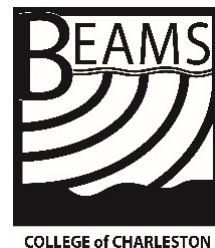


2023 BEAMS Program Symposium – Final Agenda



Thursday, April 20

Dept of Geology and Environmental Geosciences

Meet-and-Greet Reception (5-7PM)

Sponsored by eTrac, Inc., a Woolpert Company

Friday, April 21

Francis Marion Hotel's Colonial Ballroom

Morning Session (8:30AM – noon)

- 8:30 – 8:50 Welcome and BEAMS Program Updates
- 8:50-9:30 Keynote Presentation by BEAMS Alumna Neah Beachler (Saildrone)
"Autonomy in Ocean Mapping"
- 9:30-10:15 Program Lightening Talks
- 10:15-Noon Morning Poster Session

Networking Lunch (noon – 1PM)

- Noon-1:00 BEAMS Presenting students, alumni and industry representatives.
Sponsored by Blue Dot Geohydrographic

Afternoon Session (1PM – 5PM)

- 1:00-2:45 Oral presentations by BEAMS students
- 2:45-4:30 Afternoon Poster Session
- 4:30-5:00 Live Telepresence Interaction with the NOAA Ship *Okeanos Explorer*

Evening Reception (5:00-7:00PM) – Francis Marion Hotel Colonial Ballroom

Sponsored by GeoDynamics

Saturday, April 22

Francis Marion Hotel's Colonial Ballroom

Morning Session (9AM – noon)

- 9:00-9:15 Welcome to Saturday and other Remarks
- 9:00-9:30 Industry Partner Keynote Presentation by David Neff (eTrac/Woolpert)
"Responsibility of Innovation"
- 9:30-10:30 Oral presentations by Government/Industry Professionals
- 10:30-11:15 Coffee Break
- 11:15-11:45 Oral presentations by Government/Industry Professionals (cont.)
- 11:45-Noon Closing Remarks