

## Saturday – Daytime Seminar Schedule 2026

	Gimbel Room	Cousteau Room	Doc Edgerton Room
Room Topic	<i>Wrecks &amp; Maritime History</i>	<i>Animals</i>	<i>Dive Activities</i>
Room Chair	<i>Kate Cialdea</i>	<i>Rob Robison</i>	<i>Vin Malkoski</i>
9:00 am - 9:45 am	<b>70 years of Artifacts from the Andrea Doria</b> <i>Mike Dudas &amp; Rick Simon</i>	<b>What lurks below? The lore of the Lake Champlain Monster from a diver's perspective</b> <i>Kreig Pinkham &amp; Jeannine Russell</i>	<b>Human-Powered Submarines: "Racing Leviathan"</b> <i>Nick Caloyianis</i>
10:00 am - 10:45 am	<b>Lefort: the last wooden ship-of-the-line of Russian Empire in 1852</b> <i>Ivan Borovikov</i>	<b>Prehistoric Sharks of the Eastern United States: Diving for Shark History</b> <i>Keith Cowley</i>	<b>Beyond the Familiar: Cultivating Exploration Close to Home</b> <i>Heison Chak</i>
11:00 am - 11:45 am	<b>The Gasperados Dive Team, working alongside researchers and historians to find and identify important deep water shipwrecks around the UK.</b> <i>Steven Mortimer</i>	<b>Secrets of the Sand</b> <i>Jim &amp; Pat Stayer</i>	<b>A Tribute to Doc Edgerton</b> <i>Marty Klein</i>
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Room Topic	<i>Wrecks &amp; Maritime History</i>	<i>Caves &amp; Mines</i>	<i>Photo/Video</i>
Room Chair	<i>Jeff Cinciripino</i>	<i>Amy Giannotti</i>	<i>Paul Cater Deaton</i>
1:00 pm - 1:45 pm	<b>Darwin Harbour's 'lost ships'</b> <i>Mark Tozer</i>	<b>Beneath the Surface: Exploring the Underground Worlds of Flooded Mines</b> <i>Heather Knowles and Dave Caldwell</i>	<b>Failure and Success</b> <i>Julie Ouimet &amp; Michel Labrecque</i>
2:00 pm - 2:45 pm	<b>Finding Closure: Discovery of the WW1-Era Steam Trawler Seiner</b> <i>Jenn Sellitti</i>	<b>Phreatic - When Hardcore Cave Diving Meets Science</b> <i>Dotota Czerny</i>	<b>Searching for the Light</b> <i>Cristian Dimitrius</i>
3:00 pm - 3:45 pm	<b>Canada's 2nd Deepest Shipwreck dive: The City of Ainsworth, Kootenay Lake BC.</b> <i>Brian Nadwidny</i>	<b>The Value of Performance Based Training</b> <i>Renee Power and Terrence Tysall</i>	<b>Through The Lens of a True Explorer: What I Learned from the Images of Captain Joe Mazraani</b> <i>Becca Boring</i>
4:00 pm - 4:45 pm	<b>Getting Wrecked in Ireland</b> <i>Ben Lair</i>	<b>Diving into the industrial underground: UK Mine Diving</b> <i>Yana Stashkevick</i>	<b>Underwater Photography in Black &amp; White</b> <i>Chuck Davis</i>

## Sunday – Daytime Seminar Schedule 2026

	Gimbel Room	Cousteau Room	Doc Edgerton Room
Room Topic	<i>Dive Safety &amp; Training</i>	<i>WHOI</i>	<i>Large Scale Projects &amp; Expeditions</i>
Room Chair	<i>Monty Fitzpatrick</i>	<i>George Buckley</i>	<i>Holly Bourbon</i>
9:30 am - 10:15 am	<b>True Crime: Scuba Edition</b> <i>Ronald Weller</i>	<b>Shipwrecks: Models for Understanding a Changing Ocean</b> <i>Kirstin Meyer-Kaiser</i>	<b>The Occidental Tourist</b> <i>Paul Cater Deaton</i>
10:30 am - 11:15 am	<b>Healing Beneath the Surface: The Transformative Power of Adaptive Diving</b> <i>Tinamarie Hernandez</i>	<b>Solutions for the Coral Reef Crisis</b> <i>Amy Apprill</i>	<b>Preserving History: Transforming the SS United States into the World's Largest Artificial Reef</b> <i>Alex Fogg</i>
11:30 am - 12:15 am	<b>Managing Diving Injury in Remote Locations</b> <i>David Charash</i>	<b>DSV Alvin survey of the USS F1</b> <i>Bruce Strickrott</i>	<b>BSR Summer Intern</b> <i>Sofia Grabiell Butler</i>
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Room Topic	<i>Locations</i>	<i>Animals</i>	<i>Marine Science &amp; Conservation</i>
Room Chair	<i>Bill VanderClock</i>	<i>Paul Leonard</i>	<i>Mark Dixon</i>
1:00 pm - 1:45 pm	<b>Scuba Diving Ecotourism Heroes or How to Justify Your Next Dive Trip</b> <i>Nancy McGee</i>	<b>Elaborate Sex by octopus on the Great Barrier Reef</b> <i>Roger Hanlon</i>	<b>The End of the Ice</b> <i>Mark Seth Lender</i>
2:00 pm - 2:45 pm	<b>To Boldly Go Where No One Has Gone Before...</b> <i>Faith Ortins</i>	<b>Shark tales from the Caribbean</b> <i>Greg Skomal</i>	<b>The Future of Coral Reefs In (and out of) Our Time</b> <i>Les Kaufman</i>
3:00 pm - 3:45 pm	<b>Malta: Magical Diving in the Mediterranean</b> <i>Michael Salvarezza &amp; Christopher Weaver</i>	<b>The wonders of the Coral Triangle</b> <i>Andy Martinez</i>	<b>Caring for Oceans, Near and Far: Empowering the Next Generation</b> <i>Amy Giannotti</i>

\*\*Note that participants scheduled to speak at any Sea Rovers Clinic event are subject to last minute travel and work emergencies inherent when pushing the boundaries of filmmaking, exploration and discovery. Please understand that the participant list is subject to change at the last moment.



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