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**JOINT CANADA-IHO PROJECT EMPOWERING WOMEN IN HYDROGRAPHY
NOAA (USA) AT-SEA EXPERIENCE – CALL FOR APPLICATIONS**

References:

- A. CL 20/2021 dated 31 May - Joint CANADA-IHO Project Empowering Women in Hydrography
- B. CL 35/2021 dated 15 September - Joint CANADA-IHO Project Empowering Women in Hydrography
- C. NOAA OCS letter supporting the project - Empowering Women in Hydrography

Dear Hydrographer,

1. Reference A presented the proposal of the Joint CANADA-IHO Project Empowering Women in Hydrography (EWH) and the IHO Secretariat encouraged the Member States to consider the recommendation of the 2nd Session of the Assembly (A- 2 Decision 36) to participate in the EWH Project.
2. Reference B announced the project's "kick-off" meeting where it was mentioned that some internships associated with this project are planned and that the updated information related to this project will be available on the respective webpage at: <https://iho.int/en/basic-cb-sc-ewh>.
3. NOAA (USA) informed the IHO Secretariat that three opportunities, associated with the EWH project, are expected to be available in 2022 for an at-sea experience on a NOAA hydrographic ship (Reference C). NOAA (USA) will support travel costs and will assist selected candidates with obtaining a visa.
4. Candidates' applications should arrive no later than **4 March 2022**. The respective requirements and instructions can be found at: <https://iho.int/en/basic-cb-sc-ewh>.
5. The IHO Secretariat would like to thank NOAA and also encourage Member States to consider participation in the EWH Project.

On behalf of the Secretary-General
Yours sincerely,

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