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**JOINT CANADA-IHO PROJECT EMPOWERING WOMEN IN HYDROGRAPHY**  
**INTERNSHIP SELECTION**

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. CL 47/2021 dated 17 December - Joint Canada-IHO Project Empowering Women in Hydrography. Internships at the IHO Secretariat - Call for nominations.

Dear Hydrographer,

1. Reference A presented the proposal of the Joint CANADA-IHO Project Empowering Women in Hydrography (EWH). 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>. Reference C announced the offer and called for nominations for four internships associated with the EWH project, one focusing on the outreach of the EWH project and three related with the review process of submitted programmes to the International Board on Standards of Competence for Hydrographic Surveyors and Nautical Cartographers (IBSC).

2. Several applications were received and thoroughly reviewed by the EWH project team members. The candidate from **Georgia (Ms Nino Zarandia)** was selected for the Outreach internship and the candidates from **Indonesia (Ms Gabriella Alodia)**, **Ecuador (Mildred Barzola)** and **USA (Ms Lori Lee Millozi)** were selected for the IBSC Internship. The selected candidates have already been informed and confirmed their availability.

3. The IHO Secretariat warmly thanks all candidates for their interest and confirms that more similar opportunities are planned in the future and would like to encourage the Members States to consider further participation in the EWH project.

Yours sincerely,  
On behalf of the Secretary General

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