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### 1. TOS Fellows Announced

We're pleased to announce that the following TOS members have been selected as the newest TOS Fellows:

**Richard Barber, Duke University**  
**Terri Paluszkievicz, Office of Naval Research**  
**Ted Strub, Oregon State University**

All three, along with **Jack Barth** (selected as a TOS Fellow last winter) will be honored during the TOS Breakfast scheduled for Tuesday, February 25th, 2014 at the Hawaii Convention Center. Click [here](#) for the full announcement.

### 2. TOS Breakfast - February 25, 2014

All TOS members are invited to attend the complimentary "TOS Breakfast" scheduled for 7 - 8 am, Tuesday morning, February 25th at the Hawaii Convention Center. [Sea-Bird Scientific](#) has again generously offered to support this event. In addition to honoring the TOS Fellows, we will recognize **Steve Holbrook**, the most recent recipient of the [Walter Munk Award](#). Location and details on RSVPing for this event will be provided in the near future.

### 3. TOS Council Election - Deadline January 11, 2014

The deadline to vote in the TOS election is January 11, 2014. Please refer to the email sent on November 12th from the following email address:

[jenny@tos.org](mailto:jenny@tos.org) <[noreply@votenet.com](mailto:noreply@votenet.com)>. This email contains your login and password for the election. If you have any difficulty or questions about the election

please contact Jenny at [jenny@tos.org](mailto:jenny@tos.org) or 301-251-7708. Biographical sketches for

candidates may be viewed [here](#).

#### **4. Membership Renewals**

Reminder notices were mailed to all TOS members whose membership renewal payments have not yet been received for the October 2013 - September 2014 membership period. Please be sure to pay your dues by December 31, 2014 in order to maintain active membership status. Thank you to those members who have recently paid dues on line or by mail. The membership renewal page may be accessed [here](#).

#### **5. OSM 2014 Student and Early Career Activities**

TOS is actively involved in planning student and early career activities for February's Ocean Sciences Meeting. Workshops, a mentoring program and social events will provide opportunities for networking. Stay tuned for a message in the next week about specific opportunities as well as the registration process.

#### **6. Conferences of Interest**

##### **Ocean Optics XXII**

October 26-31, 2014, Portland Maine

**Abstract Deadline, May 15, 2014**

See the conference [website](#) for additional information.

**IMBER Open Science Conference** "Future Oceans, Research for Marine Sustainability: Multiple Stressors, Drivers, Challenges and Solutions"

June 23-27, 2014, Bergen, Norway

**Abstract submission deadline: 31 January 2014**

For more information, visit the conference [website](#).

##### **2nd International Ocean Research Conference**

November 17-21, 2014, Barcelona, Spain

**Abstract Deadline: May 31, 2014**

Additional information will be posted on the conference website when it is activated.