

Oil spill science seminar: Healthy Gulf Seafood

Nov 18, 2015 – 9am to 3:30pm (Central Time)
 The University of Southern Mississippi Gulf Park Campus
 Hardy Hall Ballroom, 730 E. Beach Blvd., Long Beach, MS

8:30 CT	Check in and registration
9:00	Introduction - <i>Larissa Graham, Mississippi-Alabama Sea Grant</i>
9:20	Overview of oil and oil properties - <i>Gary Shigenaka, NOAA (via Web)</i>
9:40	Understanding how animals recover from the effects of oil exposure - <i>Dr. Benjamin Dubansky, Univ of North Texas</i>
10:15 - BREAK (15 min)	
10:30	Bile: a natural tool for the detection of oil exposure - <i>Susan Snyder, University of South Florida</i>
10:50	Effects of the Deepwater Horizon oil event on oysters in the northcentral Gulf of Mexico - <i>Dr. Ruth Carmichael, University of South Alabama/Dauphin Island Sea Lab</i>
11:10	Panel Discussion/Questions from audience
11:45 - LUNCH (Will be provided to those that pre-registered)	
12:45	Deepwater Horizon, Seafood, and Fisheries: Introduction and Background - <i>Gary Shigenaka, NOAA (via Web)</i>
1:05	Ensuring seafood safety in the aftermath of the <i>Deepwater Horizon</i> oil spill - <i>Gina Ylitalo, NOAA (via Web)</i>
1:25	Mississippi Seafood Safety Testing Program - <i>Rick Burris, Mississippi Department of Marine Resources</i>
1:35	Chemical testing of Gulf seafood - <i>John Guarisco, Alabama Department of Public Health</i>
1:45	Sea Grant educational response to DWH to assure a safe supply of seafood from the Gulf of Mexico - <i>Russ Miget, Texas Sea Grant</i>
1:55 - BREAK (15 min)	
2:10	An Application of Community Based Participatory Research: Targeted Dietary Health Risk Assessments Following An Environmental Disaster - <i>Dr. Mark Wilson, Tulane</i>
2:30	Panel Discussion/Questions from audience
3:10	Wrap up and evaluation
3:30 CT	Adjourn

Questions? Contact Larissa Graham with Mississippi-Alabama Sea Grant at 251-348-5436 or Larissa.Graham@auburn.edu. To learn more about our Oil Spill Science Outreach Program, visit <http://gulfseagrant.org/oilspilloutreach/>