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Join the Urban Tides Community Science Initiative!

You can help photograph the future of our urban ocean. [Urban Tides](#) is a yearlong community based science effort to photo document tidal lines, coastal flooding and erosion in our beach communities.

It's your coastline! Whether you are at the beach once a month, or daily, your observations will help SoCal communities plan for the future impacts of sea level rise. #UrbanTides
[Learn more...](#)

Urban Tides Beach Walks



Join us for two community beach walks! We'll take photos for Urban Tides, share new flood maps for the region, and chat about sea level rise and the benefits of natural shorelines: **Dec 22 in Marina Del Rey & Jan 8 at Malibu Lagoon.**

[Learn more...](#)



In the Media: Urban Tides Launches

Education Programs Manager Linda Chilton talks with ABC News about our new Urban Tides Community Science Initiative. [View video...](#)



Seabass in the Classroom: Release Day!

Students at the Port of Los Angeles High School released juvenile white seabass recently at Cabrillo Beach. It was the culmination of an aquaculture program and partnership with the school, Hubbs-SeaWorld Research Institute, and USC Sea Grant. Students spent months raising and tagging the fish in their classroom. We can't wait to do it again next semester!

[Learn more...](#)

California's Working Waterfronts and the Future of Seafood

Seaport Specialist Dr. Jim Fawcett was



part of a panel discussion at the Aquarium of the Pacific focused on working waterfronts and seafood supply. [View video...](#)



AdaptLA Webinar: Initial Coastal Storm Modeling Results for LA

Hear about the latest sea level rise and coastal storm flood hazard projections for the Los Angeles region. This webinar presents 100-year storm results with four scenarios of sea level rise. [Learn more...](#)



New Fellowships - Apply Now!

Apply through USC Sea Grant for these great fellowships:

- Due January 22: [NOAA Coastal Management Fellowship](#)
- Due January 29: [NMFS-Sea Grant Fellowship in Population and Ecosystem Dynamics](#)
- Due January 29: [NMFS-Sea Grant Fellowship in Marine Resource Economics](#)
- Due February 12: [Sea Grant Knauss Fellowship](#)

[Contact Phyllis Grifman for more info.](#)

El Niño: Resources for Southern California



We've added **NEW** resources to help us understand what to expect and how to prepare for El Niño. [Learn more...](#)

USC Sea Grant contributes to solving the problems of the urban ocean, while recognizing the opportunities for coastal commerce, recreation, and improving the quality of life in coastal regions such as Southern California.

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