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**Research Interests:** ocean and climate dynamics; predictability and prediction of the climate system; uncertainty quantification; (stochastic) parameterization of ocean turbulence. *Tools:* Advanced analytical, numerical and statistical methods, a hierarchy of numerical models, and analysis of available observations.

## Education

- 06/2009    PhD, **Harvard University**, Earth & Planetary Sciences. Subject: Climate Dynamics. Adviser: Eli Tziperman.  
*Title: Optimal Excitation of Atlantic ocean circulation and implications for predictability.*
- 06/2009    MA by special resolution, **University of Oxford**.
- 09/2003    MSc, **Weizmann Institute of Science**, Environmental Sciences.
- 09/2001    BSc, **Tel Aviv University**, Geophysics, Atmospheric & Planetary Sciences. *Magna Cum Laude*.

## Professional Appointments

- 09/2019- :    **Associate Professor** (with tenure), New York University, Courant Institute, Dept of Mathematics, USA.
- 10/2011-:    **Associate Professor** (prev. Univ. Lecturer), University of Oxford, Dept of Physics, UK (**tenured 07/2016**).
- 09/2018-:    **David Richards' Fellow & Tutor in Physics**, Wadham College.
- 2011-2018:    Fellow, St Cross College.
- 2014-2017:    Lecturer in Physics, Christ Church College.
- 2018- :    **Visiting Academic**, New York University, Courant Institute, Dept of Mathematics, USA.
- 2017-2018:    **Visiting Faculty**, Princeton University, AOS and GFDL, USA.
- 2009-2011:    **James Martin Research Fellow**, Oxford Martin School & **Postdoctoral Research Associate**, Atmospheric, Oceanic & Planetary Physics, Dept of Physics, University of Oxford.
- 2009-2011:    **Junior Research Fellow**, Balliol College.
- 2003-2009:    **Graduate Research Assistant**, Earth & Planetary Sciences, Harvard University.

## Awards and Fellowships

- 2017-2019:    **International Exchange Grant**, Royal Society (with R. Abernathey, Columbia University).
- 2017-2018:    **Visiting Research Scientist Fellowship**, Princeton University, AOS and GFDL.
- 2009-2012:    **Oxford Martin School Fellowship**, University of Oxford.
- 2009-2012:    **Balliol College Junior Research Fellowship**, University of Oxford.
- 2008:    **Outstanding Student Paper Award**, American Geophysical Union, Fall Meeting (AGU).
- 2005, 2006, 2007:    **Bertram J. Cohn Fellowship for Environmental Studies**, Harvard University.
- 2006:    **Young Scientist Outstanding Paper Award**, European Geosciences Union, General Assembly.
- 2005-2008:    **3 Certificates of Distinction in Undergraduate Teaching**, Harvard University.
- 2001:    **Magna Cum Laude**, Tel Aviv University.

## Selected Academic Service

### External

- 2019:    Guest Editor, **Oxford University Press**, Encyclopedia of Climate Science, Climate Dynamics: Theoretical Foundation, Focus Series on Parameterizations in Climate Models.

- 2018- : Committee Member, Lorenz Lecture Award, **American Geophysical Union**, Nonlinear Geophysics Section.
- 2017- : Schmidt Fellowship Panel Member, **Schmidt Futures**, Earth Sciences.
- 2014- : International Scientific Council Member, **European Institute for Marine Studies (IUEM)**, Brest.
- 2006- : **Reviewer**, *Proposals*: National Academies, NSF, NOAA, NERC, ISF, BSF, KAUST/CRG, Irish Research Council. *Articles*: J. of Climate, Nature, Science, GRL, Clim. Dyn., Ocean Modelling, J. Phys. Ocean., J. of Physics A, ERL, Q. J. Roy. Met. Soc., Phil. Trans. of the Royal Society. *Books*: SIAM, Cambridge University Press.
- 2013-: Examiner for 2 external (**Southampton University**, **Columbia University**) and 3 internal (**Oxford**) PhD/DPhil defences, and 1 MRes/MSc defence.
- 2018: Panel Member, **National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine**, Gulf Research Program.
- 2018: Session organizer: **American Physical Society (APS) - GPC**, Los Angeles, *Multi-Scale Flows and Pathways in the Climate System*.
- 2017: Organizer, **Banff International Research Station**, Workshop on Transport in Unsteady Flow.
- 2011-2016: Peer Review College Member (Reviewer and Panel Member), **NERC**.
- 2016: Member of Scoping group on the Role of Southern Ocean in the Earth System, **Natural Environment Research Council (NERC)**.
- 2015-2016: Expert Panel Member, **Belmont Forum and Joint Programming Initiative "Connecting Climate Knowledge for Europe"**, Climate predictability and inter-regional linkages.
- 2012, 2016: Convener and Chair, **Ocean Section IUGG** Conference on Mathematical Geophysics. Ocean processes: from small scale to global circulation.
- 2012, 2014: Session organizer: **AGU Ocean Sciences**, Salt Lake City 2012, *Oceanic Uptake of heat and greenhouse gases: dynamic and thermodynamic controls and inferences from tracers*; AGU Ocean Sciences, Hawaii, 2014 *North Atlantic ocean dynamics: from natural fluctuations to externally forced response*.
- 2011- : Judge for students presentations, **Ocean Modeling** 2011, 2012, 2014; **AGU Ocean Sciences** and Fall Meetings various dates since 2012; **AMS AOFD** 2017.

#### Service within Oxford

- 2016-: Assessor, Flows, Fluctuations & Complexity, Dept of Physics.
- 2018- : Governing body, Wadham College.
- 2018- : Academic Committee, Wadham College.
- 2018- : Nominating Committee, Wadham College.
- 2011- : Internal Examiner/Graduate Committee for 18 students, Dept of Physics.
- 2016-2017 : NERC Demand Management Decision Panel.
- 2012- 2018: Personnel Committee, Dept of Physics.
- 2017- 2018: Parking Committee, Dept of Physics.
- 2014- 2017: Fellowship Committee, St Cross College.
- 2011- 2018: Governing body, St Cross College.
- 2012- 2016: Organizer, Atmospheric, Oceanic and Planetary Seminar Series, Dept of Physics.
- 2015: Invigilator, Physics of the Oceans & Atmospheres, Dept of Physics.
- 2010-2011: Organizer, Physical Oceanography & Climate Meetings, Dept of Physics and Earth Sciences.
- 2010-2011: Executive Committee, Balliol College.
- 2009-2011: Governing body, Balliol College.

#### **Funding**

- 2020-2021: **Simons Foundation**, Symposium on Multi-scale Physics.

- 2017-2019: **Royal Society, International Exchanges Scheme**, PI. Quantifying the Variability of Tracer Transport across the Gulf Stream. £11,830.00.
- 2017-2022: **NERC - Large Grant**, Oxford PI. Transient tracer-based Investigation of Circulation and Thermal Ocean Change (TICTOC), £3,342,981.
- 2017-2020: **NERC**, Co-PI. Addressing the Grand Challenge of regional sea level change prediction (UKFAFMIP), £584,852.
- 2014-2018: **NERC - Directed**, Co-I. Summer: Testing Influences and Mechanisms for Europe (SummerTIME), £764,189.
- 2014-2017: **NERC**, PI. Modelling the Ocean Circulation with Random Numbers, £301,109.
- 2012-2016: **NERC - Directed**, Co-PI. Representing uncertainty in ocean observations and the ocean model, for coupled ensemble data assimilation and ensemble extended-range prediction, £378,722.
- 2013-2017: **NOAA- Earth System Science Program**, Co-PI. Variability, stochastic dynamics, and compensating model errors of the Atlantic Meridional Ocean Circulation in coupled IPCC models, \$287,032.
- 2011-2014: **John Fell OUP Fund**, PI. Dynamical Impacts of Unresolved Ocean Processes in Climate Models: Lessons from Stochastic Physics, £98,538.
- 2015-2016: **Met Office- Oxford Academic Partnership**, Undergraduate Research Experience Placement. PI, 2016: two proposals funded; 2015: one proposal funded, each for £2,000.

## Mentoring & Teaching

Supervision (+ = co-advised with)

### DPhil (=PhD) Students:

Apr 2018-: Matthias Aengenheyster (+ J. Gregory)

Apr 2016-: Thomas Bolton (won best prize for 2nd yr PhD research report, and best retreat talk 2018)

Previously: 2013-2018: **Robert Fraser**, now Data Scientist; 2013-2017: **Tomos David** (+ D. Marshall), now postdoc at Oxford; 2011-2015: **Ben Bronselaer**, now postdoc at Princeton/GFDL.

### Postdoctoral Scholars:

2019- : Emily Newsom

2018- : Mike Byrne (Marie Curie Fellow)

2018- : Alex Todd

Previously: 2015- 2018: **Chris O'Reilly** (+ T. Woollings), now postdoc at Oxford; 2016- 2017: **Joakim Kjellsson**, now researcher at Univ. of Kiel; 2015-2017: **Stephan Juricke** (+ T. Palmer), now researcher at Bremen Univ.; 2015-2016: **Markus Huber** (funded by a S-NSF fellowship); 2014-2015: **James Anstey**, now permanent researcher at CCCma; 2012-2015: **Fenwick Cooper** (+ T. Palmer), now postdoc at Oxford; 2011-2013: **Mirek Andrejczuk** (+ T. Palmer), now permanent researcher at UK-Met Office; 2011-2013: **Luca Porta Mana**, now researcher at the Kavli Institute.

**MPhys Students (= senior thesis):** (\*=won a prize for best project in *Atmospheric, Oceanic and Planetary Physics*). 2016-2017: Jonny Ison, Kirill Mikhaylov. 2014-2015: Thomas Bolton\*. 2013-2014: Andrew Bailey\*; Michael Walker\*. 2013: Tomos David. 2012: Shaomin Cai. 2011: Brodie Pearson.

**Summer Students:** Alex Gyoffry, Arnaud de Larturieri, Benjamin Huddart, Twm Jonathan, Andrey Orkney.

**College Graduate Supervision (St Cross, Christ Church, Wadham):** I act or acted as College supervisor for about 15 students in Physics, Earth Sciences, Engineering, Materials, Genomic Medicine & Statistics, Musculoskeletal Sciences, Physiology, Anatomy & Genetics, Organic Chemistry, Life Sciences, Healthcare Innovation, Bioscience.

## Teaching Activities

2010-present: *Lecturer and College Tutor, University of Oxford*

2013-present: *Lecturer*, Physics of the Oceans & Atmospheres (undergrad).

2014-present: *Lecturer*, Climate Dynamics and Variability (grad).

2016-present: *Lecturer*, Advanced Math and Numerical Methods (grad).

2010-present: *College Tutor* (undergrad): Mechanics & Special Relativity, Circuit Theory & Electromagnetism, Flows, Fluctuations & Complexity (Nonlinear Dynamics, Chaos, Stochastic Processes, Biophysics).

2009: *Invited Lecturer*.

**Joint UW-MIT-Bjerknes** Advanced Climate Dynamics Course, Bergen, Norway.

**MIT** Course on Adjoint methods: from large scale optimization to climate modeling.

2004-2008: *Teaching Fellow*, **Harvard University**: Climate & Physical Oceanography (undergrad/grad); The Atmosphere (undergrad); Ordinary and Partial Differential Equations (undergrad/grad); Nonlinear Dynamical Systems (undergrad/grad).

1999-2002: *Special Educator, Teacher and Tutor*, **Balfour High School**, Mathematics.

2015, 2016: *Organizer and Speaker*, **University of Oxford**, Atmospheric Physics Research Experience Day for NERC Doctoral Training Program incoming graduate students.

## **Presentations** (as first author only)

### **Invited Departmental Seminars (54 since 2009):**

**2019:** Univ of Reading (Met Dept). *upcoming*: University of Southampton.

**2018:** Caltech; Flatiron Institute/Simons Foundation; UW; NYU/Courant (APM); Harvard; U. Chicago; UCSD/Scripps; NCAR.

**2017:** Lamont Doherty Earth Observatory - LDEO (colloquium); GFDL; Columbia University/LDEO (Ocean and Climate); NYU/Courant (CAOS); George Mason University; U. of Edinburgh; U. of Reading.

**2016:** ANU; U. Tasmania; U. of Copenhagen; Imperial College London (Physics); Leeds.

**2014:** UCLA; Caltech; Scripps Institute of Oceanography; British Antarctic Survey; UCL; NOC/Southampton; Weizmann Institute of Science; Tel Aviv University.

**2013:** Imperial College London (Math); Harvard; MIT; U. of Cambridge (DAMTP); Hebrew University of Jerusalem; Weizmann Institute of Science; Reading.

**2012:** LPO/IFREMER Brest; New York University; U. of Hamburg/Max Planck Institute of Meteorology.

**before 2012:** Imperial College London (Physics); U. of Reading; U. of Oxford; U. Cambridge (Earth Sciences); European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecast; Proudman Oceanographic Laboratory, Liverpool; U. of East Anglia; National Oceanography Centre, Southampton; MIT; Columbia University/LDEO; Princeton/GFDL; Tel Aviv University; Beer Sheva University.

### **Invited Workshops and Conferences (41 Invited since 2009):**

*Upcoming*: Physics and Mathematics of Turbulent Flows at Different Scales (Les Houches); Sources and Sinks of Ocean Mesoscale Eddy Energy US CLIVAR (Florida); International FAFMIP workshop (Reading); EGU, Sea level: Past, Present, Future (Vienna); ORCHESTRA workshop (UK); Equadiff 2019 minisymposium (Leiden).

**2019:** Physical Society Club (London); Rotating Fluids (UCL)

**2018:** Machine Learning in Climate; Regional Atlantic Circulation and Global Change (Bremen, keynote); AGU fall meeting (DC); US AMOC/RAPID (Miami); AIMS Conference on Dynamical Systems (Taipei); Caltech - ESM Workshop; AGU Ocean Sciences (Portland); Understanding the relationship between coastal sea level and large-scale ocean circulation (ISSI, Bern); Oceans in Weather and Climate (Exeter, OiWC2018).

**2017:** ECMWF Annual Seminar on Ensemble Prediction; Intrinsic & Forced Ocean Variability Workshop; Max Planck Institute for the Physics of Complex Systems; Banff International Research Station for Mathematical Innovation and Discovery; MFO Oberwolfach Research Institute for Mathematics.

**2016:** Data Analysis and Modeling in Earth Sciences; Uncertainty Quantification SIAM (The Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics).

**2015:** Future Lagrangian Ocean Modeling; ICIAM Beijing; Turbulence Days; Europe Dynamics Days; Workshop on Stochastic Physics in Climate; Theoretical Advances in Planetary Flow and Climate Dynamics; Met Office Academic Partnership; Ice2Ice (keynote).

**2014:** AGU Fall Meeting; ClimathNet (plenary).

**2013:** AGU Fall Meeting; The Institute of Mathematics and its Applications (IMA) Workshop on Stochastic Modeling of the Oceans and Atmosphere.

**2012:** AGU Fall Meeting; European Space Agency (ESA) workshop on model uncertainty.

**before 2012:** Workshop on Representing Model Uncertainty in Weather and Climate Prediction (2011), EGU General Assembly (2009); Advanced Climate Dynamics Course (2009).

**Selected Contributed Presentations (total 27 since 2009):** Model Hierarchies Workshop, Princeton 2016; AGU Ocean Sciences 2018, 2016, 2014, 2012; Workshop on Energy transfers in the atmosphere and in the ocean 2016, 2015; RAPID/US AMOC annual meeting 2015, 2013; Latsis Symposium on Climate Dynamics 2014; AGU Fall Meeting 2013, 2012; American Met. Soc. AOFD 2013, 2017; APS General Meeting 2013.

### Selected Outreach, College & Alumni Activities

- 1992- : Various activities and tutoring for middle- and high-school students (in France, Israel, USA and UK) with learning disabilities and/or from disadvantaged backgrounds.
- 2018- : Access to Excellence (students age 12 to 17), Wadham College.
- 2019: Wadham Cross-college Symposium: Disruption, Ocean Physics & Climate Change.
- 2017: Foundation Fellows Event, Wadham College, Sea Level Rise.
- 2015: Atmospheric Physics Alumni Event, Royal Society, Oceans in Climate Change.
- 2016: Oxford Physics Society, Physics of Climate Change.
- 2013: Oxford Alumni Weekend, The Oceans in a Warming Climate.

### Publication List

A total of 37 published papers, with 31 as lead author or led by team members supervised by LZ.

\* = first-author is a student or postdoc supervised by LZ; underline = group member

PDFs of published manuscripts are available at <https://laurezanna.github.io/publication/>.

### Manuscripts Submitted for publication

- [42] Carson, Lyu, Richter, Becker, Domingues, Han, Little, Zanna. Climate model uncertainty and trend detection of regional sea level projections in the open ocean and coastal zone. *Surveys in Geophysics*, *Submitted*.
- [41] Ponte, et al: Ocean Obs' 2019: Towards comprehensive observing and modeling systems for monitoring and predicting regional to coastal sea level. *Frontiers in Marine Science*, *Submitted*.
- [40]\* Fraser, Palmer, Roberts, Wilson, Zanna: Predictability of Interannual Sea Level Variability in the North Atlantic. *Climate Dynamics*, *Minor Revisions*.
- [39] Chemke, Zanna, Abernathey, Polvani. Emergence of an anthropogenic signal in the North Atlantic warming hole. *Submitted*.
- [38]\* Bronselaer, Zanna: Future ocean climate change amplified and mitigated by circulation changes. *Submitted*.

### Peer Reviewed Manuscripts Published/Accepted

#### 2019

- [37] Zanna, Khatiwala, Gregory, Ison, Heimbach, 2019: Global reconstruction of historical ocean heat storage and transport. *Proc. of the National Academy of Sciences*, 116 (4) 1126-1131, doi: 10.1073/pnas.1808838115. **Link to press coverage**.
- [36]\* Bolton, Zanna, 2019: Applications of Deep Learning to Ocean Data Inference and Sub-Grid Parameterisation. *JAMES*, 11, doi: 10.1029/2018MS001472.

#### 2018

- [35]\* Juricke, MacLeod, Weisheimer, Zanna, Palmer, 2018. Seasonal to annual ocean forecasting skill and the role of model and observational uncertainty. *QJRM*S, 144(715), pp.1947-1964..
- [34]\* O'Reilly, Zanna. The signature of oceanic processes on extratropical decadal SST anomalies. *GRL*, 45, 77197730.
- [33] Zanna, Brankart, Huber, Penduff, Williams. Uncertainty and Scale Interactions in Ocean Ensembles: From Seasonal Forecasts to Multi-Decadal Climate Predictions. *QJRM*S, <https://doi.org/10.1002/qj.3397>.
- [32] Faggiani Dias, Subramanian, Zanna, Miller: Remote and Local Influences in Forecasting Pacific SST: a Linear Inverse Model and a Multimodel Ensemble Study. *Clim. Dyn.*, pp 1-19; doi:10.1007/s00382-018-4323-z.
- [31]\* David, Zanna, Marshall, 2018. Eddy-mixing entropy as a measure of turbulent disorder in barotropic ocean jets. *J. of Stat. Mech.:Theory and Experiment*, 7, 073206.
- [30]\* O'Reilly, Woollings, Zanna and Weisheimer. The impact of tropical precipitation on summertime Euro-Atlantic circulation via a circumglobal wave-train. *J. Climate*, 31(16), 6481-6504.

- [29] Bachman, Anstey, Zanna, The relationship between a deformation-based eddy parameterization and the LANS- $\alpha$  turbulence model. *Oc. Modelling*, doi.org/10.1016/j.ocemod.2018.04.007.
- [28]\* Bronselaer, Zanna, Munday, Lowe: Southern Ocean carbon-wind stress feedback. *Clim. Dyn.*, doi:10.1007/s00382-017-4041-y. **Highlight in MITgcm news.**
- [27] van Sebille et al.: Lagrangian ocean analysis: fundamentals and practices. *Oc. Modell.*, doi:10.1016/j.ocemod.2017.11.008, **Highly cited paper, WoS.**

## 2017

- [26]\* Kjellsson, Zanna, 2017: Spectral Fluxes of Kinetic Energy in Global Ocean Models and the Impact of Horizontal Resolution. *Fluids*, 2(3), 45, doi: 10.3390/fluids2030045
- [25] Zanna, Porta Mana, Anstey, David, Bolton, 2017: Scale-Aware Deterministic and Stochastic Parametrizations of Eddy-Mean Flow Interaction. *Oc. Modell.*, 111, 66-80, doi:10.1016/j.ocemod.2017.01.004
- [24]\* Juricke, Palmer, Zanna, 2017: Stochastic parametrizations of sub-grid scale ocean variability: Impacts on low frequency variability. *J. Climate*, doi:10.1175/JCLI-D-16-0539.1
- [23]\* Anstey, Zanna, 2017: Deformation-based parametrization of ocean mesoscale eddies. *Oc. Modell.*, 112, 99-111, doi:10.1016/j.ocemod.2017.02.004
- [22]\* David, Marshall, Zanna, 2017: The statistical nature of turbulent barotropic ocean jets. *Oc. Modell.*, 113, 34-49, doi:10.1016/j.ocemod.2017.03.008
- [21]\* O'Reilly, Woollings, Zanna, 2017: The dynamical and thermodynamical influences of the Atlantic Multidecadal Oscillation on continental climate. *J. Climate*, doi:10.1175/JCLI-D-16-0345.1 .
- [20]\* Huber, Zanna, 2017: Drivers of uncertainty in simulated ocean circulation and heat uptake. *GRL*, 44, 14021413, doi:10.1002/2016GL071587.
- [19] Grooms, Zanna, 2017: Statistical Parameterization of Mesoscale Eddies. *Oc. Modelling*, 113, 30-33, doi:10.1016/j.ocemod.2017.03.007.
- [18]\* Huddart, Subramanian, Zanna, Palmer, 2017: Seasonal and Decadal forecasts of Atlantic SST using a Linear Inverse Model: *Clim. Dyn.*, DOI: 10.1007/s00382-016-3375-1.

## 2016

- [17]\* Bronselaer, Zanna, Munday, Lowe, 2016: The Influence of Southern Ocean Winds on the North Atlantic Carbon Sink. *Global Biogeochem. Cycles*, 30, 844-858.
- [16]\* O'Reilly, Huber, Woollings, Zanna, 2016: The signature of low frequency oceanic forcing in the Atlantic Multidecadal Oscillation, 2016. *GRL*, 43, 2810-2818. **Research Spotlight: Eos, 97, doi:10.1029/2016EO050997.**
- [15] MacMartin, Zanna, Tziperman, 2016: Suppression of AMOC variability at increased CO<sub>2</sub>. *J. Climate*, 29, 11, 4155-4164, doi:10.1175/JCLI-D-15-0533.1.
- [14]\* Andrejczuk, Cooper, Juricke, Palmer, Weisheimer, Zanna, 2016: Oceanic stochastic parametrizations in a seasonal forecast system. *Mon. Wea. Rev.*, 144, 5, 1867-1875, doi:10.1175/MWR-D-15-0245.1.

## 2015

- [13]\* Cooper, Zanna, 2015: Optimisation of an idealised ocean model: stochastic parameterisation of sub-grid eddies. *Oc. Modell.*, 88 (0), 38-53.

## 2014

- [12] Marshall, Zanna, 2014: A Conceptual Model of Ocean Heat Uptake under Climate Change. *J. Climate*, 27, 8444-8465.
- [11]\* Porta Mana, Zanna, 2014: Toward a Stochastic Parameterization of Ocean Mesoscale Eddies. *Oc. Modell.*, 79, 1-20.

## 2013

- [10] Wilson, Horsburgh, Williams, Flowerdew, Zanna, 2013: Tide-Surge Adjoint Modelling: A New Technique to Understand Forecast Uncertainty. *JGR-Oceans*, 118 (10), 5092-5108.
- [9] MacMartin, Tziperman, Zanna, 2013: Frequency-domain Multi-model Analysis of the Response of Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation to Surface Forcing. *J. Climate*, 26, 21, 8323-8340.
- [8] Palmer, Zanna, 2013: Singular Vectors, Predictability and Ensemble Forecasting for Weather and Climate. **Invited Contrib.** Special issue: Lyapunov analysis: from dynamical systems theory to applications, *J. Physics A*, 46, 254018.

## 2012

[7] Zanna, 2012: Forecast Skill & Predictability of Observed Atlantic Sea Surface Temperatures. *J. Climate*, 25, 14, 5047-5056.

[6] Zanna, Heimbach, Moore, Tziperman, 2012: Upper Ocean Singular Vectors of the North Atlantic Ocean with Implications for Linear Predictability and Variability. *Q.J.R.M.S.*, 138, 500-513.

#### **2010-2011**

[5] Zanna, Heimbach, Moore Tziperman, 2011: Optimal Excitation of Interannual Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation Variability. *J. Climate*, 24, 2, 413-427.

[4] Zanna, Heimbach, Moore, Tziperman, 2010: The Role of Ocean Dynamics in the Optimal Growth of Tropical SST Anomalies. *J. Phys. Ocean.*, 40, 5, 983-1003.

#### **2005-2008**

[3] Tziperman, Zanna, Penland, 2008: Non normal Thermohaline Circulation Dynamics in a Coupled Ocean-Atmosphere GCM. *J. Phys. Ocean.*, 38, 3, 588-604.

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