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National Research Council Postdoctoral Fellow

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## EDUCATION

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**University of Miami, Miami, FL**

*August 2016 - August 2021*

Ph.D in Meteorology and Physical Oceanography

Thesis Title: Modifications to the Tropical Cyclone Intensity and Wind Structure Resulting from Surface-Boundary Layer Interactions over Coastal and Inland Environments

Advisor: Dr. David S. Nolan

**Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA**

*August 2012 - May 2016*

B.S. in Meteorology - Atmospheric Science Option

*3.79 GPA*

Minors in Mathematics and Marine Sciences

**University of Southampton, Southampton, UK**

*Spring 2015*

Study Abroad Program, Marine Science Focus

## APPOINTMENTS

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**Postdoctoral Research Fellow**

*October 2021 - present*

National Research Council

Host Institution: U.S. Naval Research Laboratory, Monterey, CA, USA

Supervisor: Dr. David D. Flagg

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

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**Hlywiak, J.**, Flagg, D.D., Hong, X., Doyle, J.D., Benbow, C., Curcic, M., Darby, B., Drennan, W.M., Graber, H., Haus, B., MacMahan, J., Ortiz-Suslow, D., Ruiz-Plancarte, J., Wang, Q., Williams, N., and Yamaguchi, R. (2023). Evaluating Atmospheric Surface Layer Flux Parameterization within the Coastal Regime. *Monthly Weather Review* (published online ahead of print 2023)

**Hlywiak, J.** and Nolan, D.S. (2022). Targeted artificial ocean cooling to weaken tropical cyclones would be futile. *Communications Earth & Environment*, 3, 185, <https://doi.org/10.1038/s43247-022-00519-1>.

**Hlywiak, J.** and Nolan, D.S. (2022). The Evolution of Asymmetries in the Tropical Cyclone Boundary Layer Wind Field during Landfall. *Monthly Weather Review*, 150(3), 529-549 <https://doi.org/10.1175/MWR-D-21-0191.1>

**Hlywiak, J.** and Nolan, D.S. (2021). The Response of the Near-Surface Tropical Cyclone Wind Field to Inland Surface Roughness Length and Soil Moisture Content During and After Landfall. *Journal of the Atmospheric Sciences* 8(3), 983-1000 <https://doi.org/10.1175/JAS-D-20-0211.1>

**Hlywiak, J.** and Nolan, D.S. (2019). The Influence of Oceanic Barrier Layers on Tropical Cyclone Intensity as Determined through Idealized, Coupled Numerical Simulations. *J. Phys. Oceanogr.*, 49, 17231745, <https://doi.org/10.1175/JPO-D-18-0267.1>

Li, R., Palm, B.B., Ortega, A.M., **Hlywiak, J.**, Hu, W., Peng, Z., Day, D.A., Knote, C., Brune, W.H., De Gouw, J.A. and Jimenez, J.L. (2015). Modeling the radical chemistry in an oxidation flow reactor: Radical formation and recycling, sensitivities, and the OH exposure estimation equation. *The Journal of Physical Chemistry A*, 119(19), pp.4418-4432.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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### **2023: American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting - *San Francisco, CA***

Oral Presentation: Towards an Advection-Aware Roughness Length Parameterization for use in Numerical Modeling of the Atmospheric Surface Layer

Poster Presentation: Spatio-temporal evolution of the Marine Atmospheric Boundary Layer over Island Wakes

### **2023: 103rd American Meteorological Society Annual Conference - *Denver, CO***

Oral Presentation: Surface Layer Parameterization Challenges within the Coastal Zone

### **2022: 35th American Meteorological Society Conference on Hurricanes and Tropical Meteorology - *New Orleans, LA***

Oral Presentation: The Evolution of Asymmetries in the Tropical Cyclone Boundary Layer Wind Field during Landfall

Poster Presentation: Evaluation of the Performance of COAMPS in Predicting Vertical Profiles of Wind and Temperature within the Coastal Regime: Initial Results from the Coastal Land-Air-Sea Interaction (CLASI) Departmental Research Initiative

### **2021: 34th American Meteorological Society Conference on Hurricanes and Tropical Meteorology - *Virtual Format***

Oral Presentation: Sensitivities of the decay of the near-surface tropical cyclone wind field to inland surface roughness and soil moisture

### **2019: European Geophysical Union, General Assembly - *Vienna, Austria***

Oral Presentation: The Influence of Oceanic Barrier Layers on Tropical Cyclone Intensity as Determined Through Idealized, Coupled Numerical Simulations

### **2018: 33rd American Meteorological Society Conference on Hurricanes and Tropical Meteorology - *Ponte Vedra, FL***

Poster Presentation: Coupled 3D Numerical Simulations of the Effects of Ocean Salinity on Tropical Cyclone Intensity

## COMPUTING SKILLS

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### **Programming Languages Numerical Modelling**

Python, MATLAB, FORTRAN, Julia (Working knowledge)  
Performance of and Module Development:  
Weather, Research, and Forecasting Model (WRF)  
Coupled Ocean/Atmosphere Mesoscale Prediction System (COAMPS)  
Cloud Model 1 (CM1)  
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## TEACHING EXPERIENCES

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Guest Lecturer, JAPN 410, California State University Monterey Bay *Spring 2023*

Guest Lecturer, ATM 563: Mesoscale Meteorology, University of Miami *Spring 2021*

Teaching Assistant, ATM 243: Weather Forecasting, University of Miami *Spring 2020*

Teaching Assistant, ATM 244: Tropical Meteorology and Forecasting, University of Miami *Fall 2018*

## ARTICLE/PROPOSAL REVIEWS FOR

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*Geophysical Research Letters*

*Journal of the Atmospheric Sciences*

*Journal of Geophysical Research: Atmospheres*

*Monthly Weather Review*  
*National Science Foundation*  
*Ocean Science*  
*Weather and Forecasting*

## **AWARDS AND RECOGNITION**

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National Research Council Postdoctoral Fellowship	<i>2021 - present</i>
University of Miami Fellowship	<i>2016 - 2021</i>
Chi Epsilon Pi Meteorological Honors Society, Penn State Chapter	<i>2015 - present</i>
Robert Case Memorial Scholarship	<i>2015/16 Academic Year</i>
John G. Miller Scholarship	<i>2013/14 Academic Year</i>
Penn State Freshman President's Award	<i>Spring 2013</i>