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#### RESEARCH DESCRIPTION

<u>Interests</u>: Large-scale circulation of the ocean, especially the global ocean overturning circulation and its interaction with the atmosphere and cryosphere; Paleoclimate

<u>Methods</u>: Numerical simulations using general circulation models (GCMs); development of idealized conceptual models

#### **EDUCATION**

Ph.D., Physical Oceanography Scripps Institution of Oceanography, UC San Diego Advisor: Ian Eisenman	2013-2019
Master of Science, Physical Oceanography Ocean University of China Advisor: Lixin Wu	2011-2013
Bachelor of Science, Marine Science Ocean University of China	2007-2011

#### **APPOITMENTS**

09/2019-present: Postdoctoral scholar, California Institute of Technology

09/2013-08/2019: Graduate Student Research Assistant, Scripps Institution of Oceanography, UC San Diego

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### Submitted

- S. Sun and A. F. Thompson: Centennial changes in the Indonesian Throughflow connected to the Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation: the ocean's transient conveyor belt. *submitted*
- S. Sun and I. Eisenman: Observed Antarctic sea ice expansion reproduced in a climate model after correcting biases in sea ice drift velocity. *submitted*

#### Peer-reviewed

- 10. <u>S. Sun</u>, A. F. Thompson, and I. Eisenman, 2020: Transient overturning compensation between Atlantic and Indo-Pacific basins. *J. Phys. Oceanogr.*, 50(8), 2151–2172
- 9. <u>S. Sun</u>, I. Eisenman, L. Zanna, and A. L. Stewart, 2020: Surface constraints on the depth of the Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation: Southern Ocean vs North Atlantic. *J. Clim.*, 33(8), 3125–3149

- 8. <u>S. Sun</u>, I. Eisenman, and A. L. Stewart, 2018: Does Southern Ocean surface forcing shape the global ocean overturning circulation? *Geophys. Res. Lett.*, 45(5), 2413–2423
- 7. <u>S. Sun</u> and J. Liu, 2017: Sensitivity of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current transport to surface buoyancy conditions in the North Atlantic. *Ocean Modell.*, 118, 118–129
- 6. H. Yang, L. Wu, <u>S. Sun</u>, and Z. Chen, 2017: Role of the South China Sea in Regulating the North Pacific Double-Gyre System. *J. Phys. Oceanogr.*, 47(7), 1617–1635
- 5. H. Yang, L. Wu, S. Sun, and Z. Chen, 2017: Selective Response of the South China Sea Circulation to Summer Monsoon. J. Phys. Oceanogr., 47(7), 1555–1568
- 4. <u>S. Sun</u>, I. Eisenman, and A. L. Stewart, 2016: The influence of Southern Ocean surface buoyancy forcing on glacial-interglacial changes in the global deep ocean stratification. *Geophys. Res. Lett.*, 43(15), 8124–8132
- 3. H. Yang, L. Wu, <u>S. Sun</u>, and C. Zhaohui, 2015: Low-frequency variability of monsoon-driven circulation with application to the south china sea. *J. Phys. Oceanogr.*, 45(6), 1632–1650
- 2. Z. Chen, L. Wu, B. Qiu, S. Sun, and F. Jia, 2014: Seasonal variation of the South Equatorial Current bifurcation off Madagascar. *J. Phys. Oceanogr.*, 44(2), 618–631
- 1. <u>S. Sun</u>, L. Wu, and B. Qiu, 2013: Response of the inertial recirculation to intensified stratification in a two-layer quasigeostrophic ocean circulation model. *J. Phys. Oceanogr.*, 43(7), 1254–1269

### **CONFERENCES**

- 1. AGU Fall Meeting (2015): Influence of the Southern Ocean on the global deep ocean stratification (Talk)
- 2. Southern Ocean Workshop (NCAR; 2017): Does Southern Ocean surface forcing shape the global ocean overturning circulation? (Talk)
- 3. Ocean Science Meeting (2018): Does Southern Ocean surface forcing shape the global ocean overturning circulation? (Poster)
- 4. 22nd AOFD (2019): What sets the depth of the Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation? (Talk)
- 5. Ocean Science Meeting (2020): The role of the Indo-Pacific Ocean in mediating the transient response of the Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation (Talk)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 1. Fall, 2016: Teaching assistant for SIOC 210 Physical Oceanography (Instructor: Lynne Talley)
- 2. Fall, 2017: Guest Lecture for SIOC 209 Numerical Modelling of the Climate System (Instructor: Ian Eisenman)

#### OTHER ACTIVITIES

Reviewer for Journal of Geophysical Research-Ocean, Journal of Physical Oceanography, and Communications Earth & Environment

NASA Summer School on Satellite Observations and Climate Models, organized by the JPL Center for Climate Sciences and the Keck Institute for Space Studies (2019)