Ted Conroy

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Research Interests

Coastal oceanography, estuarine and near-shore hydrodynamics, numerical modeling, sediment transport, observational techniques, satellite and drone imagery, etc.

Education

M.S. Earth Science, University of Oregon, 2018

Thesis advisor: Dr. David Sutherland

B.S. Global Environmental Science, University of Hawaii at Manoa, 2015

Thesis advisor: Dr. Brian Powell

Publications

Eidam, E.F., D.A. Sutherland, D.K. Ralston, B. Dye, *T. Conroy*, J. Schmitt, P. Ruggiero, and J. Wood, 2019: Impacts of 150 years of shoreline and bathymetric change in the Coos Estuary, Oregon, USA. *Estuaries and Coasts*, in review.

Conroy, T., D.A. Sutherland, and D.K. Ralston, 2019: Estuarine exchange flow variability in a seasonal, segmented estuary. *Journal of Physical Oceanography*, accepted.

Presentations

Shifts in sediment routing and deposition associated with 150 years of estuary modification in Coos Bay, Oregon. E. Eidam, D. Sutherland, D. Ralston, B. Dye, *T. Conroy*. Talk. Ocean Sciences Meeting 2020. San Diego, California

Estuarine exchange flow variability in a seasonal, segmented estuary. *T. Conroy*, D. Sutherland, D. Ralston (presenter). Poster. GRC Coastal Ocean Dynamics conference 2019. Manchester, New Hampshire

Fine-sediment dynamics in the estuary of a small mountainous river. E. Eidam, *T. Conroy*, D. Sutherland, D. Ralston. Poster. AGU Fall meeting 2018. Washington D.C.

Past, present, and potential future hydrodynamics and sediment transport in the Coos Estuary. *T. Conroy*, E. Eidam, D. Sutherland, K. Bartlett, D. Ralston, B. Dye. Poster. State of the Oregon Coast 2018. Coos Bay, Oregon

The Influence of Smaller Connecting Channels on Estuarine Exchange Flow. *T. Conroy*, D. Sutherland, D. Ralston. Poster. Ocean Sciences Meeting 2018. Portland, Oregon

Natural and human-induced interaction between two small, seasonal PNW estuaries. D. Sutherland, *T. Conroy*, M. Jarrin, D. Ralston. Poster. Coastal and Estuarine Research Federation Conference 2017. Providence, Rhode Island

Seasonal Exchange Flow Variability in a Pacific Northwest Estuary. *T. Conroy*, D. Sutherland. Poster. Eastern Pacific Ocean Conference 2017. Lake Tahoe, California

The effects of anthropogenic perturbations and climactic change on a tropical coastal system: A comparative study. C. Tognacchini, M. McManus, K. Ruttenberg, *T. Conroy*, J. Horley-Feitosa. Poster. ASLO Meeting 2017, Honolulu, Hawaii

The influence of mangrove removal on sediment characteristics at the He'eia Fishpond. *T. Conroy*, K. Ruttenburg, J. Horley-Feitosa. Talk. He'eia Fishpond Science Night. Kaneohe, Hawaii

Experience

Hydrographic technician at Cardinal Point Captains Graduate Employee at University of Oregon Volunteer at USGS Pacific Marine Science Center Lab technician at University of Hawaii at Manoa Analytical Geochemistry Lab

Skills

MATLAB, Unix, Python, FORTRAN, Numerical Modeling, Data Analysis, Statistics, High Performance Computing, FVCOM Numerical Ocean Model, Oceanographic Instrument Deployment, Oceanographic Mooring Construction, Small Boat Operation, Suspended Sediment Measurements and Calibration, CTD and ADCP data processing, etc.

Graduate Coursework Completed

Fluid Dynamics, Geophysical Fluid Dynamics, Nearshore Sediment Transport, Physical Oceanography, Numerical Methods, Geochemical Modeling, Environmental Data Analysis

Teaching Assistant Positions

Department of Earth Sciences, University of Oregon: Intro to Oceanography, Geology of the Pacific Northwest, Volcanoes and Earthquakes, Intro to Geology

Oceanographic Fieldwork

Multibeam/Side Scan Sonar in the Gulf of Mexico CTD/ADCP/Suspended Sediment in the Coos Estuary, Oregon CTD/ADCP in Leconte Bay, Alaska CTD/Microstructure in West Oahu, Hawaii

Outreach and Engagement
Eugene Ice-posium 2016, 2017 with Dave Sutherland