



Welcome

to

Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution's Mentoring Training and Orientation



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Objectives

Program Goals:

- provide mentoring to everyone at WHOI who wants it
- increase satisfaction and retention
- improve communication throughout the Institution.

How can you help?:

- create the possibility for professional growth through your relationship
- provide feedback to the Committee in order to continuously improve the mentoring program



Roles and Responsibilities, or

Now that I'm a mentor or mentee, what am I supposed to do?

- * Mentee contacts the mentor to schedule time & should have a plan or idea of what they want to accomplish.
- * Mentor does not have all the answers.
- * There is no single right way to do this.
- * Be open-minded.
- * Talk about potential problems before they happen.
- * Give your supervisor periodic updates.
- * **If you are wondering about something, ask, ask, ask!**



Getting to Know Each Other

Describe for your mentor/mentee how you came to work at WHOI.

As you tell your story, you may want to include:

- where you were just prior to coming to WHOI?
- why you were interested in working at WHOI?
- what has been the most satisfying thing about being at WHOI?
- what has surprised you about WHOI?



Starting the Mentoring Process

- *MENTEE*- What are your goals during the next six months?
- *MENTOR*--How will you contribute to the Mentee's goals?
- Agree on your next meeting time and location.



WHOI Mentoring Web Site

www.who.edu/WHOI/mentoring

Resource Guide

Work Book

Other resources:

www.mentoringgroup.com

(you can find a link from the WHOI mentoring web site)

Access to Committee Members

mentoring_committee@who.edu



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Time-Line

Applications requested for next session	January
Training	February
Mentor / Mentee meet	at least twice per month
Final program evaluation	August

