INTRODUCTION TO INTEGRATED SCIENCE AND CAREER EXPLORATION COURSE INSTRUCTORS & ADMINISTRATORS

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Chris’s background has been focused on the passive acoustic monitoring (PAM) of cetaceans for the purposes of management and risk mitigation, as well as improving the understanding of baleen whale vocal repertoire in the western North Atlantic Ocean. Chris has previously worked as a project manager with the Bioacoustics Research Program (BRP) at Cornell University, as a whale biologist and research station manager at College of the Atlantic's Mount Desert Rock Marine Research Station (MDR), and participates in annual research cruises with the NOAA Northeast Fisheries Science Center (NEFSC) in Woods Hole, with focuses on large baleen whale and beaked whale ecology.