

The RCRV **Science Oversight Committee** (SOC) is currently charged with providing guidance on refinement of the vessel design to ensure the broadest suitability for regional coastal science. They include representatives from each US geographic region (East, West and Gulf Coasts) who are supported by stakeholder federal funding agencies.

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