

World Ocean Council SOS 2017 Ocean Ambassadors Program Ocean Ambassadors Description and Responsibilities

VOLUNTEERS ARE SOUGHT TO JOIN THE OCEAN AMBASSADORS GROUP AND ASSIST THE SOS 2017 ORGANIZING COMMITTEE AND EVENT COORDINATOR IN PRODUCTION OF THE SUSTAINABLE OCEAN SUMMIT 2017 TO BE HELD NOVEMBER 29 TO DECEMBER 1 AT THE MARRIOTT HARBOURFRONT, HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA, CANADA.

Ocean Ambassadors are energetic, customer oriented, positive and passionate about quality, details and enhancing the SOS delegate experience. They should be comfortable and adaptive in a high-pressure situation and capable and willing to do whatever it takes to solve a problem or smooth an interaction.

Specific tasks will include:

- assisting with delegate registration and name tags, answering delegate questions and directing as necessary, hanging event banners and sponsor signage,
- monitoring speaker sessions and timing ; addressing session chair requests, escorting VIPS to and from conference rooms ; taking direction from Event Coordinator or Organizing Committee members as requested.
- liaising with hotel staff, setting up event registration and assisting with breakdown and freight preparation.
- taking notes during conferences and sessions for the SOS 2017 Report.

For more information on the Sustainable Ocean Summit 2017, please take a look at sustainableoceansummit.org

Ocean Ambassadors MUST be available for up to two pre-summit teleconferences and be available onsite from November 29 to December 1 2017 from one hour prior to one hour after all scheduled events. Ocean Ambassadors will be expected to comport themselves in a professional manner and in business attire. While no compensation is provided, Ocean Ambassadors will receive complimentary SOS 2017 admission and access to all scheduled events, meals and breaks. Preference will be given to students.

To be considered, send an e-mail and resume to SOS 2017 Ocean Ambassadors Program Coordinator Kes Morton at kes.morton@gmail.com

Organized by the WOC the SOS will advance leadership and collaboration among the diverse ocean business community in addressing marine environment and sustainability challenges. This is the only international, cross-sectoral ocean sustainability conference designed by and for the private sector.

The Summit brings together the wide range of industries involved in the use of marine space and resources, including shipping, oil and gas, fisheries, aquaculture, ports, mining, renewable energy, tourism, dredging, marine science/technology, maritime law, insurance, finance, and others. It is organized by the World Ocean Council, an international business leadership alliance on Corporate Ocean Responsibility. For more information and to register, see www.oceancouncil.org.