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- Samples for artificial (i.e. ^{236}U , Pu isotopes, ^{137}Cs , ^{90}Sr , ^{129}I) and natural (i.e. ^{7}Be , ^{210}Po and ^{210}Pb) radionuclides from French GEOVIDE cruise (May- 2014) to undertake an integrated oceanographic transect in the North Atlantic Ocean and Labrador Sea (GEOTRACES GA01 section) are in process.
- Participation in the German cruise PS94 (GEOTRACES GN04) on August 2015 to undertake an integrated oceanographic transect in the Arctic Ocean collecting samples and collaborating with other groups to measure artificial (i.e. ^{236}U , Pu isotopes, ^{129}I) and natural (i.e. ^{234}Th , ^{210}Po and ^{210}Pb) radionuclides. Samples are in process.
- Participation in the Eddies cruise (GEOTRACES GPpr11) on board RV Investigator collecting samples for Th-234 in order to evaluate exportation and remineralization of C.

GEOTRACES-related projects

- PROJECT TITLE: NUevos REtos en la investigación de cañones submarinos: Indicadores del Estado ambiental y Variabilidad espacio- temporal – El papel de los temporales (NUREIEV). IP: Miquel Canals (U. of Barcelona). Funded by Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad, CTM2013-44598-R.
- PROJECT TITLE: MEzcla y DISpersión en el TRAnsporte de Energia y Solutos (MeDistraes). IP: Jesus Carrera y Maaten W Saaltink. Funded by Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad. CGL2013-48869-C2-2-R, 2014-2016.
- PROJECT TITLE: Effect of the ocean acidification and warming in the biogeochemical cycle of Fe in the Norh Atlantic. IP: J. Magdalena Santana-Casiano, M. González-Dávila (ULPGC). Funded by Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad. CTM2014-53342-P.
- PROJECT TITLE: Aportes de metales traza a la zona costera durante diferentes períodos oceanográficos. Influencia del fitoplancton sobre la concentración de metales traza (MEFIO). IP - Coordinator: C. García Soto (IEO). Funded by Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad. CTM2011-28792-C02-02.
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- Clara Almécija-Pereda. Geochemical behaviour and sources of platinum group elements in anthropogenically-impacted sediments. Advisors: Antonio Cobelo Garcia and Juan Santos Echeandía. Universidade de Vigo 29/5/2015.

Other cruises

- VULCANA1015. Vulcanología Canaria Submarina. Organized by Instituto Español de Oceanografía. From October 13th to 23th, 2015 in the area of the submarine volcano of El Hierro. Chemical parameters measured: pH, total alkalinity, total dissolved inorganic carbon, Fe(II) and O₂.
- POS494. Submarine volcano of El Hierro. Organized by GEOMAR, Kiel. From February 7th to 15th, 2016. Chemical parameters measured: Fe(II) and pH.
- VULCANA0316. Vulcanología Canaria Submarina. Organized by Instituto Español de Oceanografía. From March 7th to 17th, 2016 in the area of the submarine volcano of El Hierro. Chemical parameters measured: pH, total alkalinity, total dissolved inorganic carbon, Fe(II) and O₂.

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