



# Oil Spill Professional Development WEB VIEWING

**What:** Two hour live videoconference streamed over the internet on topics related to the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill

**Who:** Formal and informal educators who teach primarily middle to high school grades or those professionals who work with the K-12 community – The general public is invited to view the program, live via the internet.

## Presentations Include:

**9:00 Oil Pollution 101**, Dr. Julia Lytle, University of Southern Mississippi

**9:30 Oil Impacts to Birds**, Dr. Mark Woodry, MS Grand Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve – Mississippi State University

**10:00 Toxicity Risk, Bioavailability, and Biodegradation of Oil**, Dr. Richard Snyder, University of West Florida

**10:30 Dispersants**, Dr. Julie Anderson, Louisiana State University – Louisiana Sea Grant

**When:** Saturday, January 28, 2012 9 am to 11 am CST

**How:** Register online <http://bit.ly/znZQdj>

Please follow the link above to register and watch the program live on your computer. On-site participants will be asking questions and conducting activities after the presentations. Please understand these activities are not available to the internet viewing audience. The program is streamed live over the internet for those who would like to view the presentations but cannot travel or are not interested in the professional development component. No stipends or CEUs are available to web participants.



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This program is a collaboration of numerous partners across the four Deepwater Horizon oil spill impacted U.S. Gulf states. A live videoconference will connect 10 locations with researchers and educators in a professional development program that involves presentations, question/answer session, activity related to the programs, and resource identification. Speakers with follow-up Q&A will rotate between each of the four states. Educators and the general public are invited to watch the presentations between 9am CST and 11am CST.

## **Host sites in each state include:**

**Alabama:** Dauphin Island Sea Lab, Dauphin Island, AL

**Florida:** FL-IFAS Santa Rosa Sea Grant Extension, Milton, Florida

**Louisiana:** Louisiana State University, Sea Grant, Baton Rouge, LA

**Mississippi:** Institute for Marine Mammal Studies and the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources, Biloxi, MS

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To obtain copies of presentations, resources, and materials related to this program please visit:

[www.gulfallianceeducation.org/OilSpill\\_Prof\\_Develop.php](http://www.gulfallianceeducation.org/OilSpill_Prof_Develop.php)