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First Graduate of Texas A&M-Corpus Christi’s Marine Doctoral Program Accepts Position at Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute  

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas – Dr. Scott Large, who became the first graduate of the University’s Marine Biology doctoral program in August, has accepted a postdoctoral position at Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute, the largest independent oceanographic research institution in the United States.  

Large, a post-doctoral researcher with the Institute’s National Marine Fisheries Service in Woods Hole, Mass., earned a master’s degree from the Island University in 2008. While working on his master’s degree, he won the best oral presentation by a graduate student at the 2008 Texas Academy of Sciences meeting and received the Addison E. Verrill Award for Marine Biology from the Darling Marine Center four consecutive years (2007-2010). He was mentored by Dr. Lee Smee in the University’s Department of Life Sciences.  

The Marine Biology doctoral program is a joint degree partnership between Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi, Texas A&M University-College Station, and Texas A&M University-Galveston. Large is the program’s first graduate from any of the partner campuses.

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