



IAMU CALL FOR PROPOSALS FOR FY2006

IAMU is pleased to announce a call for project proposals. The purpose of IAMU's Project System is to encourage the participation of all levels of academic and research staff at IAMU member universities in specific activities that meet IAMU objectives and goals. Project proposals that deliver measurable and worthwhile outcomes that can be shared with member universities will be given special consideration, as will those that include the collaboration of two or more IAMU member institutions. All proposals must be accompanied by a letter from the universities president/rector that states that the institution fully supports the research project.

Those interested in submitting proposals should visit the IAMU web site at www.iamu-edu.org. Sections of the web page that will be particularly helpful are in the left hand column: "What is IAMU". Follow the link to the section entitled "Introduction". Also in the left hand column, click on the section entitled "Project System" for guidelines for submitting proposals. The deadline for receipt of proposals is Friday, February 3rd, 2006. In order to be considered for funding, proposals should address the subject of (1) Globalization and MET at IAMU member institutions or (2) other standard IAMU themes reflecting the aims and objectives of the Basic Agreement.

Thanks to the support of The Nippon Foundation, IAMU is able to fund projects which contribute greatly to the body of knowledge available to those who educate students in the maritime industry. Developing a project for IAMU has also proven to be personally fulfilling and enriching for past participants. The primary researcher is required to present an interim report to the 7th Annual General Assembly which will be hosted by Dalian Maritime University in October, 2006 and a final report at the 8th Annual General Assembly in 2007. Funding for this travel by the lead researcher is provided through IAMU according to guidelines established by the Secretary's office and should *not* be included in the budget that you propose for the project.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Leonard H. Tyler". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a light gray rectangular background.

R. Adm. Leonard Tyler
Vice Chair

Attach