

STUDENT PRESENTERS ANNOUNCEMENT



Melanie Stock

Melanie is a German gone to Iceland and fresh into her second year of a PhD at the University of Iceland and the Marine and Freshwater Research Institute. Her work focuses on by-catch of marine mammals and seabirds in Icelandic gillnet fisheries. Melanie is hoping to better understand where, why, and how bycatch occurs so we can work on solutions to mitigate this incidental catch. Further, she wants to understand how by-catch affects fishers, their daily work and their profitability. The goal is more sustainable and efficient fisheries.