Research Highlights Guidelines

The research highlights section of the US CLIVAR website is intended to feature CLIVAR-related research that has been published, with an emphasis on recent and interesting findings, and to share these highlights with the broader scientific community. The site is not meant to be inclusive of all US CLIVAR research areas.

Who can submit?
- Scientists on interagency US CLIVAR-sponsored projects (e.g., process studies, Climate Process Teams, Climate Model Evaluation Projects)
- SSC and Panel members
- Working group members
- US AMOC Science Team members
- Others with a connection to US CLIVAR, such as a workshop participant or invited Summit speaker
- No more than one submission per scientist in a six month period

What topics are suitable?
- Timely research: findings that have been published within the past year
- Must be relevant to the US CLIVAR activity in which the author is participating (e.g., sponsored project, Panel, Working Group, Science Team, workshop focus)

What is the format?
- A short synopsis featuring the major finding(s), approximately 200-350 words
- Title that reflects the highlight, but is not identical to the publication
- Must include one figure/table/picture and a caption (Note: all images must come with approved copyright and reproduction/use permissions)
- Language and style must be accessible to a science-educated audience, but not necessarily within your own field of expertise
- Link to the original research publication or website
- List of all authors on original research or publication (Note: lead author does not have to be the contributor for the highlight)

US CLIVAR Project Office will review all submissions and provide editorial revisions for clarification, style, and accuracy.

Scientists who are interested in submitting a research highlight should review the ones published on the website (for format examples) and email the idea/publication to Kristan Uhlenbrock, kuhlenbrock@usclivar.org. A response will be sent within a week regarding the potential contribution and a suggested timeline for submission. The author of the highlight will have final approval of all editorial revisions.