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EDUCATION AND POSITIONS

Thompson Postdoctoral Fellow December 2023 - Present
Stanford University
Department of Geophysics

Postdoc in Distributed Acoustic Sensing July 2023 - November 2023
University of Washington
Department of Earth and Space Sciences

Ph.D in Earth and Planetary Science 2018 - 2023
Harvard University
Department of Earth and Planetary Sciences

Affiliate 2021 - 2023
University of Washington
Department of Earth and Space Sciences

B.A. in Geophysics 2014 - 2018
Washington University in St. Louis
Department of Earth and Planetary Sciences

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Seismology Seismicity generated by ice fracture and iceberg calving, ice shelf flexural gravity wave propagation and resonance, ambient noise methods for interrogating near-surface structure, detection and location methods, distributed acoustic sensing in cryospheric settings

Ice Mechanics Fracture and rifting dynamics, ice shelf flexure generated by fracture and ocean waves, ocean-ice interaction at marine terminating glaciers and ice shelves, altimetry and glacier surface morphology

Planetary Science Fracture and deformation in shells of icy moons, influence of ice-ocean coupling on ice fracture and ocean mixing moons, cryogeysering, ice shell formation and evolution

Machine Learning & Data Science Clustering, signal detection, automated feature detection in images, optimizing physical models using machine learning

SKILLS

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| Mathematics | Dynamical systems analysis, linear systems, asymptotic methods, Fourier transform methods for PDEs, inverse theory |
| Data | Distributed acoustic sensing (DAS), active & passive seismic, synthetic aperture radar, laser altimetry |
| Software & Tools | ObsPy, TensorFlow, SpecFEM2D, Ice Sheet System Model (ISSM), ArcGIS |
| Languages | Python, Julia, MATLAB |

PUBLICATIONS

- [1] S. D. Olinger, B. P. Lipovsky, and M. A. Denolle. "Ocean coupling controls rupture velocity of fastest observed ice shelf rift event". Accepted at *AGU Advances* (Dec. 2023).
- [2] S. D. Olinger et al. "Tracking the Cracking: A Holistic Analysis of Rapid Ice Shelf Fracture Using Seismology, Geodesy, and Satellite Imagery on the Pine Island Glacier Ice Shelf, West Antarctica". In: *Geophysical Research Letters* 49.10 (May 2022), pp. 6644–6652. DOI: 10.1029/2021GL097604.
- [3] Z. Chen et al. "Ross Ice Shelf Icequakes Associated With Ocean Gravity Wave Activity". In: *Geophysical Research Letters* 46.15 (Aug. 2019), pp. 8893–8902. DOI: 10.1029/2019g1084123.
- [4] S. D. Olinger et al. "Tidal and Thermal Stresses Drive Seismicity Along a Major Ross Ice Shelf Rift". In: *Geophysical Research Letters* 46.12 (June 2019), pp. 6644–6652. DOI: 10.1029/2019g1082842.

TEACHING

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| Harvard Gen Ed 1098 | Natural Disasters | Fall 2020 |
| Harvard Gen Ed 1158 | Water and the Environment | Spring 2021 |

ADVISING

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| Aidan Dealy | Undergraduate researcher at UW studying ice shelf roughness using ICESat-2 altimetry data | 2022 onward |
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AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

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| Thompson Fellowship (Stanford) | Accepted | 2023 |
| SeismoLab Director's Fellowship (Caltech) | Declined | 2023 |
| AGU Outstanding Student Presentation Award | | 2018 |

INVITED TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS

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| Geology & Geophysics Seminar | Oregon State University | 2023 |
| Ice+Climate Seminar | Dartmouth College | 2022 |
| SeismoTea Seminar | University of Utah | 2022 |
| Computational Physics and Mechanics Group Meeting | Vanderbilt University | 2020 |

West Antarctic Ice Sheet Conference
European Geophysical Union General Assembly
American Geophysical Union Fall Meeting

2021
2021
2017-2023