

Dr. Bruce Barber

“Shellfish Production in the Gulf of Mexico: Opportunities and Challenges”

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Bruce is the Executive Director of the Gulf Shellfish Institute (GSI), a non-profit whose mission is to increase shellfish production throughout the Gulf Region for both economic and environmental benefit through industry-driven, applied research.

He has a B.S. degree in Biological Sciences from the Ohio State University and a Ph. D. in Marine Science from the University of South Florida. Prior to joining GSI, he served on the faculties of Eckerd College; the University of Maine, where he was the Director of Aquaculture Research; the College of William and Mary (Virginia Institute of Marine Science); and Rutgers University (Haskin

shellfish Research Laboratory). His research has focused on the reproductive physiology and pathology of commercially important marine bivalves (clams, oysters, scallops and mussels). He has also taught numerous courses on aquaculture and marine invertebrate biology and advised undergraduate and graduate students. Bruce has published over 50 peer-reviewed articles and book chapters. He has served on the Boards of the Maine Aquaculture Innovation Center and Northeast Regional Aquaculture Center (USDA); review panels for the NOAA Sea Grant Program; and participated in the U.S.-Japan Natural Resources Panel on Aquaculture. Bruce and his wife, Susan, reside in Palmetto, Florida

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