## Luncheon with Philippe Cousteau, Jr. & Workshop on Citizen Science and the World Water Monitoring Challenge Saturday, April 16, 2016, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

This 3-hour, interactive professional learning workshop will be hosted by EarthEcho International and Patriots Point to provide South Carolina elementary, middle, and informal educators with tools to engage students in citizen science around water resources. During the workshop participants will:

- participate in citizen science by testing the health of local water sources utilizing a World Water Monitoring Challenge™ test kit provided for each teacher;
- learn how to connect youth to local environmental issues through *Going Blue: A Teen Guide to Saving Our Oceans, Lakes, Rivers, & Wetlands* and get your copy signed by one of the authors **Philippe Cousteau, Jr**;



- suplore **Patriots Point** hands-on programming that allows students to gain a deeper understanding of and excitement for science;
- sconnect with award-winning television host, producer, author, speaker, philanthropist and social entrepreneur, **Philippe Cousteau**, **Jr**. around his work as an environmental advocate and storyteller.

**Where:** Patriots Point Naval & Maritime Museum

40 Patriots Point Rd, Mt Pleasant, SC 29464

**When:** Saturday, April 16, 2016 from 9:00 am -12:00 pm

Light breakfast and lunch provided

**Who:** Elementary, Middle, and Informal Educators teaching in South Carolina

Register at: <a href="https://goo.gl/23NT04">https://goo.gl/23NT04</a>

\$50.00 travel stipend provided for first 50 participants

EarthEcho International's mission is to inspire young people worldwide to act now for a sustainable future. We are a nonprofit 501c3 organization founded in 2000 by siblings Philippe and Alexandra Cousteau in honor of their father Philippe Cousteau Sr., son of the legendary explorer Jacques Yves Cousteau. Philippe Sr.'s belief in "a world where every single child can breathe fresh air, drink clean water, and walk on green grass under a blue sky" serves as our vision to this day. Learn more at EarthEcho.org and MonitorWater.org

Patriots Point Naval and Maritime Museum serves over 20,000 students annually from across the state and region. Patriots Point offers a variety of science-based programming for a wide range of ages. Science experiences through Patriots Point include onboard classes as well as a variety of online and distance learning resources, from the reader, Oscar I Am!, to authentic research and inquiry-based opportunities in conjunction with local laboratories. Learn more at PatriotsPoint.org.

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