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Abstract Title: A scalable solution costing \$500 million that can remove 100,000 tons of floating plastic waste from the Pacific Ocean within 100 working days and produce 300,000 cubic meters of materials for land reclamation.

Dear Jianwen Zhang,

Thank you for submitting an abstract for consideration for inclusion in the Ocean Sciences Meeting 2026. This meeting will be held on 22-27 February 2026 in Glasgow, Scotland.

This letter serves as an invitation for you to attend OSM26 and to request an expedited visa appointment, if applicable. The abstract proposal submission period is open from 9 July until 20 August 2025. Notification confirming acceptance or rejection of the submission will be distributed in mid-October 2025.

Jointly sponsored by The American Geophysical Union (AGU), The Association for the Sciences of Limnology and Oceanography (ASLO), and The Oceanography Society (TOS), the Ocean Sciences Meeting is the flagship conference for the ocean sciences and the larger ocean-connected community. The meeting is open to all those with related interests in understanding the ocean sciences. We welcome a diverse community of scientists, students, journalists, policymakers, educators, and organizations who are working toward a world where our global collaborations and partnerships can carry us into a sustainable future. Participation in the meeting includes attending sessions in your areas of interest and an opportunity to communicate with others working in the field of ocean sciences.

This is an invitation to participate in the meeting, but not a personal sponsorship of your stay in Glasgow. You will need to secure your own funding for registration fees and, if applicable, travel and housing expenses. Please refer to the Ocean Sciences Meeting website for information at: <https://www.agu.org/ocean-sciences-meeting/>.

We look forward to your attendance at the Ocean Sciences Meeting 2026.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nicole Oliphant', written in a cursive style.

Nicole Oliphant
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