



Swedish Research Vessel Infrastructure for Marine Research

Welcome to the SWERVE Newsletter!

Enhanced Access to Ships for research



Awarded Ship Time for 2026!

SWERVE awarded Ship Time to three excellent projects in 2025, for voyages taking place in 2026. In addition, there are two projects on hold, pending the 2025 budget outcome.

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Call for Ship Time for 2027

SWERVE will open the call for Ship Time in February/March 2026 for voyages taking place in 2027. To ensure you don't miss it, sign up for our network. The announcement will also be published on the website.

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Apply for Early Research Programme onboard Oden

Take a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity and apply for the SWERVE-supported ECR Programme onboard IB Oden in August–September 2026.

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Early Career Researchers Explore the Central Arctic Ocean: Lessons from the Ice

How does it feel to do science at the North Pole? Two participants from the SWERVE supported Early Career Research Voyage share their stories from the Central Arctic Ocean — from sleepless nights on the icebreaker to unexpected rock samples and encounters with polar bears.

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Join the SWERVE network!

The SWERVE network is used to share important information about ship time calls, application deadlines, events, and much more.

To stay up to date make sure to sign up for the SWERVE network here!

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Technical Capabilities and Delivering Data



First National Marine Technician Network (NMTN) meeting!

The first NMTN meeting will take place on 15 December. The 2025 activities and outcomes will be summarized, participants' expectations for 2026 discussed, and a brief presentation of SWERVE 2.0 and its relevant activities given. If you want to join, contact [Lovisa Thoursie](#).

SWERVE Data on Zenodo

The work of uploading data from the SWERVE vessels has continued, and you can now access the data on the Zenodo SWERVE community page.

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Ferrybox Workshop!

Theory, practice, and exchange of experience – the automatic measuring system FerryBox took center stage as SWERVE once again brought together marine technicians for its popular workshop series on instruments essential to marine research.

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Join the National Marine Technician Network!

The NMTN focuses on providing information regarding opportunities and events tailored to Marine Technicians and creating a network for Marine Technicians to share their experience. Make sure that you keep updated by joining the network!

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Coordination, Management & Communication



Continued funding for SWERVE!

SWERVE has been awarded continued funding, the amount is yet to be announced, by the Swedish Research Council (VR) for SWERVE 2.0. The funding period will run from 2027 to 2030. More information about the continued operations will be communicated in 2026.

Additional Opportunities



Piggy-back opportunities: Spare berths on transit legs

RV Skagerak has a busy summer with cruises in the Baltic Sea, Svalbard, and Greenland. During transit legs between these cruises, the vessel is available for research projects. Opportunities for onboard research include non-interfering underway science, short sampling stops, or longer ship hire at a day rate.

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