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Education

- 2020 **Habilitation à Diriger des Recherches**, Université Paris-Est, Marne La Vallée, France, *Coastal Wave Hydrodynamics and Morphological Evolution*
- 2009 **PhD Oceanography**, Scripps Institution of Oceanography, UCSD, La Jolla, CA, USA, *Seasonal Sand Level Changes on Southern California Beaches : Observations and Modeling*
Thesis director : Dr. Bob Guza
- 2003 **B.S. Environmental Engineering**, MIT, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA

Positions

- 2023–present **Researcher**, Laboratoire d'Hydraulique Saint-Venant, École des Ponts, EDF R&D, Chatou, France
- 2021–2022 **Associated researcher**, Saint Venant Hydraulics Laboratory, DTecREM, Cerema, Chatou, France
- 2011–2021 **Researcher**, Saint Venant Hydraulics Laboratory, DTecREM, Cerema, Chatou, France
- 2017–2020 **Interim head of Risques, Environment and Hydraulics Laboratory**, Saint Venant Hydraulics Laboratory, DTecEMF, Cerema, Chatou, France
- 2017 **Visiting academic**, Cambridge Coastal Research Unit, Department of Geography, University of Cambridge, Cambridge, UK
- 2010–2011 **Research engineer**, Coastal Risks Group, BRGM, Orléans, France
- 2009–2010 **Postdoctoral researcher**, Scripps Institution of Oceanography, La Jolla, CA, USA
- 2003–2009 **Graduate student researcher**, Scripps Institution of Oceanography, La Jolla, CA, USA
- 2002 **Research internship**, *Research Experience for Undergraduates*, Horn Point Laboratory, University of Maryland, Cambridge, MD, USA
- 2002 **Research internship**, MIT, Cambridge, MA, USA
- 2001 **Research internship**, Consorzio Venezia Nuova, Venice, Italy

Teaching experience

- 2021–present **Coastal Engineering, Anchoring and Cables**, Coordinator and lecturer, ENSTA (L3), IP Paris (M2), Palaiseau, France
- 2020–present **Sea States, Wave Propagation, and Ocean Wave Energy**, Coordinator and lecturer, ENSTA (L3), IP Paris (M2), Palaiseau, France
- 2020–present **Costal and Port Project**, Lecturer, ENPC (L3), Champs-sur-Marne, France
- 2013–2019 **Sea State, Coastal Waves and Morphodynamics**, Lecturer, ENSTA (L3), Ecole Polytechnique, ENSTA (M2), Palaiseau, France
- 2016–2019 **Maritime Works**, Lecturer, ENPC (L2), Champs-sur-Marne, France
- 2016, 2019 **LNHE and LHSV Free surface hydraulics training session : Waves and coastal hydrodynamics classes**, Lecturer, EDF R&D, Chatou, France
- 2011–2013 **Scientific English**, Lecturer, ENS Cachan (L2), Cachan, France
- 2007 **The Oceans**, Teaching assistant, University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA, USA
- 2003–2009 **Physics and mathematics tutor (high school level)**, Breyer's Branches, Solana Beach, CA, USA
- 2002 **Waste Containment and Remediation Technology**, Teaching assistant, MIT, Cambridge, MA, USA

Advising experience

Postdoctoral researchers

- 2021 **T. Chataigner**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Application du modèle de complexité réduite d'évolution des plages sur la plage de Vougot et validation avec des observations morphologiques (*co-advised with N. Le Dantec*)
- 2020-2021 **P. Balitsky**, *Cerema REM, Plouzané, France*, Improving spectral wave modeling of extreme and breaking wave sea states (*co-advised with F. Leclerc and J.-F. Filipot (France Energies Marines)*)
- 2017-2019 **B. Simon**, *IRPHE, Marseille, France*, Integrating the effects of wave breaking and optimizing a 3D deterministic, fully nonlinear potential flow wave propagation model (*co-advised with M. Benoit (IRPHE)*)
- 2017-2018 **C. Papoutsellis**, *IRPHE, Marseille & LHSV, Chatou, France*, Wave breaking in a fully nonlinear and dispersive potential flow model (*co-advised with M. Benoit (IRPHE)*)
- 2015 **M. Gervais**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Mitigating beach erosion in storm conditions with a submerged breakwater (*co-advised with D. Pham Van Bang*)

PhD students

- 2020–2023 **S. Mohanlal**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Improving 3D wave modelling in maritime environments and interaction in maritime environments (*co-advised with J. Harris, L. Pastur, C. Peyrard, E4C Fellowship*)
- 2021–2022 **M. Igigabel**, *Cerema, Plouzané, France*, Systems to protect against marine flooding (*PhD based on work experience, co-advised with Y. Diab*)
- 2018–2021 **T. Chataigner**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Integrating alongshore processes in the beach morphodynamic evolution (*co-advised with N. Le Dantec, N. Goutal, DGA/Cerema Fellowship*)
- 2014–2016 **C. Raoult**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Modeling nonlinear waves in the coastal zone (*co-advised with M. Benoit*)

Masters and engineering students

- 2022 **G. Dreysse**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Characterizing surface wave breaking statistics in an experimental study using machine learning (3DWaveBI) (*Masters, co-advised with J. Harris and L. Pastur*)
- 2022 **A. Guidel**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Characterizing wave breaking forces and classification in an experimental study (3DWaveBI) (*Engineer, co-advised with J. Harris and L. Pastur*)
- 2022 **J. Wang**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Modeling wave transformation and breaking over variable bathymetry in a numerical wave tank (3DWaveBI) (*Engineer, co-advised with J. Harris*)
- 2022 **C. Michelet**, *Cerema, Plouzané, France*, Development of a wave transfer function to force an empirical equilibrium beach change model (*Masters, co-advised with N. Le Dantec*)
- 2020 **S. Mohanlal**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Modeling nearshore wave shoaling and breaking in a fully nonlinear and dispersive potential flow theory model (*Masters*)
- 2020 **M. Gasmelseed**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Coastal morphological evolution near Authie Bay, France : Analysis and equilibrium modeling (*Masters*)
- 2019 **N. Cailler**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Empirical modeling of beach morphological evolution and shoreline dynamics : sea-level rise impacts (*Engineer, co-advised with N. Le Dantec*)
- 2019 **C. Petton**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Empirical modeling of beach morphological evolution and shoreline dynamics : wave climate change impacts (*Masters, co-advised with N. Le Dantec*)
- 2018 **M. Leary**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Extension of an equilibrium beach change model to include alongshore transport processes (*Masters, co-advised with N. Le Dantec, F. Floc'h*)
- 2017 **M. De Carlo**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Validating the morphological change model XBeach to simulate submerges breakwater beach erosion reduction experiments (*Masters, co-advised with D. Pham Van Bang*)

- 2017 **G. Bouvard**, *UBO, Brest, France*, Application and calibration of an equilibrium model applied to a beach-dune system at Guisseney beach (*Engineer, co-advised with N. Le Dantec, F. Floc'h*)
- 2016 **D. Tasing**, *LHSV, Chatou, France*, Optimization of the wave propagation model MisthyC (*Masters*)
- 2016 **C. Ghitui**, *LHNE, EDF R&D, Chatou, France*, Comparing wave propagation models (*Masters, co-advised with M. Andreevsky, A. Joly*)
- 2016 **M. C. Lemos Rodríguez**, *UBO, Brest, France*, Predicting shoreline change using equilibrium models : Porsmilin, France (*Masters, co-advised with N. Le Dantec, F. Floc'h*)
- 2011 **E. Salaï**, *BRGM, Orléans, France*, Multidecadal shoreline change of atolls : Manihi and Scilly (*co-advised with G. Le Cozannet*)

Undergraduate interns/projects

- 2023 **École des Ponts academic tutor**, *P. Alonso Alguacil*, LNHE/LHSV
- 2022 **IP Paris tutor for scientific internship**, *P. Bienvenue*, FEM
- 2022 **External internship reviewer**, *M. Traboulsi*, University of Grenoble
- 2021 **IP Paris tutor for scientific internship**, *S. Samatove*, Blue Gem Wind
- 2019-2020 **ENPC independent 3rd year project**, *G. Kanellaki*, (*co-advised with P. Tassi*)
- 2019-2020 **ENSTA independent research project**, *B. Poyer*
- 2019-2020 **ENPC tutor for professional internship**, *M. Queijeiro Rilo*, EGIS
- 2019 **ENSTA tutor for scientific internship**, *X. Lastiri*, UPPA
- 2013, 2015 **Tutor for internships abroad**, 2-3 students per year, ENPC
- 2014 **Intern**, *ENPC, P. Desbrières*, LHSV, Chatou, France, (*co-advised with M. Benoit*)

Projects

- 2023-2026 **FEM, OROWSHI** : OffshoRe wind turbine design : including jOint Wind-wave and climate change information in Standards for Hurricane-exposed sites, Research action contributor
- 2021-2022 **E4C : Energy 4 Climate**, 3DWaveBI (3D breaking wave impacts) : Improving 3D numerical models of wave breaking, wave breaking statistics, and wave forces on structures and model validation with 3D wave basin experiments, Research action contributor
- 2021-2022 **SeaEU**, Observations and modeling of complex hydrodynamics and morphodynamics at Vougot beach (Guissény, Finistère, France), French participant
- 2020-2021 **E4C : Energy 4 Climate**, FRICFLOAT : Improving numerical models predicting the dissipation of wave energy around a floating structure, Research action contributor
- 2019 **ISblue**, Interdisciplinary graduate School for the blue planet : Incoming PhD Student Mobility (2 months) for Jennifer Montano Munoz, French co-host
- 2018-2021 **InterReg 2 Seas**, ENDURE : ENsuring DUne REsilience against Climate Change, Participant, internship advisor
- 2018-2020 **Programme Hubert Curien (PHC) Sakura**, Predicting decadal-scale shoreline evolution integrating the impacts of climate change, French project leader
- 2017-2020 **ANR-France Energies Marines (FEM)**, Modeling and observation of extreme sea states with wave breaking for Renewable Marine Energy applications (DiMe), Cerema Scientific coordinator, post-doctoral researcher co-advisor
- 2017 **ANR Labex MEC**, Wave breaking : physical, mathematical and numerical studies (DE-PHYMAN), Participant, post-doctoral researcher co-advisor
- 2015-2016 **Geocorail contract**, Laboratory experiments of reducing storm-induced beach erosion with submerged strcutres, Participant, post-doctoral researcher co-advisor
- 2011-2015 **National Project EMACOP**, Marine, Coastal, and Port Energy, Participant
- 2010-2013 **ANR CECILE**, Coastal Environment Changes Impact of sea LEvel, Participant

Refereed Publications

- [1] S. Mohanlal, J. C. Harris, **Yates, M. L.**, and S. T. Grilli. Unified depth-limited wave breaking detection and dissipation in fully nonlinear potential flow models. *Coastal Engineering*, 183 :104316, August 2023.
- [2] S. Suanez, **Yates, M. L.**, F. Floc'h, and M. Accensi. Using 17-years of beach-dune profile monitoring to characterize morphological dynamics related to significant extreme water level events in North Brittany (France). *Geomorphology*, page 108709, May 2023.
- [3] M. Igigabel, Y. Diab, and **Yates, M. L.**. Exploring methodological approaches for strengthening the resilience of coastal flood protection system. *Front. Earth Sci.*, 9 :756936, 2022.
- [4] T. Chataigner, **M.L. Yates**, N. Le Dantec, M. D. Harley, K. D. Splinter, and N. Goutal. Sensitivity of a one-line longshore shoreline change model to the mean wave direction. *Coastal Engineering*, 172 :104025, 2022.
- [5] P. Dissanayake, **Yates, M. L.**, S. Suanez, F. Floc'h, and K. Krämer. Climate Change Impacts on Coastal Wave Dynamics at Vougot Beach, France. *Journal of Marine Science and Engineering*, 9(9), 2021.
- [6] J. Montaño, G. Coco, T. Chataigner, **Yates, M.**, N. Le Dantec, S. Suanez, L. Cagigal, F. Floc'h, and I. Townend. Time-Scales of a Dune-Beach System and Implications for Shoreline Modeling. *Journal of Geophysical Research : Earth Surface*, 126(11) :e2021JF006169, 2021.
- [7] A. Varing, J.-F. Filipot, S. Grilli, R. Duarte, V. Roeber, and **Yates, M. L.**. A new definition of the kinematic breaking onset criterion validated with solitary and quasi-regular waves in shallow water. *Coast. Eng.*, 164 :103755, 2021.
- [8] B. Simon, C. Papoutsellis, M. Benoit, and **Yates, M. L.**. Comparing methods of modeling depth-induced breaking of irregular waves with a fully nonlinear potential flow approach. *J. Ocean Eng. Mar. Energy*, 5 :365–383, 2019.
- [9] C. Papoutsellis, **Yates, M. L.**, B. Simon, and M. Benoit. Modeling of depth-induced wave breaking in a fully nonlinear free-surface potential flow model. *Coast. Eng.*, 154 :103579, 2019.
- [10] C. Raoult, **Yates, M. L.**, and M. Benoit. Development and validation of a 3D RBF-spectral model for coastal wave simulation. *J. Comp. Phys.*, 378 :278–302, 2019.
- [11] C. Lemos, F. Floc'h, **Yates, M. L.**, N. Le Dantec, V. Marieu, K. Hamon, V. Cuq, S. Suanez, and C. Delacourt. Equilibrium modeling of the beach profile on a Macrotidal Embayed Low Tide Terrace Beach. *Ocean Dynamics*, 68 :1207–1220, 2018.
- [12] R. Pedreros, D. Idier, H. Muller, S. Lecacheux, F. Paris, **Yates-Michelin, M.**, F. Dumas, L. Pineau-Guillou, and N. Sénéchal. Relative Contribution of Wave Setup to the Storm Surge : Observations and Modeling Based Analysis in Open and Protected Environments (Truc Vert beach and Tubuai island). *J. Coast. Res.*, SI 85 :1046–1050, 2018.
- [13] M. Benoit, C. Raoult, and **Yates, M. L.**. Analysis of the linear version of a highly dispersive potential water wave model using a spectral approach in the vertical. *Wave Motion*, 74C :159–181, 2017.
- [14] A. Doria, R. T. Guza, W. C. O'Reilly, and **Yates, M. L.**. Observations and modeling of San Diego beaches during El Niño. *Cont. Shelf Res.*, 124 :153–164, 2016.
- [15] C. Raoult, M. Benoit, and **Yates, M. L.**. Validation of a fully nonlinear and dispersive wave model with laboratory non-breaking experiments. *Coast. Eng.*, 114 :194–207, 2016.
- [16] B. Ludka, R. Guza, W. C. O'Reilly, and **Yates, M. L.**. Field evidence of beach profile evolution toward equilibrium. *J. Geophys Res.*, 120(11) :7574–7597, 2015.
- [17] **Yates, M. L.** and M. Benoit. Accuracy and efficiency of two numerical methods of solving the potential flow problem for highly nonlinear and dispersive water waves. *Intl. J. Num. Meth. Fluids*, 77 :616–640, 2015.
- [18] G. Le Cozannet, M. Garcin, **Yates, M.**, D. Idier, and B. Meyssignac. Approaches to evaluate the recent impacts of sea-level rise on shoreline changes. *Earth Science Reviews*, 138 :47–60, 2014.

- [19] G. Le Cozannet, M. Garcin, L. Petitjean, A. Cazenave, M. Becker, B. Meyssignac, P. Walker, C. Devilliers, O. Le Brun, S. Lecacheux, A. Baills, T. Bulteau, **Yates, M.**, and G. Wöppelmann. Exploring the relation between sea level rise and shoreline erosion using sea level reconstructions : an example in French Polynesia. *J. Coast. Res.*, SI 65 :2137–2142, 2013.
- [20] G. Le Cozannet, M. Garcin, T. Bulteau, **Yates, M. L.**, M. Méndez, A. Baills, D. Idier, and C. Oliveros. An AHP-derived method for mapping the physical vulnerability of coastal areas at regional scales. *Nat. Hazards Earth Syst. Sci.*, 13 :1209–1227, 2013.
- [21] **Yates, M. L.**, G. Le Cozannet, M. Garcin, E. Salaï, and P. Walker. Multidecadal atoll shoreline change on Manihi and Manuae, French Polynesia. *J. Coast. Res.*, 29(4) :870–882, 2013.
- [22] **Yates, M. L.** and G. Le Cozannet. Evaluating European Coastal Evolution using Bayesian Networks. *Nat. Hazards Earth Syst. Sci.*, 12 :1173–1177, 2012.
- [23] **Yates, M. L.**, G. Le Cozannet, and N. Lenôtre. Quantifying Errors in Long-term Coastal Erosion and Inundation Hazard Assessments. *J. Coast. Res.*, SI 64 :260–264, 2011.
- [24] **Yates, M. L.**, R. T. Guza, W. C. O'Reilly, J. E. Hansen, and P. L. Barnard. Equilibrium Shoreline Response of a High Wave Energy Beach. *J. Geophys. Res.*, 116(C04014), 2011.
- [25] **Yates, M. L.**, R. T. Guza, and W. C. O'Reilly. Equilibrium Shoreline Response : Observations and Modeling. *J. Geophys. Res.*, 114(C09014), 2009.
- [26] **Yates, M. L.**, R. T. Guza, W. C. O'Reilly, and R. J. Seymour. Overview of seasonal sand level changes on southern California beaches. *Shore & Beach*, 77(1) :39–46, 2009.
- [27] **Yates, M. L.**, R. T. Guza, W. C. O'Reilly, and R. J. Seymour. Seasonal persistence of a small southern California beach fill. *Coast. Eng.*, 56 :559–564, 2009.
- [28] **Yates, M. L.**, R. T. Guza, R. Gutierrez, and R. Seymour. A Technique for Eliminating Water Returns from Lidar Beach Elevation Surveys. *J. Atmos. Oc. Tech.*, 25(9) :1671–1682, 2008.

Conference Proceedings

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- Floc'h, F., Cobac, Y., Suanez, S., Le Dantec, N., Ammann, J., Chataigner, T., **Yates, M.**, Noronha, A., Dissanayake, P., Michelet, C., 2022. Tidal influence on the littoral drift of a beach with complex bathymetry : example of the Vougot beach, Guissény (France). JNGCGC, Chatou, France, 9p.
- Chataigner, T., **Yates, M.**, Le Dantec, N., Suanez, S., Floc'h, F., Bouvard, G., 2019. Modélisation empirique de l'évolution morphologique de la plage de Vougot. Colloque SHF Littoral et Changement Climatique, Paris, France, 4p.
- Simon, B., Papoutsellis, C., Benoit, M., **Yates, M.**, 2018. Modélisation du déferlement du à la bathymétrie dans un code de simulation des vagues non-linéaires et dispersives en zone côtière. Proc. 16èmes Journée de l'Hydrodynamique, Marseille, France, 11p.
- Varing, A., Filipot, J. F., Roeber, V., Duarte, R., **Yates-Michelin, M.**, 2018. A Discussion on the Wave Breaking Criteria of Shallow Water Ocean Waves. Proc. 16èmes Journée de l'Hydrodynamique, Marseille, France, 11p.
- Christie, E. K., Möller, I., Spencer, T., **Yates, M.**, 2018. Modelling Wave Attenuation due to Salt Marsh Vegetation using a Modified SWAN Model. Proc. 36th International Conference on Coastal Engineering, Baltimore, MD, USA, 9p.
- Igigabel, M., **Yates, M.**, 2018. Cost study of coastal protection. Proc. 36th International Conference on Coastal Engineering, Baltimore, MD, USA, 12p.
- Michard, B., Boulard, S., **Yates, M.**, Varing, A., Filipot, J.-F., Sergent, P., 2018. Projet EMACOP : mesures in-situ de houle versus le modèle numérique SWASH sur le site d'Esquibien (Finistère). Proc. XVèmes Journées Nationales Génie Côtier – Génie Civil, La Rochelle, France, 12p.
- Lemos, C., Floc'h, F., **Yates, M.**, Le Dantec, N., Marieu, V., Hamon, K., Cuq, V., Suanez, S., Delacourt, C., 2017. *Equilibrium modeling of the shoreline position on a macrotidal embayed beach*, Proc. Coastal Dynamics, Helsingør, Denmark, 12p.
- Raoult, C., **Yates, M. L.**, Benoit, M., 2016. *Modeling viscous effects in a fully nonlinear and dispersive potential model*, Proc. 15èmes Journées de l'Hydrodynamique, Brest, France, 16p.
- Raoult, C., Benoit, M., **Yates, M. L.**, 2016. *Développement d'un modèle numérique non-linéaire et dispersif pour la propagation des vagues en zone côtière*, Proc. GCGC, Toulon, France, 12p.

- Gervais, M., Pham Van Bang, **Yates, M.**, D., Vidal, V., Benoit, M., 2016. *Réduire l'érosion des plages lors des tempêtes grâce à des structures immergées : une étude expérimentale comparative en canal à houle*, Proc. GCGC, Toulon, France, 9p.
- Gervais, M., Pham Van Bang, D., Vidal, V., **Yates, M.**, Benoit, M., 2015. *Mitigating beach erosion in storm conditions with a submerged breakwater : an experimental study*, Coastal and Maritime Mediterranean Conference, Ferrara, Italie, 5p.
- **Yates, M. L.**, Benoit, M., Raoult, C., 2015. *Fully nonlinear and dispersive of nearshore wave modeling : accuracy and efficiency of two methods of solving the potential flow problem*, Proc. IWWWFB, Bristol, UK, 4p.
- Raoult, C., Benoit, M., **Yates, M. L.**, 2014. *Etude et qualification d'un modèle numérique complètement non-linéaire et dispersif pour les vagues en zone côtière*, Proc. GCGC, Dunkerque, France, 10p.
- Benoit, M., Raoult, C., , **Yates, M. L.**, 2014. *Fully nonlinear and dispersive modeling of surf zone waves : non-breaking tests*, Proc. ICCE, Seoul, South Korea, 10p.
- Benoit, M., **Yates, M. L.**, Chazel, F., 2013. *A comparison of simulation approaches based on the Zakharov equations*, Proc. IWWWFB, Le Croisic, France, 4p.
- **Yates, M. L.**, Benoit, M., 2012. *Modélisation Non-linéaire et Dispersive des Vagues en Zone Côtière : Étude Comparative de Deux Méthodes de Simulation Précises*, Proc. 13èmes Journées de l'Hydrodynamique, Chatou, France, 13p.
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- Le Cozannet, G., N. Lenôtre, **M. Yates**, P. Nacass, B. Colas, C. Pérherin, C. Peinturier, C. Vanroye, C. Hajji, B. Poupat, C. Azzam, J. Chemitte, and F. Pons, 2010. Climate Change impact, adaptation and associated costs for coastal riske in France. *Littoral 2010, Conference Proceedings*, London, UK, 21-23 September 2010.
- Sanford, L.P., P. Dickhudt, L. Rubiano-Gomez, **M. Yates**, S. Suttles, C.T. Friedrichs, D. Fugte, and H. Romaine, 2005. Variability of suspended particle concentrations, sizes and settling velocities in the Chesapeake Bay turbidity maximum. In *Flocculation in Natural and Engineered Environmental Systems*. I.G. Droppo, G. G. Leppard, P. Liss, and T. Milligan, Eds. Boca Raton, Florida, CRC Press, LLC : 221-236. UM CES Contribution No. 3597.

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- **Yates, M. L.**, N. Le Dantec, T. Chataigner. Reduced-Complexity Modeling of Cross-shore and Longshore Beach Evolution, *International Conference on Coastal Engineering*, Sydney, Australia, 2022.
- Leclerc, B., Hédou, F., Le Dantec, N., **Yates, M. L.** (presenter). Mapping coastal erosion hazards in response to the French climate and resilience law, *SeaTechWeek*, Brest, France, 2022.
- **Yates, M. L.**, T. Chataigner, N. Le Dantec, M.D. Harley, K.D. Splinter. Exploring the Parameterization and Sensitivity of a Simple Hybrid Shoreline Change Model, *Coastal Dynamics*, online, 2021.
- Chataigner, T., **M. L. Yates** (presenter), N. Le Dantec, S. Suanez, F. Floc'h, G. Bouvard, M. Leary, C. Petton, N. Cailler. Equilibrium Modeling of Current and Future Beach Evolution : Vougot Beach, France, *International Conference on Coastal Engineering*, online, 2020.
- Raoult, C., **M. L. Yates** (presenter), Benoit, M. A Nonlinear and Dispersive 3D Model for Coastal Waves using Radial Basis Functions, *International Conference on Coastal Engineering*, Baltimore, MD, USA, 2018.
- De Carlo, M., **M. L. Yates** (presenter), D. Pham Van Bang, M. Gervais, V. Vidal. Evaluating Storm Erosion on Beaches Protected by Submerged Structures with XBeach, *XBeach X Users Conference*, Delft, Netherlands, 2017.
- **Yates, M. L.**, M. Benoit, C. Raoult. Fully nonlinear and dispersive nearshore wave modeling : accuracy and efficiency of two methods of solving the potential flow problem, *IWWWFB*, Bristol, UK, 2015.
- **Yates, M. L.**, M. Benoit. Accurate modeling of nonlinear and dispersive waves in the coastal zone, *WISE*, College Park, MD, USA, 2013.
- **Yates, M. L.**, M. Benoit. Modélisation Non-linéaire et Dispersive des Vagues en Zone Côtière : Étude Comparative de Deux Méthodes de Simulation Précises, *Journées de l'Hydrodynamique*, Chatou, France, 2012.
- **Yates, M. L.**, G. Le Cozannet, N. Lenôtre. Quantifying errors in long-term coastal erosion and inundation hazard assessments. *International Coastal Symposium*, Szczecin, Poland, 2011.

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- **Yates, M.L.**, J.E. Hanson, W.C. O'Reilly, P.L. Barnard, and R.T. Guza (presenter). Equilibrium Shoreline Change at Ocean Beach, San Francisco, CA. *Ocean Sciences Meeting*, Portland, OR, 2010.
- **Yates, M.L.**, R.T. Guza, R.J. Seymour, W.C. O'Reilly, and A. Young. Alongshore Variability of Shoreline Change and Geologic Factors. *AGU, Fall Meeting*, San Francisco, CA, 2008.
- **Yates, M.L.**, R.T. Guza, W.C. O'Reilly, and R.J. Seymour. Overview of Seasonal Sand Level Changes on Southern California Beaches, *ASBPA National Coastal Conference : Sustainable Shorelines*, Chicago, IL, 2008.
- **Yates, M.L.**, and R.T. Guza. Seasonal Sand Level Changes on Southern California Beaches : Observations and Modeling, *Physical Oceanography Dissertation Symposium*, Honolulu, HI, 2008.
- **Yates, M.L.**, R.T. Guza, R.J. Seymour, and W.C. O'Reilly. Sand Level Changes and Beach Equilibrium Concepts, *International Conference of Coastal Engineering*, Hamburg, Germany, 2008.
- **Yates, M.L.**, R.T. Guza, R.J. Seymour, and W.C. O'Reilly. Seasonal Beach Changes and Equilibrium Concepts. AGU, *Ocean Sciences Meeting*, Orlando, FL, 2008.
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Seminars

- 2022 **GIS HED2**, online presentation
- 2019 **IHCantabria**, Santander, Spain
- 2018 **PARI**, *Port and Airport Research Institute*, Kurihama, Japan
- 2017 **CCRU**, *Department of Geography, University of Cambridge*, Cambridge, UK
- 2016 **GDR TransNat**, Roscoff, France
- 2015 **ANGE Laboratory**, *Université Pierre et Marie Curie*, Paris, France
- 2012 **CETMEF**, Compiègne, France
- 2011 **LNHE**, *EDF R&D*, Chatou, France
- 2009 **BRGM**, Orléans, France
- 2009 **L'OCEAN**, *Université Pierre et Marie Curie*, Paris, France
- 2008 **COM**, *Université de la Méditerranée*, Marseille, France
- 2008 **EPOC**, *Université de Bordeaux 1*, Bordeaux, France

Workshops

- 2023 **B'WAVES 2023**, *Inria*, Bordeaux, France
- 2021 **B'WAVES 2021**, Virtual edition
- 2018 **B'WAVES 2018**, *IRPHE*, Marseille, France
- 2018 **GLADYS workshop**, *CNRS*, Saint Julien en Vercors, France
- 2017 **Delft Software Days 2017**, *Deltares*, Delft, The Netherlands
- 2016 **B'WAVES 2016**, *University of Bergen*, Bergen, Norway
- 2015 **GLADYS-Littoral workshop**, *CNRS*, Allègre-les-Fumades, France
- 2015 **Wave propagation in complex media**, Cargèse, Corse, France

- 2013 **HYDRALAB Young Researchers Conference on Floating Bodies**, IFREMER, Plouzané, France
- 2012 **Parallel Computing : MPI**, IDRIS, Orsay, France
- 2010 **ArcGIS**, BRGM, Orléans, France

Field work

- 2022 **Vougot Beach Field Experiment**, Vougot Beach, Finistère, France, In situ and remote sensing (drone) measurements of wave transformation, breaking, and currents in the nearshore zone
- 2009 **Imperial Beach Field Experiment**, Imperial Beach, California, USA, Large scale observations of chlorophyll, bacteria, passive tracer and drifter dispersion in the surf zone
- 2006 **Huntington Beach Field Experiment**, Huntington Beach, California, USA, Observations of currents and chlorophyll, bacteria, passive tracer and drifter dispersion in the surf zone
- 2002 **R/V Cape Henlopen**, Chesapeake Bay, MD, USA, Cruise observations of suspended sediments in the turbidity maximum zone of the Chesapeake Bay

Awards and Honors

- 2008 American Shore and Beach Preservation Association Educational Award
- 2007–2008 Achievement Rewards for College Scientists Scholar
- 2007 California Shore and Beach Preservation Associate Weigel Scholarship
- 2004–2007 National Defense Science and Engineering Graduate Fellowship
- 2003–2004 T.R. and Edith Folsom Graduate Fellowship
- 2003 Outstanding Student Poster Award, ASLO Aquatic Sciences Meeting

Service

Examination Committees

- 2023 PhD, reporter & examiner, Ivana Mingo, Université Toulouse III Paul Sabatier
- 2022 HDR, examiner, Volker Roeber, UPPA
- 2022 PhD, reporter & examiner, Antoine Soloy, Université de Rouen Normandie
- 2022 PhD, examiner, Maurizio D'Anna, Université de Bordeaux
- 2021 PhD, reporter & examiner, Yan Xu, Danish Technical University
- 2021 PhD, reporter & examiner, Megan Cook, Université de Montpellier

Administrative responsibilities

- 2019- Organizer of LHSV Waves discussion group
- 2018-2021 Interim head of the Cerema LRHE laboratory
- 2015- Co-leader of the Waves and coastal and maritime risks research group of the LHSV
- 2016- Coordinator of the Journée des doctorants LHSV
- 2014- Co-contributor to the LHSV website

Editorial responsibilities

- 2021 Co-editor of Journal of Marine Science and Engineering Special Issue : *Morphodynamic evolution and sustainable development of coastal systems*

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