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Curriculum Vitae

Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences
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Preparation and Appointments

- 2021 - **Assistant Professor**, Department of Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences
University of Wisconsin–Madison
- 2018 - 2021 **Assistant Professor**, Department of Physics and Physical Oceanography
University of North Carolina Wilmington
- 2013 - 2017 **Postdoctoral Scholar**, Scripps Institution of Oceanography, *University of California San Diego*
Advisor: Ian Eisenman (2013-2017), Co-advisor: Fiamma Straneo (2017)
- 2009 - 2013 **Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Mathematics**
University of Cambridge, UK
Advisors: Dominic Vella, Peter Wadhams
- 2008 - 2009 **Master of Advanced Studies (MASt) in Mathematics (Part III)**
University of Cambridge, UK
- 2004 - 2008 **Master of Science (M.Sci.) in Physics & Philosophy**, *University of Bristol, UK*

External Funding and Fellowships (selected)

- 2022-2026 **NSF Polar - Antarctic Ocean and Atmospheric Science Grant** (\$622,183)
"Wave Erosion at Ice Cliffs"
Role: PI (Co-PIs Lucas Zoet, UW Geosciences; Nimish Pujara, UW Engineering)
- 2018 - 2021 **NSF Polar - Antarctic Ocean and Atmospheric Science Grant** (\$289,502)
"Collaborative Research: Modeling Giant Icebergs and Their Decay"
Role: PI (Collaboration with Alistair Adcroft, Princeton University; \$578,170 total)
- 2017 - 2021 **NSF Polar - Antarctic Ocean and Atmospheric Science Grant** (\$399,570)
"The influence of sea ice motion on Antarctic sea ice expansion"
Role: Co-PI (PI: Eisenman)
- 2019 **Greenpeace International**, 3 weeks exclusive ship time on MY Arctic Sunrise
"Life on the edge: the marginal sea ice zone and the changing Arctic ecosystem"
Role: PI
- 2016 - 2017 **Frontiers of Innovation Scholars Program (FISP)** (\$25,000)
Project Fellowship for Postdoctoral Scholars
- 2012 **Mathematical Institute, University of Oxford**
KAUST Visiting Student Fellowship

Publications (* denotes member of my group)

[28] **A possible hysteresis in the Arctic Ocean due to release of ocean heat during sea ice retreat.**
E. Beer, I. Eisenman, **T.J.W. Wagner**, Elizabeth C. Fine, *submitted*

[27] **Spurious climate impacts in sea ice loss simulations**
M.R. England*, I. Eisenman, **T.J.W. Wagner**, *Journal of Climate*, doi.org/10.1175/JCLI-D-21-0647.1 (2022)

- [26] Asymmetry in the seasonal cycle of Antarctic sea ice due to insolation
L. Roach, I. Eisenman, **T.J.W. Wagner**, E. Blanchard, C. Bitz, *Nature Geoscience*, 15 (4) 277-281 (2022)
- [25] How winds and currents determine the drift of floating objects
T.J.W. Wagner, I. Eisenman, A. Ceroli*, Navid Constantinou, *J Phys Oceanogr*, 52 (5) 907-916 (2022)
- [24] How sea ice drift influences sea ice area and volume
T.J.W. Wagner, I. Eisenman, and H.C. Mason*, *Geophysical Research Letters*, e2021GL093069 (2021)
- [23] The recent emergence of Arctic Amplification
M. R. England*, I. Eisenman, N. Lutsko, **T.J.W. Wagner**, *Geophysical Research Letters*, e2021GL094086 (2021)
- [22] The Influence of Meltwater on Phytoplankton Blooms Near the Sea-Ice Edge
C.W. Lester*, **T.J.W. Wagner**, D.E. McNamara, M.R. Cape, *Geophys Res Lett*, 48 (2) , e2020GL091758 (2021)
- [21] Modeling the breakup of tabular icebergs
M. R. England*, **T.J.W. Wagner**, I. Eisenman, *Science Advances*, 6 (51) eabd1273 (2020)
- [20] Polar amplification due to enhanced heat flux across the halocline
E. Beer, I. Eisenman, **T.J.W. Wagner**, *Geophysical Research Letters*, 47, e2019GL086706 (2020)
- [19] Viscous and elastic buoyancy stresses as drivers of ice-shelf calving
C. Mosbeux, **T.J.W. Wagner**, M. K. Becker, H. A. Fricker, *Journal of Glaciology*, 66.258, 643-657(2020)
- [18] Large spatial variations in the flux balance along the front of a Greenland tidewater glacier
T.J.W. Wagner, F. Straneo, [...], H. Singh, *The Cryosphere*, 13, 911-925 (2019)
- [17] Patterns of change in Antarctic sea ice extent from seasonal to longer timescales
C. Eayrs, D. Holland, D. Francis, **T.J.W. Wagner**, R. Kumar, X. Li, *Reviews of Geophysics*, 57, 631 (2019)
- [16] Localized Plumes Drive Front-Wide Ocean Melting of A Greenlandic Tidewater Glacier
D. A. Slater, F. Straneo, S. B. Das, C. B. Richards, **T.J.W. Wagner**, P.W. Nienow, *GRL*, 45, 12350-12358 (2018)
- [15] The influence of layering and barometric pumping on firn air transport in a 2-D model
Benjamin Birner, Christo Buizert, **T.J.W. Wagner**, J.P. Severinghaus, *The Cryosphere*, 12, 2021-2037 (2018)
- [14] Wave inhibition by sea ice enables trans-Atlantic ice rafting of debris during Heinrich Events
T.J.W. Wagner, R.W. Dell, I. Eisenman, R.F. Keeling, L. Padman, J.P. Severinghaus, *EPSL*, 495, 157-163 (2018)
- [13] On the Representation of Capsizing in Iceberg Models
T.J.W. Wagner, A.A. Stern, R.W. Dell, I. Eisenman, *Ocean Modelling*, 117, 88-96 (2017)
- [12] An Analytical Model of Iceberg Drift
T.J.W. Wagner, R.W. Dell, I. Eisenman, *Journal of Physical Oceanography*, 47, 1605-1616 (2017)
- [11] How Model Biases Skew the Distribution of Iceberg Meltwater
T.J.W. Wagner and I. Eisenman, *Geophysical Research Letters*, 44, 3691-3699 (2017)
- [10] Journey of an Arctic Ice Island
A. Crawford, P. Wadhams, **T.J.W. Wagner**, [...] K.W. Nicholls, *Oceanography*, 29, (2) 254-263 (2016)
- [9] On the Role of Buoyant Flexure in Glacier Calving
T.J.W. Wagner, T.D. James, T. Murray, D. Vella, *Geophysical Research Letters*, 43, 1, 232-240 (2016)
- [8] False Alarms: How Early Warning Signals Falsely Predict Abrupt Sea Ice Loss
T.J.W. Wagner and I. Eisenman, *Geophysical Research Letters*, 42, (23) 10333 (2015)
- [7] Wind-Driven Upwelling around Grounded Tabular Icebergs
A.A. Stern, E. Johnson, D.M. Holland, **T.J.W. Wagner**, [...] J.-E. Tremblay, *JGR-Oceans*, 120(8), 5820-5835 (2015)

- [6] How Climate Model Complexity Influences Sea Ice Stability
T.J.W. Wagner and I. Eisenman, *Journal of Climate*, 28 (10) 3998-4014 (2015)
- [5] The 'Footloose' Mechanism: Iceberg Decay from Hydrostatic Stresses
T.J.W. Wagner, [...] K.W. Nicholls, *Geophysical Research Letters*, 41 (15) 5522 (2014)
- [4] Switch on, Switch off: Stiction in Nanoelectromechanical Switches
T.J.W. Wagner and D. Vella, *Nanotechnology*, 24, 275501 (2013)
- [3] The 'Sticky Elastica' - Delamination Blisters Beyond Small Deformations
T.J.W. Wagner and D. Vella, *Soft Matter*, 9, 1025-1030 (2013)
- [2] The Sensitivity of Graphene 'Snap-Through' to Substrate Geometry
T.J.W. Wagner and D. Vella, *Applied Physics Letters*, 100, 233111 (2012)
- [1] Floating Carpets and the Delamination of Thin Elastic Sheets
T.J.W. Wagner and D. Vella, *Physical Review Letters*, 107, 044301 (2011)

Invited Seminars & Talks (last 5 years)

- 2021 Iceberg Mechanics Session, Invited Presentation, **AGU Fall Meeting**; Nicholas School of the Environment, **Duke University**; CPEP, **University of Wisconsin–Madison**
- 2020 Geography 2050 Symposium, **American Geographical Society**; Department of Physical Oceanography, **Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution**; Department of Earth Sciences, **University of Oxford**; Department of Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences, **University of Wisconsin–Madison**; Centre for Earth Observation Science Seminar, **University of Manitoba**
- 2019 Earth and Atmospheric Sciences Seminar, **Georgia Tech**; Southeastern Section Meeting, **American Physical Society**, Wrightsville Beach, NC; Global Marine Science Summit, **UNC Wilmington**
- 2018 BiSEPPS Seminar Series, **Harvard University**; Center for Coastal Physical Oceanography Seminar, **Old Dominion University**; Applied Mathematics Colloquium, **University of North Carolina Chapel Hill**
- 2017 5th Postdoctoral Research Symposium, **UCSD** (Award for Best Presentation); Frontiers of Innovation Scholars Program (FISP) Symposium, **UCSD**; Sack Lunch Seminar, EAPS, **Massachusetts Institute of Technology**; Physics & Physical Oceanography Seminar, **University of North Carolina Wilmington**

Teaching

- 2022 – *Global Warming Science and Impacts, GEOG 332, UW–Madison*
- 2021 – *Ice and Climate Dynamics, AOS 801, UW–Madison*
- 2018 – 2021 *Fluid Mechanics, PHY 350, UNCW*
- 2018 – 2021 *Elementary College Physics, UNCW*
- 2016 – 2018 Developing course materials and training high school teachers to incorporate *Climate Science* in the **Next Generation Science Standards, State of California**

Advising

- Postdocs Mark England (2019-2021, then UC Santa Cruz), Lettie Roach (visiting 2019, then NASA)
- PhD Students Clark Zimmerman (2022 -), Nicolas Sartore (2022 -)
- MS Students Andrew Castagno (2019-2021, then Fulbright Scholar in Iceland)
- Undergraduates Elizabeth Bailey (2019-2021, then at Yale University), Conner Lester (2019-2021, then at Duke University), Hassan Mason (2018-2020, then at New York University), Amanda Ceroli (2018-2020, then Fulbright Scholar in the UK)

Seagoing Polar Expeditions

May 2019	Fram Strait , Sea ice–ecosystem interactions during spring blooms (PI)
Jul - Aug 2012	<i>"Operation Iceberg"</i> , West Baffin Bay (West Greenland/Canada) , Iceberg decay processes
Jul 2012	Fram Strait , Sea ice deformation in the marginal ice zone
Sept 2011	<i>"Arctic Climate Impact Tour"</i> , Fram Strait (East Greenland/Svalbard) Sea ice thickness & morphology in the marginal ice zone
Oct - Dec 2010	Weddell & Bellingshausen Seas (Western Antarctica) Sea ice & snow conditions in spring in Western Antarctica

Service and Memberships (selected)

Working Group Lead of the NSF-funded Greenland Ice Sheet-Oceans Interactions Network (GRISO) *working group on "Ocean-Forcing-Ice"*

Committee Member of the American Meteorological Society Polar Meteorology and Oceanography Committee (2016-2019); UNCW Coastal and Marine Science Council (2018 - 2020)

Primary Convener AGU Fall Meeting 2017, 2018, 2022; **Co-Convener** EGU General Assembly 2019 and 2020

Reviewer for *Nature*, *Nature Climate Change*, *Nature Communications*, *Science Advances*, *Journal of Climate*, *Geophysical Research Letters*, *The Cryosphere*, *JGR - Atmosphere*, *JGR - Oceans*, *JGR - Earth Surface*, *Journal of Glaciology*, *Annals of Glaciology*, *Atmospheric Science Letters*, *Climate Dynamics*, *Earth Systems Science Data*, *npj Climate and Atmospheric Science*, *Cold Regions Science and Technology*, *Polar Research*, *Arctic*, *Scientific Reports*, *Ecological Indicators*, *Frontiers of Marine Science*, *Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada*, *NSF Polar*, *NSF Ocean Sciences*, *IPCC Special Report on the Ocean and Cryosphere in a Changing Climate*

Panel Reviewer for NASA, Earth Science Division; NSF, Office of Polar Programs

Selected Outreach

Presentations and workshops for non-expert audiences:

2022	Wednesday Night @ The Lab; CIMMS Weather Camp; Earth Day Panelist (all UW-Madison)
2021	Climate Science Workshop for K-12 teachers, San Diego Unified School District (remote)
2020	Planet Ocean Evening Seminar, Center for Marine Science, UNCW
2019	Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, Wilmington, NC; Marine Quest UNCW
2018	STEAM Team Summer Camp, UNCW; Summer Ventures in Science & Mathematics, UNCW
2014 - 2017	BE WiSE (Better Education for Women in Science & Engineering) Birch Aquarium, UCSD
2016	Ostercamp #1 Future Factory, Kammerspiele Theatre Munich, Germany

Media interviews with news outlets covering field work (incl. *CNN*, *BBC Science*, *TIME Magazine*, *The Sun*, *The Guardian*, *National Geographic*, *NPR*, *ARTE*, *Discovery News*, *Bloomberg*)

Communication workshop on Climate Change *"Revealing the New Arctic"*, invited speaker, AGU, SF, 2015

Exhibition of frozen scaled sea ice floe replica at Architectural Association, London (collaboration with *ScanLAB Projects*, 2013)