

# IODP RECONNAISSANCE INFORMATION

## EXPEDITION 379 – AMUNDSEN SEA WEST ANTARCTIC ICE SHEET HISTORY

### 18 JANUARY 2019 – SHIP ARRIVES IN PUNTA ARENAS: /\*Five day port call.

\*The ship will leave when port activities are completed and its departure cannot be postponed to accommodate late arrivals.

**Science Party** - Arrival date into PUNTA ARENAS: No later than – 18 JANUARY 2019  
Board ship on - \*19 JANUARY 2019

**Co-Chiefs** - Arrival date into PUNTA ARENAS: No later than – 17 JANUARY 2019  
Board ship on – 18 JANUARY 2019

\*All members of the science party are expected to board the ship on the above date. A later arrival date must be cleared with the JOIDES Resolution Science Operator (JRSO) Project Manager, as the ship sails when ready.

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### **PORT AGENT – PUNTA ARENAS**

Inchcape Shipping Services  
Contact: Juan Carlos Bacho G.  
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**DO NOT SHIP FREIGHT TO PORT AGENT UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES WITHOUT FIRST CONTACTING IODP SHIPPING SERVICES IN COLLEGE STATION. FOR ASSISTANCE WITH SHIPPING, PLEASE CONTACT MR. MICHAEL HADLEY - PH: +1 979-845-5780 OR EMAIL: hadley@iodp.tamu.edu**

**Local Contact: Tim Bronk – IODP Marine Logistics Coordinator, (PH: +1 979-695-8160)**

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### **20 MARCH 2019 – SHIP WILL RETURN PUNTA ARENAS, CHILE**

**Disembarking staff/science party should not schedule return flights before 0600 on 21 March 2019.**

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**GROUND TRANSPORTATION:** Unless instructed otherwise, taxis should be used for transportation between the airport and hotel before and after the expedition. Buses or vans will be used between the hotel and ship as the Port Agent must escort all personnel from the ship to the hotel.

**VISAS:** Check with your local consulate or embassy for visa requirements. If your nationality requires a visa to enter Chile, the standard rule is to apply at least 20 days before your trip. However, we strongly recommend that you apply for a Chilean visa as soon as your flights are scheduled.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** Failure to meet each country's visa requirements may prohibit the boarding and disembarking of shipboard personnel and is subject to immigration detention.

**PASSPORTS:** Passports are required for all participants.

**U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT TRAVEL WARNINGS:** <https://travel.state.gov/content/passports/en/alertswarnings.html>