The Lake Champlain Research Consortium (LCRC) requests proposals to investigate the hydrodynamics and atmospheric processes of Lake Champlain and its surrounding watershed. Research proposals submitted must address one or more of the priorities listed at our website, www.middlebury.edu/~lcrc. The work should contribute knowledge that is applicable to a significant management concern in the Lake Champlain Basin.

Funding available:
- Hydrodynamics $88,000
- Atmospheric processes $50,000

Deadline: May 31, 2002
Award Date: August 1, 2002

Submit Proposals to:
Ms. Trish Dougherty
Lake Champlain Research Consortium
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Middlebury, VT 05753

Six copies of the proposal must be received by the close of business on Friday, May 31st. Late proposals will not be considered.

Proposal evaluation and selection criteria:
1. Technical merit of the proposal
2. Credentials of the principal investigators, including demonstrated expertise and experience in the technical field of the proposal.
3. Demonstrated knowledge of the relevant monitoring data and research results in the Basin.
4. Fit of the proposal to the priorities identified by the Lake Champlain Research Consortium.
5. Relevance of the work to management concerns in the Basin.
6. Potential to enhance the technical infrastructure and capabilities within the Basin.

Budget required match:
A 25% match of the total project cost (award amount plus match) is required, either as funds or in-kind services. Budget proposals should clearly document the intended uses and sources of matching contributions. Federal funds may not be used as a source of matching funds.

Period of performance:
Work is to be completed within one year of the execution of a contract.

If you have any questions please e-mail them to pdougher@middlebury.edu and we will respond as quickly as possible.