

Jason Krumholz University of Rhode Island Graduate School of Oceanography **September 19, 2007**

Dear Jason,

It gives me great pleasure to accept the joint GSO/RWU artificial reef proposal into the Reef Ball Foundation's Grant Program, Reefs Around the World.

We place a high priority on projects that include educational and research components and your project goals and past work demonstrate that you place a strong emphasis on marine research to benefit the preservation of our ocean ecosystems.

It will be in your programs best interest to confer with us about the parameters of your project, so you can select the most appropriate course for your project. Please contact us and we will be happy to assist in designing the ideal program for your specific goals.

We also ask that your implement a monitoring program and send us press clippings and periodic progress reports pertinent to Reef Ball activities. (2 video monitorings per year) and update us on your activities so we may post them on our website.

We look forward to working with you! Please feel free to contact us if you have further questions.

Sincerely,

Katherine Kirbo Executive Director, Reef Ball Foundation