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The International Marine Minerals Society advances understanding and progress of marine minerals exploration worldwide. IMMS encourages the prudent development of marine mineral resources, including concern for the environment and boosts research in all aspects of marine minerals exploration development. IMMS is the organizer of the Underwater Minerals Conference.

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ABOUT UMC 2026

The 54th Underwater Minerals Conference will be hosted by the Japanese Institutions: JAMSTEC, JOGMEC, DORD, Osaka Metropolitan University and E&E Solutions. It will be held in-person at the Toyama International Conference Center, in Toyama, Japan. UMC offers five days of up-to-date information on underwater mineral exploration, environmental research, technology, policy and regulations. It brings together government, academia and industry leaders from over 25 countries. The UMC 2026 focus is:

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