

## PROPOSAL to HOST ICSA SINGLEHANDED CHAMPIONSHIPS – FALL 2017

The University of South Florida and the St. Petersburg Yacht Club are submitting a proposal to jointly host the Singlehanded National Championships on November 4-5, 2017.

The Singlehanded National Championships were very successfully hosted here in the Fall of 2010.

Tampa Bay in general offers a wide variety of wind and wave conditions, and November is no exception. Early season fronts can generate gusty northerly winds with relatively flat water, while highs produce either strong easterlies with big chop or very light conditions from any direction, depending on the precise location of the high.

The venue itself has plenty of space for the boats and dollies with several ramps for easy, dry launching. On the water coaching platform(s) will be provided, and spectator accommodations are TBD.