Internship 4 – Deep Sea Mining Sustainability

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This position will support both Golden and Pendleton in evaluating the sustainability of emergent “deep-sea mining” of mineral resources. It will involve work with leading international deep sea mining and land-based mining companies to develop the indicators and life-cycle-based metrics to quantify the sustainability benefits and impacts of deep sea mining versus traditional land-based mining of minerals.

The student will write a paper on the findings with Golden and Pendleton.

To apply, please send a cover letter and resume to both jay.golden@duke.edu and Linwood.pendleton@duke.edu by August 28.