

Matt Sardi

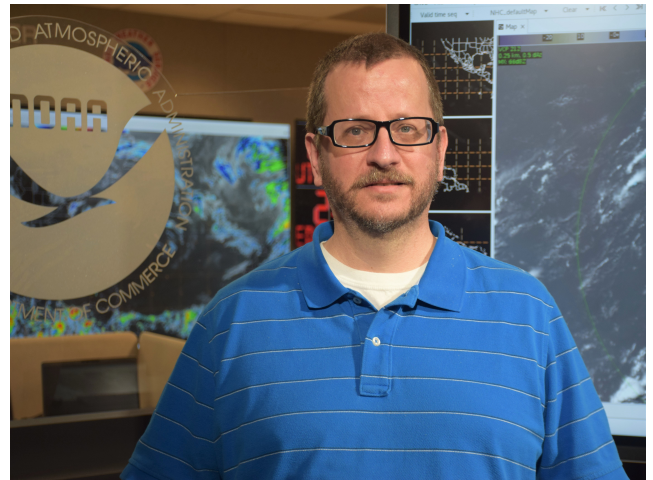
Meteorologist/Programmer National Hurricane Center

Matt Sardi is a meteorologist and programmer with the Technology and Science Branch (TSB) at NOAA's National Hurricane Center in Miami, Florida.

He received his Bachelor's Degree in Meteorology with a Minor in Mathematics from Western Connecticut State University (1994) and his Master of Science Degree in Meteorology from Florida State University (1997).

Matt began his NWS career in 1998 working on the Localized Aviation MOS Program (LAMP) at the NWS Meteorological Development Laboratory (MDL) in Silver Spring, MD. Building on the IT skill set he developed at MDL, Matt served as information technology officer (ITO) at several weather forecast offices (WFOs) from 2001 to 2012.

In 2012, Matt joined the Technology and Science Branch as a meteorologist and programmer. In this position, he is part of a core team responsible for supporting the software and data flow used to create forecasts and products at the National Hurricane Center. Additionally, Matt has been a key developer on numerous initiatives, including transitioning graphical



product generation at NHC from the end-of-life NAWIPS software system to 'AWIPS', the operational platform used by the rest of the NWS.

In his time at NHC, Matt has received several notable accolades, including a 2016 national Isaac Cline team award for developing a web page to provide gridded marine forecasts to users utilizing low bandwidth, and a 2020 peer award/local Isaac Cline award for enhancing 'COOP' (continuity of operations) by rapidly developing full telework capabilities for operational forecasters.



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