

# Elizabeth Adams

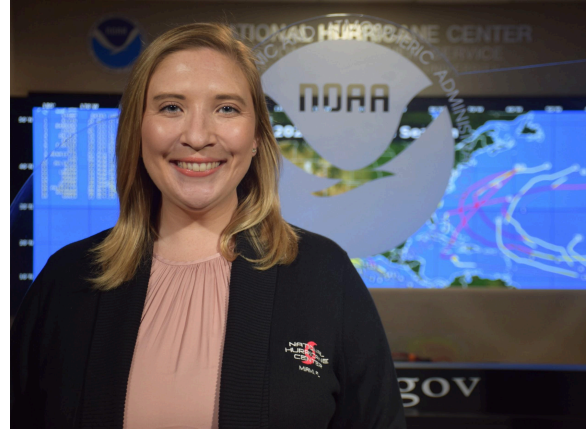
## Hurricane Specialist National Hurricane Center

Elizabeth Adams is the newest hurricane specialist at NOAA's National Hurricane Center in Miami, Florida.

Elizabeth joined the Hurricane Specialist Unit in December 2025. The position involves the issuance of track, intensity, and wind radii forecasts as well as associated watches and warnings for tropical cyclones in the Atlantic and eastern North Pacific Ocean basins. During the off-season, the unit also conducts an extensive outreach and education program, training U.S. emergency managers and representatives from many other countries affected by tropical cyclones.

Prior to joining the Hurricane Specialist Unit, Elizabeth was a marine forecaster in NHC's Tropical Analysis and Forecast Branch (TAFB) since 2024. In addition to composing and issuing offshore and high seas marine forecasts, she led numerous tropical cyclone weather briefings for the U.S. Coast Guard and assisted with the 2025 Mariner's Weather Hazards Workshop.

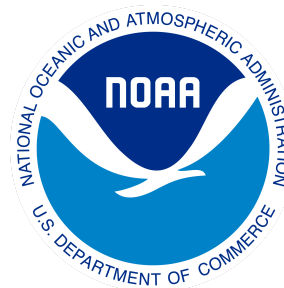
Elizabeth joined the National Weather Service in 2020 as a meteorologist at the NWS Weather Forecast Office in San Diego, CA. She became the Tropical Team lead, and played an integral role during tropical operations during Hurricane Hilary



in 2023. Elizabeth also helped implement the Western Region Tropical Program and participated in the Low-End Tropical Storm Hazard Messaging Group.

Elizabeth started her career as a Lead Storm Warning Meteorologist and Shift Coordinator at AccuWeather Enterprise Solutions in Wichita, Kansas in 2015. While in that position, she became a tropical focal point in the office, issuing site-specific forecasts and warnings for clients, and conducting conference calls with leaders of international corporations.

Elizabeth earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences from the University of Wisconsin in 2015.



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