

	<b>Name</b>	Luisa Muniz
	<b>Species</b>	Modified Human
	<b>Background</b>	Colonial
	<b>Archetype</b>	Submersible Pilot

Attributes				Skills	
Agility	d8	Strength	d6	Boating (Motorized)	d8
Smarts	d6	Vigor	d6	Fighting (Unarmed)	d6
Spirit	d6			Knowledge (Computers)	d6
<b>Derived Statistics</b>				Knowledge (Tech)	d6
<i>Stat</i>	<i>Base</i>	<i>Mod</i>	<i>AV</i>	Notice	d6
Charisma	0			Shooting (Small Arms)	d6
Pace	6			Swimming (Pace 4)	d6
Parry	5				
Toughness	5	-1 (Small)	4		
<b>Armor</b>					
Head	4	Wt Threshold	30		
Torso	4	Total Wt	2		
Arms	4	Encumbrance			
Legs	4	Penalty			
<b>Wounds</b>	-1	-2	-3	Incapacitated	
<b>Fatigue</b>	-1	-2		Incapacitated	

Weapon	Range	ROF	Damage	Shots	Wt	Notes
Small-caliber pistol	12/24/48	1	2d6	35	1	AP 1, Semi-auto, 1 reload
Knife	-	-	Str+d4	-	1	

<b>Hindrances</b>	<b>Major</b>	Small - You are short and slender. -1 Toughness, but you have plenty of room in the sub.
	<b>Minor</b>	Delusional - You believe all strange occurrences underwater are caused by aborigines.
	<b>Minor</b>	Habit - Talker. You talk all the time, stopping only when you go to sleep.

<b>Edges</b>	Ace (Boating), Neural Jack (control technology by thought, gain Quick edge when operating a vehicle by jack), Uplink Jack (link remotely to computers and vehicles that are rigged for uplink)	

<b>Gear</b>	Knife, small-caliber pistol, watch-style bodycomp, loud Hawaiian-style shirts	

## **The World of Blue Planet**

Blue Planet takes place on the planet Poseidon in the Lambda Serpentis system, about 200 years in the future. It's a hard sci-fi setting that envisions a world based on projected developments in real world technology. Genetic advancements have awakened cetaceans to sentience, created animal/human hybrids, and created a new transhuman elite.

Poseidon was found at the other end of a wormhole discovered at the edge of our solar system. A scientific expedition went to explore and colonize the water world, however shortly thereafter on Earth, the Blight struck. The Blight was caused when a genetically engineered virus mutated, attacked grain and other food plants, and caused a worldwide famine. The recently established UN branch, the General Ecological Organization (GEO) became a world government of sorts as many of the UN members ceased to exist during the long dark age caused by the Blight.

Abandoned, the explorers slowly went native as their technology crumbled and their focus turned to survival. When re-contact was eventually made, after the Blight was eradicated, a culture clash developed between the natives and the new colonists. The natives choose to keep to their life-style, while colonists came, eager to escape the dreary and decaying Earth. A trickle became a flood when Xenoscilite, or Long John, was discovered. This ore made genetic redesign simpler and cheaper, and made immortality a real possibility for those who could afford it. Now the planet is in the throes of rapid expansion caused by the 'gold rush' of Long John, with all the opportunities and dangers that come with it.

The GEO is nominally in charge of Poseidon. Various Incorporates, which rule their nationalized city-states on Earth, also vie for control of Poseidon. Some natives have formed terrorist groups to resist the land hungry expansion. One example is the Sierra Nueva insurrection, a group of islands in open revolt against all non-natives. With a comparative land mass of 3% versus 30% on Earth, these conflicts will determine the planet's fate.

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They're out there, all the time, watching and listening and making their alien plans. The aborigines. Some say they aren't real, or are just animals, but you know better. You've seen them. They have a purpose, and it's not a good one for the human race. People aren't supposed to be here, on Poseidon. They know that, that's why they're trying to get rid of everyone. Storms, accidents, disappearances in the Styx, people going nuts underwater - all the aborigines. You don't know how they do it, but you watch your back when you're underwater.

The others don't take you seriously, even though you've tried to warn them. Lister even makes fun of you to the crew, well he'll learn some day. They all will.