# UGA MARINE EXTENSION AND GEORGIA SEA GRANT MARINE EDUCATION FELLOWSHIP FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

#### Who is considered a recent graduate?

A "recent graduate" is anyone who has completed a bachelor's degree within the past 5 years. Applicants who have a master's degree are not considered for the position.

### Is the fellowship paid?

Marine Education Fellows receive compensation that is discussed further during the interview process.

### How long does the fellowship last?

Fellows begin their term in the beginning of September and end their term in August of the following year. The fellows work 40 hours per week, with some Saturday duties.

## How many fellows are hired each year?

Typically, there are four fellows hired each year.

## Do I have to have a degree in marine science to be considered for the fellowship?

You do not have to have a degree in marine science, specifically, to be considered for the fellowship. We will review applicants based on their qualifications which include a degree in the sciences or education, in addition to meeting the preferred qualifications. It is expected that fellows have a strong coastal or ecological background and have some experience in education.

## What if I am interested in more than one track?

If you are interested in more than one track, you may indicate that in your application. While we do our best to place fellows in tracks that they are most interested in, track placement is not guaranteed.





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