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**SUMMER MARINE SCIENCE EDUCATOR**  
**TEMPORARY FULL TIME POSITION**  
**JUNE 19 TO AUGUST 18, 2023**

**About the Organization**

Project Oceanology's mission since 1972 has been to nurture enthusiasm for science and for our planet's marine environment from our waterfront facilities on Long Island Sound in Groton. As a year-round, marine science and environmental education organization operated by a 501(c)(3) nonprofit association of boards of education, colleges and other educational institutions, Project O has pioneered a hands-on, inquiry oriented approach to science through programs meeting state education standards. Using our research vessels, skiffs, oceanographic equipment, and marine laboratories, Project O leads more than 25,000 students and adults annually as they learn about the ocean, estuaries, rivers and marine life through firsthand, on-the-water science-rich experiences in the surrounding waters of Long Island Sound, Fishers Island Sound and the Thames River.

**Marine Science Educator**

Project Oceanology seeks an innovative, experienced and dedicated educator to deliver inspiring marine science and environmental education programs to summer campers. Applicants should have knowledge of marine science and broad interest in oceans, including coastal ecosystems, fisheries resources, human interactions and management issues. Delivery of marine science programs aboard research vessels, on shoreline programs, in marine laboratories, and in classrooms will be required. Considerable physical stamina is required to work aboard vessels and outdoors for long periods, including during inclement weather. The position requires a team player with knowledge of science pedagogy, sound judgment, independence, initiative, maturity, and excellent observation and communication skills.

This temporary full time position will commence June 19 and conclude August 18, 2023. Forty hours of work will be scheduled weekly, with work assignments supporting day and residential camps. Camps are in session weekly from Sunday – Friday, both day and evening hours. Although not a required certification, applicants with a valid USCG OUPV license will receive

first consideration.

**Education, Experience and Training:**

- BA/BS degree in biology, marine science, environmental science, or related field preferred.
- Formal or informal education experience required.
- Outdoor and/or marine science education program experience highly desired.
- Experience using oceanographic equipment in an educational environment highly desired.
- Proficiency with Gmail/Google suite, MS Word, MS Excel required.

**Certificates/Licenses:**

- First Aid/CPR and medical administration certifications are required; candidate must have or be able to obtain those certifications during training offered by Project Oceanology
- USCG OUPV license is highly desired.

**Application:**

To apply please send a cover letter and resume to [admin@oceanology.org](mailto:admin@oceanology.org). Applicants selected for an interview will be required to submit the Project Oceanology employment application (located at <http://www.oceanology.org/employment>) and submit to background checks as required by law.

Project Oceanology is an Equal Opportunity Employer, committed to attracting and retaining a talented and diverse workforce. All qualified applicants receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, gender, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, national origin, ancestry, pregnancy, marital status, genetic information, disability, or age.