

The Oregon Institute of Marine Biology's research experience for undergraduates program, "Exploration of Marine Biology on the Oregon Coast" (EMBOC) offers fellowship opportunities for undergraduate students from both 2-year and 4-year colleges and universities to participate in ongoing marine science research at the University of Oregon's marine lab during the summer months. The program runs from June 17, 2018 to August 18, 2018. We encourage applications from individuals who are members of a group that is underrepresented in marine science, including students who are first generation college student, female, African American, American Indian, Pacific Islanders, Hispanic or veteran.

Applications will be reviewed after the application deadline, February 15, 2018. **The application period will close on Thursday, February 15, 2018.**

To be eligible to apply you must:

- Be a US Citizen or a Permanent Resident
- Be an undergraduate attending a 2-year or 4-year college/university
- Have completed a minimum of one year of course work including introductory biology classes
- Be willing to make a full-time commitment for the 9 week program (40 hours per week)

A complete application includes:

1. A completed online application form (or this form)
2. A recommendation letter completed by an instructor or administrator (e-mailed from recommender to oimbreu@uoregon.edu)

All application materials should be e-mailed to oimbreu@uoregon.edu OR sent via mail to:

OIMB REU program
P.O. Box 5389
Charleston, OR 97420

Sincere thanks,

Maya Watts

Education Program Coordinator
University of Oregon
Oregon Institute of Marine Biology
(541)888-2581 ext. 201

1) Name

2) E-mail address

3) Best Phone Number

4) Mailing Address

5) Race/Ethnic Background

6) Name of 2-year or 4-year college or university (give city and zip code as well)

7) Major or Program

8) Grade Point Average (GPA)

9) Please list the science and math courses you have taken (including AP courses from high school) and the grades received in each. Please clearly list your introductory biology courses (including any you are currently enrolled in) to show your year's worth of introductory biology coursework. If you are admitted to the OIMB REU program, an official transcript will be required before participation in the program..

10)What is your expected graduation date from your current institution (mo/yr)?

11)Do you have any prior research experience? If so, please describe it.

12)Please list previous summer jobs, internships, community or school leadership activities, and/or research experience. Give a short description of your duties or what you did, as well as the skills you gained.

13) Please tell us about yourself and how you became interested in marine science (200 words or less).

14) What do you feel are your strengths that you will bring to this summer research program (200 words or less).

15) Describe how your educational and professional experiences to date have been impacted by culturally and academically diverse classrooms and/or project teams (200 words or less)?

16). Please tell us about your educational goals and any future career goals you might have (200 words or less).

17) Please choose the top two laboratories in which you are interested in working from the list of participating labs provided on the OIMB REU site (<http://oimb.uoregon.edu/oimb-reu/>) and explain why you are interested in doing research in that lab.