

Cecil and Martha MacGregor Scholarship in Marine Science



Purpose: To encourage undergraduate student scholarship in residence at the HMSC during summer term.

Undergraduate coursework at the Hatfield Marine Science Center provides unique, hands-on educational opportunities to students in many different disciplines. Students are able to study the rich diversity of marine organisms in their natural coastal and ocean estuarine environments through courses beyond the classroom and into the laboratory, aboard research vessels and out in tide pools, mudflats, estuaries, rivers, bays and ocean.

During the summer term, a variety of opportunities are available, ranging from diverse academic coursework to research internships. The MacGregor Scholarship funds are awarded to defray the costs of housing during residence at HMSC for undergraduate student(s) requiring financial aid. Students from underrepresented and educationally disadvantaged (low family income, first generation in one's family to attend college) groups are encouraged to apply.

Amount: Up to four awards of \$250 each to cover housing expenses for undergraduate OSU student(s) in residence at HMSC during the summer term.

Criteria: The candidate must be an undergraduate student taking OSU coursework while in residence at the HMSC during summer session.

Application: Students must submit:

- Cover letter with the following information: Name, degree sought, University major, current financial support, anticipated dates of residence at the HMSC, and courses planned to be taken;
- One-page statement of how the HMSC term will further the student's educational objectives;
- Letter of support from an undergraduate advisor.

Deadline: **May 31**

Apply to: Academic Programs Manager
Hatfield Marine Science Center
2030 SE Marine Science Drive
Newport, OR 97365
email: hmscacademic@oregonstate.edu
Tel. (541) 867-0380 Fax (541) 867-0444

Application Guidance:

Applications must be submitted as a complete package by the deadline. Electronic submission, as a single PDF file by email will also be accepted. ***NOTE: Instructions for applications must be followed exactly or the application will not be considered.*** For additional application guidance, see <http://hmsc.oregonstate.edu/awards.html>

The criteria by which applicants will be evaluated academic performance, service activity (to institution, community, profession) and financial need.