What does NOAA Fisheries do in Alaska

Alaska's dynamic, often ice-covered seas are home to a remarkable diversity of life—crustaceans, fish, seals, sea lions, porpoises, whales, and more. Few places in the world offer such beauty and bounty. This region of nearly 1.5 million square miles includes waters in the Gulf of Alaska, Bering Sea, Aleutian Islands, Chukchi Sea, and Beaufort Sea.

Alaska produces more than half the fish caught in waters off the coast of the United States, with an average wholesale value of nearly \$4.5 billion a year. Alaska's fisheries are among the bestmanaged, most sustainable in the world. Alaska resources provide jobs and a stable food supply for the nation, while supporting a traditional way of life for Alaska Native and local fishing communities.

Together, NOAA Fisheries Alaska Regional Office and Alaska Fisheries Science Center help ensure the sustainability of these marine resources for generations.

To learn more about our work, visit: https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/region/alaska

What kinds of jobs does NOAA Fisheries offer?

NOAA Fisheries has a range of careers including biology, communications, ecology, education, information technology, law enforcement, management, marine policy, outreach, software development, statistics, and more.

To learn about different careers within NOAA Fisheries, visit: www.fisheries.noaa.gov/insight/careers

NOAA Fisheries Offices in Alaska

NOAA Fisheries Alaska Regional Office

The Alaska Regional Office is located in Alaska's capital city of Juneau, with field staff in offices in Anchorage, Kodiak, and Dutch Harbor.

NOAA Fisheries Alaska Fisheries Science Center

The Alaska Fisheries Science Center is located at the NOAA Western Regional Center in Seattle, WA, with laboratories and offices in Anchorage, Dutch Harbor, Juneau, Kodiak, Little Port Walter (Alaska), and Newport (Oregon).

Fisheries Office of Law Enforcement

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Kodiak Field Office
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Homer Field Office
Seward Field Office
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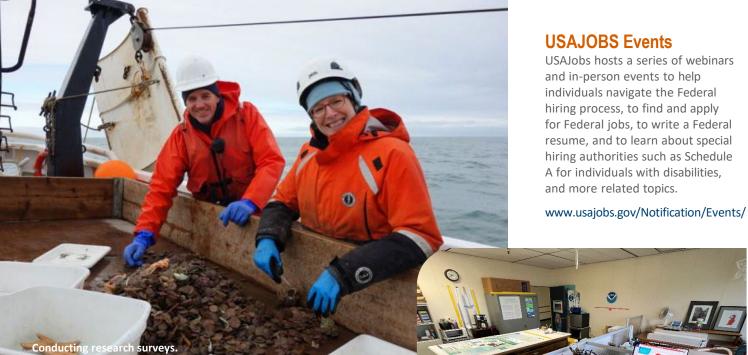
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Ways to Work with NOAA Fisheries

Federal employees, or full-time equivalents (FTEs), are hired through USAJOBS. Contractors are hired through individual contracted companies. Students and recent graduates may be hired through the Pathways Program.

Fisheries Contracted Companies

Employees of contracted companies provide support in various roles including; fishery monitors, protected species observers, fishery biologists, technical writers, computer programmers, and many other functions. Each contracted company secures employees differently. Their websites include information on applying for current openings, and submitting a resume for future consideration.

www.protechservices.noaa.gov/fish-contract.php

Pathways Program

Current students or recent graduates, may be eligible for federal internships and job opportunities through the Pathways and other student programs.

www.opm.gov/policy-data-oversight/ hiring-information/students-recent-graduates







How to apply for a FTE position

NOAA Fisheries conducts its hiring through USAJOBS. Below is a summary of how to search and apply for a job with us through www.usajobs.gov.

1. CREATE AN ACCOUNT WITH LOGIN.GOV First, create an account at https://secure.login.gov/.

2. CREATE A USAJOBS PROFILE

Once you have a login.gov account, you will be prompted to create a USAJOBS profile, which is required.

3. SEARCH FOR JOBS

Start your search by typing in a keyword or location. Use the filters to narrow your results by agency (i.e., National Marine Fisheries Service) or other criteria. Sign into your profile before searching to improve your search results. Save your search to receive an email when a new job matches your criteria.

4. REVIEW THE JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

If you find a job you're interested in, read the entire announcement to make sure you meet the qualifications. Contact the agency representative if you have questions. The contact information is listed below the *How to Apply* section.

5. PREPARE YOUR APPLICATION

Read the *How to Apply* section of the announcement before you begin. Click *Apply* and the website will guide you through the required steps. For more tips, visit: www.usajobs.gov/Help/how-to/application/.

6. SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION

After your application is ready in USAJOBS, you need to submit it through the agency application system. After you submit your application, go back to the Application section of your USAJOBS account and make sure the hiring agency received your application. Your application status will say Received if the application went through.