Semester-in-Residence

The University of Delaware College of Earth, Ocean, and Environment (CEOE) is one of the nation’s major centers for research and teaching in earth and ocean systems. The college links science and society through the study of scientific, engineering, and policy questions as they relate to today’s complex environmental challenges.

In addition to facilities at the university’s main campus in Newark, CEOE is also home to a seaside campus in Lewes, Del., a historic coastal town situated at the mouth of Delaware Bay.

The Lewes campus houses modern research labs, a marine-oriented branch of the Morris Library, common area computing sites, and interactive television classrooms that can link students to locations throughout the world. The campus is also home to the CEOE research fleet, most notably the 146-foot R/V Hugh R. Sharp. Commissioned in 2006, our ship is one of the most advanced academic research vessels in the nation.

An Outstanding Opportunity

Students participating in the Semester-in-Residence program live, work, and study at the Lewes campus for the fall semester. The program gives undergraduate students the opportunity to explore marine studies through introductory graduate-level classes and research.

Class offerings include the 400-level Seminar in Marine Science and 400/600-level classes in marine biosciences, chemical oceanography, physical oceanography, and statistics. In addition to classes with other Semester-in-Residence students, you will have an individual research project offered under the guidance of a faculty mentor.

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Many Semester-in-Residence students have gone on to graduate school armed with strong research experience and personalized, extensive, and specific recommendation letters from the faculty who mentored them during the semester. These experiences and relationships serve them well as they move ahead in their careers.

Tuition and Housing

Students pay UD resident or non-resident tuition as applicable, based upon the number of credit hours taken.

Students are housed at the Franklin C. Daiber Residence Complex in Lewes. The Daiber Complex is a UD facility and is named for a former CEOE professor, researcher, and mentor.

Application and Enrollment

Enrollment in the program is available on a competitive basis and is limited to 12 individuals each fall semester.

Requirements for consideration:
- Junior or senior status
- Minimum GPA of 3.0 (4.0 = A)
- Interest in marine studies
- Letter of support from your adviser or another faculty member

Semester-in-Residence is open to any student attending an accredited four-year undergraduate program. Non-University of Delaware students should contact the CEOE Office of the Assistant Dean at 302-831-2841 before applying. Non-UD students should also check with their home institutions to verify that they will accept UD credits.

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Application Deadline: March 1

To apply send:
- Letter of interest
- Resume
- Letter of support
- Official transcript of all college work

Mail to:

Semester-in-Residence Program
School of Marine Science and Policy
College of Earth, Ocean, and Environment
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