

Louisiana Sea Grant will continue its coastal immersion program combining community engagement and science communication. The format will include virtual professional development trainings, small group mentoring and field experiences highlighting the needs of coastal residents and the importance of responsive research initiatives.

Scholars will gain new awareness of community perspectives on coastal issues and challenges that the state faces. This experience will hopefully inspire new research questions and give students the communication tools to raise awareness. Lodging, meals, transportation and training will be provided by Louisiana Sea Grant at no cost to the students.

Eligibility: All Louisiana graduate students conducting research in the coastal zone

Availability: The application process is competitive as space is limited

COVID-19 Considerations: Programming will begin virtually (fall 2020), transition to small group excursions (spring 2021) and hopefully culminate in a large group-trip (summer 2021). Guidance from local, university, state and federal organizations will be adhered to.

To Apply: Complete one-page application and return to Louisiana Sea Grant by Sept. 30, 2020 For more information or to apply, contact Dani Dilullo at ddiiullo@lsu.edu



