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# UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA FAIRBANKS COLLEGE OF FISHERIES AND OCEAN SCIENCES

**Established in 1960** as the legislatively mandated Institute of Marine Science, the College of Fisheries and Ocean Sciences has grown to become one of the largest and most geographically diverse academic and research organizations in the state of Alaska.

Headquartered in Fairbanks, CFOS is a regional and world-class research and academic hub with major centers, laboratories and institutes located throughout the state. We also have the national responsibility of operating the Global Class ice-capable research vessel *Sikuliaq*, which is homeported in Seward.

While our college has a strong focus on Arctic issues, faculty and students study inland waters, coastal systems and deep ocean regions from the Arctic to the Antarctic.

## ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

### Department of Fisheries

- B.S. in Fisheries and Marine Sciences, B.A. in Fisheries, M.S. and Ph.D.
- Master of Marine Policy

### Department of Marine Biology

- B.S. in Fisheries and Marine Sciences, M.S. and Ph.D.

### Department of Oceanography

- B.S. in Fisheries and Marine Sciences, M.S. and Ph.D.

### Interdisciplinary Programs

- Master of Marine Studies, Blue M.B.A.

## FINANCIAL (FY22)

### Total revenues, \$44.4 million

- Research awards, \$20.9 million
- R/V *Sikuliaq*, \$15.2 million
- Indirect cost recovery, \$2.6 million
- Tuition and fees, \$0.9 million
- State general funds, \$3 million
- Other, \$0.6 million

### Philanthropy (FY22)

- Endowment, \$22.7 million
- UA Foundation support, \$1 million
- Charitable gifts, \$0.5 million



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## Personnel

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- Over 300 faculty, researchers, maritime employees, administrative staff and students
- Over 70 undergraduate students
- Over 110 graduate students

## Current priorities

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- Faculty support and reinvestment
- Student recruitment and reinvestment
- Online course development
- New faculty hires
- Seward Marine Center infrastructure
- Interdisciplinary research initiatives
- Blue Economy initiatives and partnerships

## Research Centers

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- Alaska Blue Economy Center
- Alaska SeaLife Center (MOU)
- Center for Salmon and Society
- Coastal Marine Institute
- Institute of Marine Science
- Kasitsna Bay Laboratory (co-managed by NOAA)
- Ocean Acidification Research Center
- Pollock Conservation Cooperative Research Center
- Rasmuson Fisheries Research Center
- Seward Marine Center and R/V *Sikuliaq*

## Dean's Advisory Committee

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S. Bradley Moran, Dean

Jennifer Reynolds, Associate Dean for Research

Trent Sutton, Associate Dean of Academic Programs

Lara Horstmann, Chair, Marine Biology Department

Franz Mueter, Chari, Fisheries Department

Russ Hopcroft, Chair, Oceanography Department

## Management Committee

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S. Bradley Moran, Dean

Doug Baird, Marine Superintendent, Seward Marine Center Director

Laura Frisone, Human Resources Coordinator

John Haverlack, IT Manager

Gabrielle Hazelton, Administrative Manager, Juneau

Tatiana Krupina, Financial Manager

Heather McLeod, Assistant to the Dean

Deborah Queen, Executive Officer

Jeff Richardson, Communications Manager/  
*Sikuliaq* Science Liaison

Christina Sutton, Academic Manager