Since 1990, the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) and Sea Grant have partnered on the NMFS-Sea Grant Joint Fellowship program to support PhD level students in the areas of population and ecosystem dynamics and marine resource economics.

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Fellows apply through one of 33 University-based Sea Grant programs.

Fellowship awards last 2 or 3 years depending on the program of study.

Fellows are guided by two mentors, one from the fellow’s university and one from NMFS.

40% of alumni work for NMFS as fisheries scientists or other professionals. 113 PhD students have participated in the program since it began in 1990.

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