

Position ID

E17-4

Position Title

Endangered Species Program Specialist

Office Name

Office of Protected Resources, Department of Commerce

Portfolio Summary

The Office of Protected Resources (OPR) is seeking a Sea Grant Fellow to assist in various aspects of the Endangered Species Program. The fellowship will provide exposure to a wide range of Endangered Species Act (ESA) policies programs and will focus on listing species as endangered or threatened under the ESA, developing conservation plans to address state and private impacts to listed species, and implementing recovery actions for species already listed. The fellowship will include conducting reviews of the status of species to determine whether they should be listed as threatened or endangered under the ESA. In addition, the fellowship will include assisting in the development of conservation plans to address the impact of state and/or private activities on threatened and endangered species. We will provide our fellow formal training on the Endangered Species Act as well as opportunities to attend various meetings and other fora on ESA and related issues.

Expertise Desired

Must have excellent writing and analytical skills.

Travel within DC (days per month)

1-3

Travel outside DC (days per month)

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Accepts Foreign Nationals

TBD