Position ID
L17-15

Position Title
Sea Grant Legislative Fellow

Office Name
U.S. Senator Gary Peters
Michigan

Relevant Committee Memberships (if applicable)
Commerce, Science & Transportation Committee (Ranking Member--Science, Space and Competitiveness Subcommittee, member of Oceans, Atmosphere, Fisheries, and Coast Guard Subcommittee); Homeland Security & Governmental Affairs, Small Business Committee

Portfolio Summary
There is room for the fellow to explore and work on a wide variety of issues including air and water quality (including lead contamination in drinking water), Great Lakes restoration, fisheries research, federal fisheries management, invasive species, maritime transportation, harbor maintenance, Coast Guard activities, energy policy and infrastructure, pipeline safety, oil spill response, harmful algae blooms, national ocean policy, STEM education, and more.

Expertise Desired
Ability to work on a team and under deadlines. Strong verbal and written communication skills. Enthusiasm for natural resource conservation is a must!

Familiar with the Great Lakes. An understanding of the legislative process. A sense of humor and a passion for the outdoors is always desirable.

Accepts Foreign Nationals
Yes