

MOTE UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH EXPERIENCE (URE) PROGRAM APPLICATION PREVIEW

Please fill out all required materials before submitting your application.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLYING TO THE MOTE URE PROGRAM

Please complete this application form in its entirety. In addition to this form, students must submit the following items:

1. A resume or curriculum vitae describing any relevant jobs, internships, volunteer work, scholarships and/or other activities that you have held or participated in and other skills or accomplishments that you wish to identify.
2. A one- to two-page statement of interest describing your interests and career goals, the reasons you should be selected for the program, how participation in the program will influence your career development, and the top two programs in which you are interested in working and why.
3. A copy of your current college transcript (unofficial transcripts are preferred; digital, official transcripts - if offered by your school - are accepted as well. Paper submissions sent via fax or mail are strongly discouraged).
4. One completed letter of recommendation from individuals capable of commenting on your work ethic, academic qualifications, professional skills, etc. More information on the recommendation form can be found within the application.

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

First Name

Last Name

Date of birth (MM/DD/YY)

Permanent address- Street

Permanent address- City or Town

Permanent address- State/Province

Zip Code

Phone Number

Primary Email

Personal Email/Non-school Email

Citizenship Status

Gender (Check all that apply)

Male

Female

Non-binary

Other

Prefer not to disclose

Race/Ethnicity (Check all that apply)

African American/Black

Alaskan Native

American Indian

Asian

Hispanic/Latinx

- Native Pacific Islander
- White/Caucasian
- Prefer not to disclose
- Other

Are you a first generation college student? *A first generation college student is a student whose parents/guardians did not complete a bachelor's degree.*

- Yes
- No
- Prefer not to disclose

Are you a military veteran?

- Yes
- No
- Prefer not to disclose

How did you learn about the Mote URE Program? (Check all that apply).

- Mote website
- College faculty or department
- Internet
- Promotional materials
- College Internship Office
- Other

EDUCATION

Please indicate the following information for the upcoming fall season.

College or University

City or town

State

Year of study

- Freshman
- Sophomore
- Junior
- Senior

Major field of study

Other colleges or universities attended

College or university graduation (MM/YY)

RESEARCH PREFERENCES

What areas of research interest you the most? Check all that apply.

- Species research/conservation
- Water chemistry/quality
- Aquaculture/fisheries
- Red tide
- Coral health/restoration

- Benthic communities
- Marine technology/engineering
- Biomedical/immunology/microbiology

Mote programs are listed here. Please select a first and second choice program for which you want to be considered. *You are not limited to or guaranteed placement in selected programs. All listed programs are located at Mote's Sarasota campus unless they specify otherwise.*

First Choice:

Second Choice:

If you applied for a program located in both Sarasota and Summerland Key, do you have a location preference?

- Sarasota
- Summerland Key
- No preference

Will you have access to a car during the internship? *If you are in the Sarasota region, you will need to travel to and from Mote, or possibly to and from other locations around Sarasota, Bradenton, Venice. If you are in the Florida Keys - you might need to travel to and from Summerland Key or around the Keys in general.*

What language are you most comfortable communicating in? Do you speak languages other than English?

Is there anything you would like to disclose that might affect your participation in this internship experience? *Please include anything about your skills, timing, commitments, allergies, or other safety concerns that might affect your participation. This will not disqualify you from the internship, but will help our team ensure internship placements are the appropriate fit.*

Mote Marine Laboratory has been a leader in marine research since it was founded in 1955. Today, we incorporate public outreach as a key part of our mission. Mote is an independent nonprofit organization and has seven centers for marine research, the public Mote Aquarium and an Education Division specializing in public programs for all ages.