

# 2023 Community Coastal Experience:

Embracing culture and science throughout the Gulf of Alaska

The CORaL Network is excited to announce the launch of our first 5-week Community Coastal Experience, an opportunity for adults ages 18+ to explore career and internship pathways in: marine science, archaeology, cultural history, and more! Participants will travel with program leaders to observe, learn, and practice new skills in Kachemak Bay, Seward, Cordova, and Kodiak.

Participants will connect with specialists in long-term research and monitoring, mariculture, archaeology, restoration, animal care, science communication, community-based science, and place-based education in Southcentral Alaska. No prior experience is necessary.

Please submit this application form via email (mishacacs@gmail.com) or mail to: CACS: attention CCE Coordinator  
708 Smokey Bay Way, Homer, AK 99603.

You may also fill out the application form online by visiting <https://tinyurl.com/ApplyToCCE>.

The Community Coastal Experience will take place from **June 4 - July 7, 2023**. **Participants will receive compensation in the form of a \$3,000 stipend.** All travel, lodging, and food will be provided.

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Participant name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home community: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact information:

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Other:

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Preferred method of contact (Phone, Email, Whatsapp, etc.)

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The following questions should be completed by the participant. Each answer should be about 3-5 sentences. You can use the provided space or attach an additional page. If you need help or more information, please contact [mishacacs@gmail.com](mailto:mishacacs@gmail.com).

1. Why are you interested in participating in the 2023 Community Coastal Experience?

2. Please describe your connection to the Gulf of Alaska ecosystem.



3. What are you interested in learning more about or doing during this 5-week program?

4. After this experience, how will you continue to share what you have learned with your community?

Optional: Are you applying with anyone else for the Community Coastal Experience? (This could include a family member, mentor/mentee, friend, etc.) If so, please list their name(s) here:

