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Q1. MAINE BASED ENVIRONMENTAL FELLOWSHIPS - Summer 2022

Deadline: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 at 12:00 NOON

The Environmental Studies Maine Based summer fellowships provide students with a 10-week funded placement in a local non-profit with the opportunity to address community issues while completing a project for the organization. All placements are at 40 hours per week from early June to mid-August. (Please note that during this time, students may not be employed by the College in any other position.)

Fellowship Descriptions: Please visit our website for the fellowship descriptions

This year **each placement choice** requires a cover letter (specific to each organization you are applying to), and a resume (with two references) to be uploaded in one PDF document.

Cover Letter

We encourage students to meet with a CXD Advisor to review your cover letter and resume before applying for a fellowship.

For each of your placement choices, please write a cover letter addressed to "Dear Fellowship Selection Committee". Each cover letter should be *specific to each placement you wish to apply to* and answers the questions below. Make sure your answers are specific to the **individual organization**, its stated mission, and the placement description.

How does this fellowship relate to your academic and career goals?

How do you plan to continue building on the summer fellowship experience through coursework or independent research?

Why do you want to work for this organization and what specific experience, interest and skills do you bring to their mission?

Resume

For more information on how to write a resume, visit The CXD's Resume Handbook.

At the end of your resume please provide the best phone number for you and TWO references: name, position, telephone number, and email, including at least one Bowdoin faculty member. Organizations will use this information to contact you and your references. You will want to ask your references in advance if you can list them. You should also share the link to fellowship description.

*****Once you start this application, you will not be able to save it and come back to it later. For a quick look at the application questions, [download this PDF](#).*****

Q3. Name

Q7. Student ID

Q5. Class Year

- 2023
- 2024
- 2025

Q9. Bowdoin Email

Q13. Phone - the best phone number where you can be reached

Q11. S. U. Box #

Q14. Permanent Address

Q12. You may apply for up to three fellowships from **Environmental Studies Fellowship** organizations. **We strongly encourage students to apply for at least two fellowships.** This year we are allowing for an optional third choice. Note: You must upload a resume and cover letter for each CHOICE. *Your actual placement will be based on matching your specific skills and interests with the needs and interests of the sponsoring organization.*

	Environmental Studies Fellowship FIRST CHOICE	Environmental Studies Fellowship SECOND CHOICE	Optional Environmental Studies Fellowship THIRD CHOICE
Bicycle Coalition of Maine (BCM)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Brunswick Planning and Development	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Brunswick-Topsham Land Trust (BTLT)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Coastal Enterprises Inc (CEI)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Kennebec Estuary Land Trust (KELT)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Maine Coast Fishermen's Association (MCFA)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Natural Resources Council of Maine (NRCM)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The Nature Conservancy (TNC)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Topsham Planning and Development	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q40. Environmental Studies Fellowship FIRST CHOICE: Upload cover letter specific to the organization and resume (with two references listed) as one PDF document. **Do not upload as a Word or Pages file.**

Q41. Environmental Studies Fellowship SECOND CHOICE: Upload cover letter specific to the organization and resume (with two references listed) as one PDF document. **Do not upload as a Word or Pages file.**

Q28. Optional: Environmental Studies Fellowship THIRD CHOICE: Upload cover letter specific to the organization and resume (with two references listed) as one PDF document. **Do not upload as a Word or Pages file.**

Q45. PERSONAL INFORMATION - Note the following information is for the Bowdoin College committee who will review your application and will not be shared with the sponsoring organizations. Although there is still uncertainty about this coming summer and the impact of the pandemic, at this point we are planning for in person fellowships for at least part of the summer. **You should plan on being in Maine this summer for your fellowship. Do not apply if you are not able to be in Maine this summer.**

Q18. Do you have a driver's license?

- Yes
- No

Q19. Do you have the use of a vehicle this summer?

- Yes
- No

Q20. Are you van certified and willing to drive for some fellowship events?

- Yes
- No

Q22. *Please note: Fellows are responsible for their own transportation to and from placement sites. **The Environmental Studies Program cannot provide funding for transportation costs to the placement sites.***

Q21. **If on-campus housing is available** will you require housing through Bowdoin College this summer?

- Yes
- No

Q23. Are you receiving financial aid?

- Yes
- No

Q25. Is a summer job a financial necessity for you?

- Yes
- No

Q26. Please state below any special financial circumstances you feel the Committee should consider in reviewing your application. This information is confidential, but it is very helpful as we consider applications for fellowship placements.

Q35.

Do you have any conflicts with the program schedule that is outlined below? If so, please specify.

- February 9 - Student applications DUE
- February 14-28 - Placement organizations interview students. We will notify you in advance if you have or have not been selected for an interview.
- March 9 - Students notified of placements
- March 21 - Student's acceptances due
- June 7 - Orientation – All fellows attend
- July 28 - Summer Celebration
- June 7 - August 12 - Community Matters in Maine Summer Fellowships

- No
- Yes (please describe)