

**2021 Luig Family Internship Program
Coastal Conservation Research Program Internship Application Form**



To apply for a Research Intern position, please submit a **complete application package** (see list on page 2) to: Lisa Ferguson via email (preferred) or US postal service.

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All application packages must be received by February 21, 2021.

Incomplete application packages or application packages received after the deadline will not be considered.

Internship Application Information

Name _____

College/University Attending _____

Academic Year Completed in Spring 2020 (FR, SO, JR, SR) _____

Intended Major(s)/Minor(s) _____

Preferred E-mail Address _____

Preferred Phone number _____

Internship Requirements

The duration of this internship 10 weeks, from late-May to early-August.

What is the earliest date you would be able to begin in May? _____

What is the latest date you would need to leave in August? _____

Housing and Transportation Requirements

In 2021 housing will NOT be available in The Wetlands Institute dormitory. Interns must live locally or within daily commuting distance. Do you have summer housing arranged within daily commuting distance to The Wetlands Institute? Yes No

Personal transportation is required. Will you have personal, reliable transportation throughout the program duration? Yes No

Research Projects and Interests

Interns will be assigned to one focused research project that may include:

- Diamondback Terrapin Research and Conservation _____
- Delaware Bay Horseshoe Crab Research and Conservation _____
- Surveys of Breeding Birds in Coastal Habitats _____

Please rank the above projects in your order of preference: 1 (most preferred) – 3 (least preferred).

Placement on a particular project is not guaranteed.

All research projects occasionally involve strenuous activities under challenging conditions. Do you have any special medical or other conditions that might limit your participation in field activities? Yes No

If yes, please describe: _____

Are you interested in receiving college credit for your participation in this research program? Yes No

If yes, arrangements must be made in advance with the CCRP Program Director.

Complete Application Package must include the following five documents:

- Attachment A: Completed application form
- Attachment B: Resume
- Attachment C: Copy of your college transcript (unofficial copy is accepted)
- Attachment D: Statement of Interest (2 pg max) explaining why you would like to participate in our summer research program and describing your research interests for the projects outlined above, and related skills or background.
- Attachment E: One letter of recommendation, preferably from a college faculty member who knows you well (can be submitted separately by your reference)