



The International Business Alliance  
for Corporate Ocean Responsibility

## News Release

# GLOBAL OCEAN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT INTERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES WITH THE WORLD OCEAN COUNCIL

## WOC Invites Graduate Students and Early Career Professionals to Apply for 3 Month Internships

22 April 2021

**The World Ocean Council (WOC) - the Global Blue Economy Business and Investment Organization - is seeking talented and motivated persons with an interest and ambition to help ensure the ocean health and sustainability** by working with the WOC and the ocean business and investment community on the projects outlined below.

**Time duration:** Three months, from early June to early September

**Location:** Virtual

**Application deadline:** 30 April

Each WOC Intern will participate in one of the following **WOC Program Projects** that the intern has successfully applied for:

- Global Blue Economy Communications and Events
- Young Ocean Professionals
- Biodiversity in Areas Beyond National Jurisdiction (BBNJ) Treaty
- SMART Ocean-SMART Industries (SO-SI)
- Biofouling and Invasive Species
- Ocean Investor Roundtable/Ocean ESG Framework
- Global Blue Economy Innovation Initiatives Network
- Ocean Restoration/CO2 Removal Roundtable
- Port/Coastal Infrastructure Adaptation and Resilience
- 30 x 30 Marine Conservation/Marine Protected Area (MPA) Campaign
- Small Islands and Blue Economy Business Development
- Ocean Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Working Group

Interns will also participate in a **Self-Identified Learning Project** regarding ocean sustainable development. The project should focus on a question of professional, personal or societal significance that the intern is passionate about and motivated to pursue.

For Internship Program details [click here](#).

For Internship Program application [click here](#).

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## UPCOMING WOC EVENT

**Global Blue Finance Summit (BlueFIN '21) – Dates to be determined**

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### Recent and Upcoming WOC Outreach and Engagement

13-16 April, Online event

**Island Finance Forum '21** (Partner)

15-16 April, Online event

**Artificial Intelligence LA - Earth Summit: “Using Technology to Monitor and Protect Oceans and Coastal Communities** (Panellist)

28-30 April, Online event

**International Conference on Ocean Energy (ICOE): “The UN Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development: What is it and what does it mean for Marine Energy?** (Plenary Session Moderator)

18-19 May, Online event

**Summ4Oceans - Blue Economy: an opportunity for sustainability and economical growth** (Partner, Keynote Speaker)

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### World Ocean Council (WOC) – The Global Blue Economy Business Organization

*The WOC is the international, cross-sectoral alliance for private sector leadership, collaboration and action on ocean sustainability, stewardship and science. Companies from a range of industries worldwide are distinguishing themselves as leaders in “Corporate Ocean Responsibility”, including: shipping, oil and gas, tourism, fisheries, aquaculture, mining, renewable energy, ocean technology and investment.*

*WOC Members are listed [here](#), a part of the WOC Network of 35,000+ ocean industry stakeholders around the world. The WOC is a registered not-for-profit organization in the US, UK and France.*

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