

Semester Field Study Program Information

Please provide the following information:

Field Study Program Name: Marine Biology Spring Semester - Sapelo Island
 Field Study (FSTY) Course ID: FSTY 1063
 Field Study (FSTY) Course CRN: TBD
 Semester Program will be Offered: Spring 2024
 Session (Select Session that most closely aligns with program dates)* : Spring Semester
[Click Here for Session Dates \("Classes Begin" and "Classes End"\)](#)
 Location of Field Study: UGA Marine Institute on Sapelo Island, GA
 Program Director/Contact Name: Thomas Hancock
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 Program Start Date (First meeting with enrolled students): 1/8/2024
 Program End Date (Last meeting with enrolled students): 4/26/2024
 Travel Start Date: 1/6/2024
 Travel End Date: 4/27/2024
 Anticipated Number of Total Students Participating in Program: 14
 Anticipated Number of UGA Students: 10
 Anticipated Number of Transient Students: 4
 Anticipated Number of Undergraduate Students in the Program: 14
 Total Number of Credit Hours Taken by Each Undergraduate Student: 17-18
 Anticipated Number of Graduate Students in the Program: 0
 Total Number of Credit Hours Taken by Each Graduate Student: N/A

Please list each course offered through the program on a separate row below:

Course Title	Course Prefix	Course Number	Credit Hours	Schedule Type	Instructor(s)	Department of Instructor(s)	Course Start Date	Course End Date	Lecture	Field/ Lab
									Class Day(s)/ Times/ (Total Number of Class Days)	Class Day(s)/ Times/ (Total Number of Class Days)
Marine Biology	MARS	3450	3	Lecture	Thomas Hancock	UGAMI	1/8/2024	2/1/2024	M, Tu, W, Th: 8:30-11:30 AM (16 class days)	0
Marine Biology Lab	MARS	3450L	1	Supervised Lab	Thomas Hancock	UGAMI	1/8/2024	2/1/2024	0	M, Tu, W, Th: 1-3 PM (14 class days)
Ecology and Ecology Lab	ECOL	3500 and 3500L	3 & 1	Lecture / Supervised Lab	Daniel Harris	UGAMI	2/5/2024	2/29/2024	M, Tu, W, Th: 8:30-11:30 AM (16 class days)	M, Tu, W, Th: 1-3 PM (14 class days)
Field Animal Behavior	BIOL	3720L	3	Supervised Lab	Amanda Meadows	UGAMI (temporary hire)	3/11/2024	3/28/2024	M, Tu, W, Th: 8:00-9:30 AM (12 class days)	M, Tu, W, Th: 10 AM - 12 PM, 1-3:30 PM (12 class days)
Marine Fisheries Biology	MARS	4380-4380L	3	Lecture	Damon Gannon	UGAMI (temporary hire)	4/1/2024	4/25/2024	M, Tu, W, Th: 9:00-11:00 AM (16 class days)	M, Tu, W, Th: 1-3 PM (14 class days)
Special Topics in Ecology	ECOL	3480	3	Lecture	Thomas Hancock	UGAMI	1/12/2024	4/19/2024	F: 8:30-10:00 (15 class days)	F: 1-4 PM (15 class days)
Faculty-Mentored Undergraduate Research I	ECOL	4960R	3	Directed Study	Thomas Hancock	UGAMI	1/8/2024	4/1/2024	Tu: 4:00-6:00 PM	W: 4:00-8:00 PM*
Faculty-Mentored Undergraduate Research I	BIOL	4960R	3	Directed Study	Thomas Hancock	UGAMI	1/8/2024	4/1/2024	Tu: 4:00-6:00 PM	W: 4:00-8:00 PM*
Faculty-Mentored Undergraduate Research I	MARS	4960R	3	Directed Study	Thomas Hancock	UGAMI	1/8/2024	4/1/2024	Tu: 4:00-6:00 PM	W: 4:00-8:00 PM*

*Please work with department schedulers and OIE to ensure that all academic courses are scheduled in the same Session as the program FSTY course.

*plus any free time, day or night, weekday or weekend, throughout the entire semester. Faculty will ensure that students meet the minimum requirement of 45 hours of work per credit hour per semester

Irregularly Scheduled Academic Activities

Please include any irregularly scheduled academic activities or excursions that will be counted for contact hours:

Activity Title/ Short Description	Date(s)	Total Hours**	Lecture or Field/ Lab	Associated Course(s)
Research trip aboard R/V Spartina	1/10/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	MARS 3450/3450L
Small boat research trip	1/17/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	MARS 3450/3450L
Trip to Jekyll Island	1/26/2024	4 hours	Field/ Lab	ECOL 3480
Small boat research trip	1/31/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	MARS 3450/3450L
Kayak trip around Sapleo south end	2/7/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	ECOL 3500/3500L
Small boat research trip	2/14/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	ECOL 3500/3500L
Visit UGA Skidaway Institute of Oceanography	2/16/2024	4 hours	Field/ Lab	ECOL 3480
Small boat research trip	2/21/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	ECOL 3500/3500L
Research trip aboard R/V Spartina	2/28/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	ECOL 3500/3500L
Visit GA DNR Coastal Resources Division and UGA MAREX/Sea Grant	3/1/2024	4 hours	Field/ Lab	ECOL 3480
Small boat research trip	3/6/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	BIOL 3720L
Visit UNCW shellfish lab	3/15/2024	4 hours	Field/ Lab	ECOL 3480
Research trip aboard R/V Spartina	3/20/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	BIOL 3720L
Small boat research trip	3/27/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	BIOL 3720L
Small boat research trip	4/3/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	MARS 4380/4380L
Research trip aboard R/V Spartina	4/10/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	MARS 4380/4380L
Small boat research trip	4/12/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	MARS 4380/4380L
Small boat research trip	4/17/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	MARS 4380/4380L
Visit Grice Marine Lab	4/19/2024	4 hours	Field/ Lab	ECOL 3480
Small boat research trip	4/24/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	MARS 4380/4380L
Research trip aboard R/V Spartina	4/26/2024	3 hours	Field/ Lab	ECOL 3480

**Please do not include travel, leisure, or non-instructional activities.

For questions, please contact the Office of Curriculum Systems at csfieldstudy@uga.edu or 706-542-6358.