



ECOSYSTEM Field Studies

Hello- please help pass along the below job announcement for a Teaching Assistant for Ecosystem Field Studies to your graduate students. 🙏

Also ***we still have a few spots left in both of our undergraduate summer field courses*** so if you are able to pass along the course announcement that would be incredibly appreciated. A Text announcement and flyer for the courses are below. 🌸

Thanks so much for your support and have an amazing springtime 🌸

Summer Job Announcement:

Colorado EcoFS Course Description

Colorado Ecosystem Field Studies is a 21-day, 3 undergraduate credit field course that teaches fundamental concepts in ecosystem science and skills in hands-on research methods. Colorado EcoFS immerses students in a spectacular ecosystem setting and engages in active investigations that includes scientific observation, data collection, and the implementation of an individual research project.

This 300-level class is open to 20 undergraduate students in an ecosystem related major from throughout the US, Canada and beyond and is accredited by the Environmental Studies Program of the University of Montana (UM). Steve Johnson, EcoFS Director is Affiliate Faculty in Environmental Studies at UM Program and serves as Instructor and the TA's direct supervisor. Please review all website info at www.ecofs.org to learn full details of EcoFS & the course, including the downloadable course syllabus.

TA Duties

Primary academic responsibilities include:

- * create & grade daily homework assignments, plus grading of final paper & exam (due after course end)
- * facilitate students in all aspects of their individual field research project
- * teach lessons on the scientific method, field sampling techniques, data analysis & other course concepts based on TA strengths

Secondary responsibilities include:

- * facilitate group dynamics and student safety/comfort in a rugged mountain environment
- * assist daily instruction and serve as a reliable backup to the Instructor.

Qualifications

- * Candidates in process of completion of a Master's degree, or a higher academic level, are welcome to apply
- * Must have strong field ecosystem research background and advanced ecosystem related data analysis skills
- * Prior Teaching Assistant experience a plus
- * Strong mountain camping & hiking skills are required, personal vehicle available for use during course a plus

Pay

\$4,000, includes all on-course expenses: meals, accommodations, activities, course travel etc. Any fuel costs for vehicle use on course are reimbursed.

Dates

Course dates are July 18 - August 7, 2025. (TA must arrive in Boulder CO on July 16 to assist with course prep.)

To apply

Email cover letter & resume/CV to Steve Johnson, Course Director at steve@ecofs.org

FIELD COURSE COPY/PASTE TEXT MESSAGE BELOW:

SUMMER, 3-CREDIT, FIELD COURSES IN COLORADO & THE CARIBBEAN!
with Ecosystem Field Studies www.ecofs.org

An opportunity to apply your classroom & textbook learning while immersed in a spectacular & transformative environmental academic setting!

Caribbean Ecosystem Field Studies

* Study, SCUBA, & Snorkel on the Caribbean Coast of Mexico
May 20- June 9, 2025

Colorado Ecosystem Field Studies

* Study, Camp, & Hike in the Rocky Mountains of Colorado *
July 18- August 7, 2025

- **Earn 3 undergraduate college transfer credits in these exciting 3-week, hands-on field study courses.**
- **Learn practical scientific skills & methods in field research through active investigations.**
- **Engage & connect with a dynamic & diverse group of student peers from throughout the US and beyond**

Get out in nature, breath fresh air, earn credit, and enjoy a safe and inspiring field science course in the Colorado Rocky Mountains or the Caribbean Coral reef

Open to students from all universities & majors | Accredited by the University of Montana at Missoula, Environmental Studies Program: ENST 391- for 3 undergraduate semester transfer credits

Visit www.ecofs.org for all info

Direct questions to Professor Steve Johnson, EcoFS Director at steve@ecofs.org



Click on link below for the Course Flyer:

2025 EcoFS Summer Courses Flyer



2025 Summer Field Course Announcement

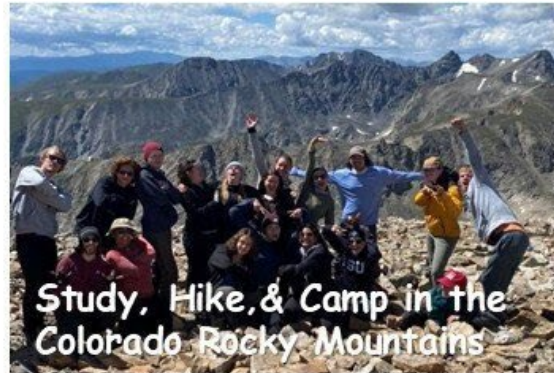
Study, Snorkel & SCUBA Dive on the Caribbean Coral Reef



Learn more & apply at:



EcoFS
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Study, Hike, & Camp in the Colorado Rocky Mountains

- ✓ Earn 3 academic credits with these 21-day transformative & hands-on field study courses
- ✓ Learn in-demand skills & scientific research methods while immersed in an incredible ecosystem setting
- ✓ Easily transferrable college credits available to all students & majors
- ✓ Accredited by the University of Montana at Missoula, Environmental Studies Program
- ✓ Take your education beyond the classroom with an exciting & diverse group of undergraduate students!

Now Accepting Applications for our 2025 Summer Field Courses:

CARIBBEAN ECOSYSTEM FIELD STUDIES



May 20 – June 9

COLORADO ECOSYSTEM FIELD STUDIES



July 18 – August 7

For further questions email Professor Steve Johnson, EcoFS Director: steve@ecofs.org

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