

WETSHOP 2018

Dates: July 8 - 13, 2018

Location: LDWF Marine Research Lab, Grand Isle, LA

Number of Participants: 20 Teachers

Registration Fee: \$50.00

Application Deadline: May 20, 2018

What is WETSHOP?

A week-long workshop that allows teachers to work with educators/scientists to learn about Louisiana coastal wetlands, issues and history. The focus of the summer workshop is to create wetland stewards of teachers in order for them to educate co-workers and students in their home parishes about coastal land loss.

- Implementation of a six hour wetland stewardship project for students, teachers and/or community in your parish after completion of the summer workshop is encouraged.
- Teacher stipend available for summer workshop and wetland stewardship project during academic year.
- 55 professional conact hours will be accrued upon the completion of this wetland institute

Workshop Highlights & Experience:

Fisheries management; research trawling & oyster ecology Coastal botany & ornithology (visit a Brown Pelican rookery) Visit transitional coastal ecosystems Visit coastal restoration site / oil spill impact sites Barrier islands & their role in coastal health
Water quality testing along fresh to salt water gradient
Tour one of the largest oil ports in U.S.
Invasive species (role in coastal land loss)



You will Receive:

Wonders of Wetlands Teacher Guidebook Numerous classroom resources Networking with wetland scientists Up to 55 professional contact hours





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