

Student Research Assistant

Marine Biology Lab

NYU Abu Dhabi

The Marine Biology Lab at New York University Abu Dhabi, seeks to recruit an intern to work in the position of Student Research Assistant.

Brief Job Description:

This internship is designed to provide students with hands-on exposure to marine and environmental research in a multidisciplinary academic setting. Interns will work closely with researchers, research staff, and students on ongoing projects related to marine biology, coral reef ecology, climate change impacts, and environmental monitoring in the Arabian Gulf and surrounding regions.

Intern responsibilities may include assisting with laboratory activities, supporting data collection and processing, contributing to literature reviews, helping with sample preparation and basic analyses, and providing general research and administrative support to the lab. Depending on project needs and the intern's background, there may also be opportunities to observe or assist with fieldwork, data visualization, and scientific communication activities.

Applicants must be currently enrolled in an undergraduate or master's program at a UAE-based university or hold a valid UAE visa. Interns must be available to participate in person at NYU Abu Dhabi for the full duration of the Spring 2026 term. A strong interest in marine science, environmental studies, biology, or related fields is expected. Prior laboratory or research experience is beneficial but not required..

For consideration, applicants need to submit : cover letter, cv, statement of research interest to the internship supervisor. Please make sure to use the following email subject: "External Internship Application - position title".

If you have any questions, please email **John Burt** at **kb120@nyu.edu**.

The internship opportunity is competitive. Applications will be accepted during a short timeframe during Spring and Fall terms. Shortlisted candidates will be notified within a month of the application deadline.

About NYUAD:

NYU Abu Dhabi is a degree-granting research university with a fully integrated liberal arts and science undergraduate program in the Arts, Sciences, Social Sciences, Humanities, and Engineering. NYU Abu Dhabi, NYU New York, and NYU Shanghai, form the backbone of NYU's global network university, an interconnected network of portal campuses and academic centers across six continents

that enable seamless international mobility of students and faculty in their pursuit of academic and scholarly activity. This global university represents a transformative shift in higher education, one in which the intellectual and creative endeavors of academia are shaped and examined through an international and multicultural perspective. As a major intellectual hub at the crossroads of the Arab world, NYUAD serves as a center for scholarly thought, advanced research, knowledge creation, and sharing, through its academic, research, and creative activities.

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