

Web-Based Communications Intern

Founded in 1997, the [North American Marine Alliance](#) (NAMA) is an organization led by people who fish, building a broad movement toward healthy fisheries and fishing communities. We build deep and trusting relationships with community-based fishers, crew, fishworkers, and allies to raise the profile of community based fishermen as the stewards of the ocean; create innovative models such as Community Supported Fisheries; launch campaigns to end corporate control of our ocean, seafood, and fishing rights; collaborate closely with the family farm movements; and, ensure seafood is included in food system conversations. Our interconnected networks of Fish Locally Collaborative (FLC), the Local Catch Network, and Slow Fish and our international partner the World Forum of Fisher People together represent hundreds of thousands of fishing families, fishing community advocates, food justice champions, scientists, new economy thinkers, and more across North America and beyond.

[Don't Cage Our Oceans](#) (DCO2) is a coalition of diverse organizations and businesses fighting offshore fish farms, while uplifting values-based seafood systems. DCO2 is a project of NAMA, and is led by a Steering Committee.

DCO2 is currently seeking one communications intern to assist with a wide array of communications activities with a focus on social media and design. We have social media accounts that need to be maintained in creative and engaging ways. Additionally, new materials – fact sheets, newsletters, reports, and other educational and outreach items – need to be formatted and designed. Responsibilities include the following: social media postings, creating user-friendly formats, design and layout for materials and more - use your own style and creativity!

We are looking for someone with the following:

- Strong social media and graphic design skills with at least one years' experience (personal or professional);
- Experience or knowledge of Canva is preferred;
- An understanding of how communications strategies advance a public interest agenda;
- Excellent interpersonal, writing, organizational skills, and attention to detail; and,
- An interest in fisheries, sustainable agriculture, and/or food systems.

Duration is 3-6 months, depending on interest and availability. Students will receive class credit. To apply, please email Casey Willson (cwillson@dontcageouroceans.org) with a cover letter and resume outlining why you are interested in DCO2, this type of work, and relevant work experience.