



Scientific Diving Sampling
in Tenerife

MARINE BIOLOGIST INTERNSHIP IN TENERIFE, SPAIN



WHAT TO EXPECT?

The Marine Biology program lasts one month with the possibility of extending up to four consecutive months and is designed for both experienced and non-experienced divers. It is an adventure full of learning, laughter and different field work where the intern will learn the basics of marine biology, marine conservation, and scuba diving.

Theoretical lessons are essential to carry out a research project at its best; from the explanation of marine sampling methods to the biology of marine invertebrates, sea turtles, fish residing in the Atlantic Ocean up to the observation of data and the drafting of manuscripts.

Within a month, the interns will have acquired the knowledge and skills to collect various data through underwater marine sampling.

This program is designed for those who want to learn to dive in total safety and for those who are already divers but want to deepen their underwater analysis and sampling skills.



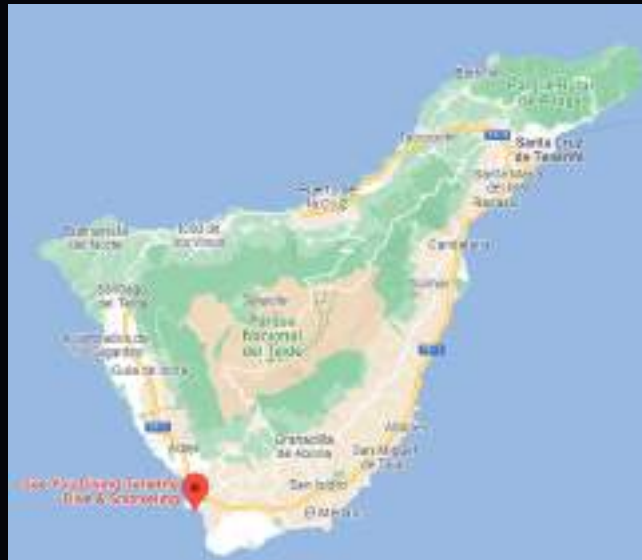
WHERE?

DIVING CENTER AND CLASSROOM

◆ Calle Jesùs Dominguez Grillo 2, Los Cristianos, 38650, Santa Cruz de Tenerife, SPAIN

SEE YOU DIVING is located at Los Cristianos, on the island of Tenerife (Spain), a few steps from the beach and the port.

The center is equipped with new Cressi diving equipment, a wet zone, a compressor for refilling cylinders, a relaxation area and a classroom where presentations are held and the collected data are analysed. Here the theoretical lessons, the manuscripts writing and data analysis activities will be carried out, as well as the preparation of the underwater activities.



SAMPLING AREA

◆ ABADES, Santa Cruz de Tenerife, SPAIN



During your days here we will perform several dives in some of the most beautiful spots in southern Tenerife.

The underwater samplings will be carried out at the Abades diving spot, a marine reserve where boats and dinghies cannot pass, making this place unique and full of marine life.

Here, we will perform an in-depth analysis of the ecosystem created by seagrasses, the lungs of our seas and of the different communities that populate the rocky seabed.

Through the execution of vertical and horizontal transects, combined with photographs and basic knowledge provided during the classroom lessons, you will be able to acquire and process the data.

WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

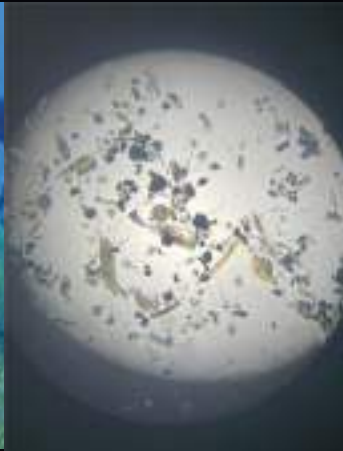
Sampling the hard-bottom communities



Sampling the seagrass



Plancton collection and analysis



Editing manuscript and marine data



Dive Against Debris



Fish ID



Marine turtles



Marine algae and Sponges



Molluscs phylum



Arthropods and Cnidarians



Echinoderms



Bryozoans



Elasmobranchs ID

YOUR ROLE

As a marine biology intern you will be responsible for collecting data in the field using different underwater equipment and methods for rock bottom and seagrass sampling.

You will have the opportunity to graphically and statistically analyze the data acquired during scuba diving and you will be assisted in drafting your personal scientific manuscript.

You will be able to gain valuable skills and knowledge in a range of sub-topics.

You will have the opportunity to write a thesis or scientific publications and increase your skills in the marine conservation sector.

You will be followed step by step, from lessons to scuba diving. Students, recent graduates and researchers are advised to seek funding from their universities by contacting the International/Placement/Erasmus+ offices of their universities or other scholarship providers.

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Two field sessions rotate every month

Rocky Coast Exploration

Explore the rocky coastline and get to know the animals and algae that live attached to the rocks. See how they survive and interact in this dynamic habitat

Seagrass & Sea Life Experience

Get to know seagrass ecosystems by studying the plants and the many species that shelter or feed there

YOUR SCHEDULE

1° WEEK

DIVES

Buoyancy check dive
2 shore dives at Abades

CLASSES

Introduction to marine biology and sampling methods
How to write a scientific report + basic data analysis in Excel

2° WEEK

DIVES

2 shore dives at Abades
2 additional shore dives

CLASSES

Overview of local communities and resident species of Tenerife
Start drafting the scientific report

3° WEEK

DIVES

1 boat dive
2 fun shore dives
2 shore dives at Abades
1 night dive

CLASSES

Land excursions in South Tenerife, and introduction to the night marine environment
Continue drafting the scientific report

4° WEEK

DIVES

2 shore dives at Abades
1 "Dive Against Debris" (cleanup dive)

CLASSES

Final questions and review
Finalization of the scientific report
Lunch and farewell

WHAT IS INCLUDED

14 certified shore dives, 1 boat dive with plancton collection and 1 night dive

Full dive CRESSI equipment

DAN insurance, valid 1 year worldwide

Field sessions in rocky shore and seagrass habitats (rotate each month)

Marine biology lectures and hands-on sampling methods

Data collection and analysis workshops

Scientific report writing guidance

Support in writing your university thesis or manuscript, with the opportunity to collect samples for your research project

Dive Against Debris conservation activity

Final review, Q&A, and closing session

Certificate of participation signed and stamped

Possible letters of reference if requested by the intern



We can assist you with accommodation through our partner hostels in Los Cristianos. Get in touch for more details.

WHAT TO BRING

Laptop with Microsoft Excel and Word programs installed

Any complete diving equipment if you have it

Flip flops and comfortable walking shoes

Bathing suit and towel

Ecological sunscreen

Waterproof

Sunglasses

Bottle of water



REQUIRMENTS TO PARTICIPATE

Diving licence OPEN WATER DIVER.

If you don't have it, you can get certified at SEE YOU DIVING before start the program.

Own laptop with WORD and Excel Software

Have an intermediate knowledge of both spoken and written English.

Being Healthy and in good physical conditions (medical statement might be required).

At least 18 years old.



ABOUT THE PRICE

You can choose from a minimum of 1 month up to 4 months!

Price per person, all inclusive

1st Month € 1370

2nd Month € 1280

3rd Month € 1260

4th Month € 1240

Flights and accomodation not included

HOW TO PARTECIPATE

Write an email at seeyoudivingtenerife@gmail.com or info@internshipseeyoudiving.com and get your private online interview

Only 8 spaces available. Minimum of 2 participants necessary

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