

Graduate Student Positions in Aquatic/Fisheries Ecology
Aquatic Ecology Laboratory
Department of Evolution, Ecology, and Organismal Biology
The Ohio State University
Columbus, OH

Research opportunities: Dr. Stuart Ludsin (www.ludsinlab.com/) has openings available for M.S. and/or Ph.D. students to conduct basic and applied research in aquatic ecology. Research topics include: **1)** impacts of harmful algal blooms and bottom hypoxia on Lake Erie's food webs and fisheries; **2)** ecology and fishery dynamics of Lake Erie walleye and yellow perch; and **3)** the ecology of food webs and sport fishes in Ohio reservoirs.

Location: Successful candidates will join a dynamic, interactive group of students, post-docs, and faculty at The Ohio State University's Aquatic Ecology Laboratory (<http://ael.osu.edu/>) within the Department of Evolution, Ecology, and Organismal Biology (<http://eeob.osu.edu/>).

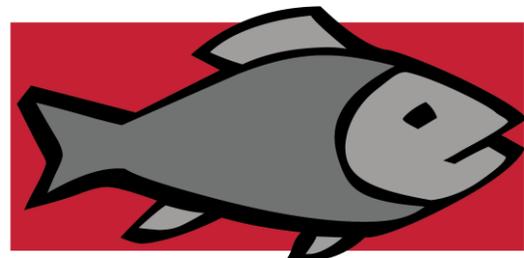
Qualifications: Successful applicants will be creative, motivated, and capable of working effectively both independently and in collaborative groups. A Bachelor's degree and/or M.S. degree in biology, ecology, fisheries, general aquatic sciences, or a related field is required. Strong writing, quantitative, and people-management skills are essential.

Stipend: ~\$2,389/month plus full tuition waiver and health benefits.

Start date: Fall 2020.

How to apply: Application review will begin on Nov. 15, with applications accepted until suitable candidates are found. If interested, please email Dr. Stuart Ludsin (apps.AEL@gmail.com): **1)** a letter of interest that briefly describes your educational and research background, as well as your research interests/goals; **2)** a curriculum vitae (or resume); **3)** an unofficial copy of your transcript(s); **4)** contact information for at least three professional references; and **5)** your GRE scores (although they are not mandatory for admission) and (if applicable) TOEFL/TSE scores. *Please put "Ludsin Graduate Positions" in the subject line.*

Additional information: For additional information about application procedures and requirements, visit <https://eeob.osu.edu/grad/program-admissions>. For more information about the Aquatic Ecology Laboratory or Dr. Ludsin, please visit the websites above or contact me at apps.AEL@gmail.com.



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