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Oregon Ocean Science Trust



The collection of quality data can be costly. Help us secure a better future for our ocean and those that depend on it.

How the Oregon Ocean Science Trust Can Help

The Ocean Science Trust (OOST) was established by the 2013 Oregon legislature to increase knowledge and understanding of our ocean and coastal resources.

- OOST is not a government agency, but it is linked to the state by supporting research and monitoring efforts that can help state agencies make better decisions. It is an independent non-profit organization.
- OOST does not do the science, but serves as a fiscal platform through which funds can be leveraged from multiple public and private sources and then be distributed through competitive grant programs to key science projects in coastal communities.
- OOST collaborated with over 50 Oregon scientists and policy makers to set ocean research and monitoring priorities to make sure that funds flow in the direction of the highest needs for the state.
- List the four research and monitoring needs:
 - Distribution and abundance of nearshore species and habitats,
 - Species and habitat associations and interactions,
 - Effects people have on nearshore resources and the effects of nearshore resources on people and coastal communities, and,
 - Effects of climate change and ocean acidification on species and their habitats and ecological function.

Three Priority Projects for the 2019-2021 Funding Cycle

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