Master of Science (MSc)  
Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

Oceanographers study every aspect of the world’s oceans, from beaches to the deep sea, from the photosynthesis near the surface to the mud of the ocean floor. Biologists, Chemists, Geologists and Physicists work together on basic problems that also have real-world results: from moving shipping lanes in the Bay of Fundy to protect endangered right whales, to making measurements and constructing models that shed light on global climate change. Students have the opportunity to collaborate with leading experts, to conduct fieldwork around the globe, to experience research at sea, and to participate in basic and advanced classes in all the sub-disciplines of oceanography.
RESEARCH STRENGTHS
Dalhousie Oceanography students participate in exciting worldwide and world-class interdisciplinary research projects that focus on integrating observations and understanding of ocean processes to enable understanding of the present and past ocean, as well as predictions about the future ocean on scales of weeks to centuries. Faculty members are leaders in their fields and most hold or have held prestigious appointments nationally and internationally. Dalhousie is also home to some of the world’s key ocean research networks.

POTENTIAL CAREERS
Graduates of the Oceanography programs pursue a wide range of exciting careers in countries all over the world. Opportunities include careers in industry, government agencies and private institutions. Academia, research and development, consulting, policy, management, and alternative careers in fields such as journalism and medicine are just a few of the areas influenced by the oceanographic community.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
Candidates must satisfy the general requirements for admission to the Faculty of Graduate Studies.

APPLICATION DEADLINE
Same as the general application deadlines outlined by the Faculty of Graduate Studies (applications are accepted for September, January, and May admission).

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