This form should be completed in consultation with the applicant’s FCCMS program advisor.

Courses recommended for the Certificate are listed on the program website: [www.fivecolleges.edu/marine/courses](http://www.fivecolleges.edu/marine/courses) and are grouped by the distribution categories they fulfill. Course requirements must be fulfilled or in progress before this application is submitted. **Deadline for January/February graduation: December 1st**

**Deadline for May graduation: May 1st   
Please type in the form where appropriate and sign (or sign electronically).**

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| Student Name (as it appears on your transcript):  Click or tap here to enter text. | Institution:  Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Student ID number:  Click or tap here to enter text. | Expected date of graduation (month and year):  Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Campus Email:   Click or tap here to enter text. | Major:  Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Permanent Email (best way to contact you after graduation):  Click or tap here to enter text. | Coastal and Marine Sciences Program Advisor Name (print):  Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Phone:  Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Permanent Address:  Click or tap here to enter text. | |

**Certificate Advisor Approval:**

Asthe FCCMS faculty advisor, I have worked with this student to ensure a strong concentration in coastal & marine sciences. I approve of this student’s coursework, field/lab experience, and research project, and feel he/she has met the requirements for the Five College Coastal & Marine Sciences Certificate (sign physically or electronically).

**FCCMS Program Advisor Name:   
Advisor Signature: Date:**

# 1. Six Required Courses ([www.fivecolleges.edu/marine/courses](http://www.fivecolleges.edu/marine/courses))

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| Course title | Course Number | Institution | Semester & Year | Credits | FCCMS Category |
|  |  |  |  |  | Ecology and Biodiversity |
|  |  |  |  |  | Geology and Chemistry |
|  |  |  |  |  | Resource Management and Policy/Scientific Skills |
|  |  |  |  |  | (any category) |
|  |  |  |  |  | (any category) |
|  |  |  |  |  | (any category) |

Additional Courses from the FCCMS course list (add rows as necessary)

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| Course title | Course Number | Institution | Semester & Year | Credits | FCCMS Category |
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# 2. Field/Lab Experience Log (minimum of 80 hours is required) Please attach a signed log sheet with this application, available at [www.fivecolleges.edu/marine/certificate](http://www.fivecolleges.edu/marine/certificate).

# 3. Marine-related Research Project (poster)

Please send a PDF file of the poster to the program coordinator (marinesci@fivecolleges.edu).

Poster title: Click or tap here to enter text.

Research location: Click or tap here to enter text.

Research Mentor: Click or tap here to enter text.

Project Summary: Click or tap here to enter text.

Poster presented at the FCCMS poster session (yes or no): Click or tap here to enter text.

**Certificate Applicant Submission:**

As the applicant, I declare that my work and accomplishments have been accurately and honestly represented in this application   
(print out and sign).

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Submit the following with your application   
(your application cannot be processed without them):**  1) Field/Lab Experience Log   
 2) Electronic Copy of research poster  
 3) Transcripts from all institutions listed in this application(if home campus transcript does not include grades from courses taken   
 elsewhere)**. If you prefer, transcripts can be submitted by mail/dropped off:** Five College Coastal and Marine Sciences Program

Five Colleges, Inc.  
 97 Spring Street  
 Amherst, MA 01002

**Please save application as a PDF and submit electronically to:**

Five College Coastal & Marine Sciences Program  
**marinesci@fivecolleges.edu**