

Join the Team at the Olympic Coast Exploration Center

Build something extraordinary.

Some careers ask you to maintain what already exists. This one asks you to help create what comes next.

The Olympic Coast Exploration Center is entering one of the most exciting chapters in its history. Building on the 45-year legacy of the Feiro Marine Life Center, this Center is transforming into a world-class destination for marine and coastal exploration, conservation, education, and community connection.

Opening in 2028 on the Port Angeles waterfront, the Center will welcome residents and visitors from around the world to discover the extraordinary ecosystems, cultures, and stories of Washington's Olympic Peninsula Coast. Through immersive exhibits, live animal experiences, conservation science, and innovative educational programming, we will inspire the next generation of ocean stewards while serving as a vibrant gathering place for our community.

We are seeking talented, collaborative, and mission-driven professionals who are excited by the opportunity to build a remarkable organization.

Shape a flagship cultural institution, live between the mountains and the sea, enjoy year-round outdoor recreation, and become part of a close-knit community that is investing in its waterfront and cultural future.



Why the Olympic Peninsula?

Nestled between Olympic National Park, the Strait of Juan de Fuca, and the rugged Pacific coastline, the northwest Olympic Peninsula offers an unparalleled quality of life for people who value both meaningful work and extraordinary places.

Imagine finishing your workday and choosing between:

- Hiking through ancient temperate rainforests
- Kayaking and boating alongside marine wildlife
- Exploring alpine trails and mountain lakes
- Cycling the Olympic Discovery Trail
- Watching sunsets over the Strait of Juan de Fuca
- Taking a ferry to Victoria, British Columbia for the weekend
- Enjoying vibrant communities filled with local restaurants, arts, and events



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At a Glance

- Opening 2028
- Part of a waterfront campus with Field Arts & Events Hall and planned Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe Cultural Center
- Facility will triple current space and education capacity
- Projected to welcome 75,000 visitors a year
- Expanded hands-on marine science exhibits and immersive learning environments
- Integration of real-time sanctuary research and data
- Enhanced animal welfare systems
- Goal of Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) accreditation

Our Culture:

We believe the strongest organizations are built by people who are:

- Curious and lifelong learners
- Collaborative and generous teammates
- Welcoming and inclusive
- Mission-driven and community-minded
- Adaptable and innovative
- Accountable and committed to excellence

We value diverse perspectives and encourage candidates from all backgrounds and experiences to apply. If you're passionate about our mission and believe your talents can help advance it, we'd love to hear from you.

Benefits of Working at Olympic Coast Exploration Center

We are committed to supporting our employees with competitive compensation and a comprehensive benefits package, including:

- Relocation benefits package
- 100% group health coverage for employees
- Retirement plan with employer contribution
- Generous paid time off and holidays
- Flexible work arrangements where appropriate

Rooted in Port Angeles, this project ripples far beyond our shoreline.

Feiro's long-standing partnership with NOAA Olympic Coast National Marine Sanctuary becomes even more powerful in a new facility that traces waterways from the mountains through estuaries and into the deep ocean.



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