# **Kyle Halstead**

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## Education

2017 Spring Hill College B.S. Biology (Organismal/Marine) (minor in Biochemistry) 2021 University of South Alabama M.S. Marine Science

# **Current Appointment**

Marine Educator - Dauphin Island Sea Lab Discovery Hall Programs

# **Prior Appointments**

| 2021-2022 | Temporary Educator at Dauphin Island Sea Lab Discovery Hall Programs  |
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|           | Lead activities and instruct classes in marine science subjects for K-12 classes and the general public.  |
| 2017-2021 | Graduate Assistant at University of South Alabama   |
|           | Develop a thesis project to complete and present to peers with the plan to publish that work.   |
| 2017      | Programs Intern at Mobile Baykeeper   |
|           | Sampled water and air quality within Mobile & Baldwin counties to ensure the area had clean air and water. Drafted reports for AL Dept of Environmental Management. |
| 2014-2017 | Laboratory Teaching Assistant at Spring Hill College  |
|           | Prepare, assist, and teach laboratory classes in General & Organic<br>Chemistry to undergraduate students   |

#### **Relevant Products**

An HPLC method to quantify S-methylmethionine in marine samples, Kyle Halstead, Ronald Kiene, David Kieber, Jeffrey Krause, Alison Robertson, 2020, poster, University of South Alabama/Dauphin Island Sea Lab, presented at Ocean Sciences Meeting & Southeastern Biogeochemical Symposium

## **Synergistic Activities**

Research cruise in Gulf of Alaska, 2017, collected water samples throughout the water column down to 2000 m to investigate dimethylsulfoniopropionate concentrations in-situ

#### Service

Apple Snail Roundup AL Coastal Cleanup

## Certifications

SCUBA Open Water Diver; Certified by SCUBA Schools International

CPR/1<sup>st</sup> Aid; Certified by American Safety & Health Institute

Radiation Laboratory Safety; Certified by University of South Alabama Dept of Radiation Safety