

41°N Contributor Guidelines

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41°N publishes articles on topics related to coastal and ocean science, communities, economies, resources, people, and history. Contributors, please note:

- The magazine does not take an advocacy position on issues.
- All contributions must be checked by authors for accuracy with any interviewees or other content providers. A list of references should be included if applicable.
- Topics and style should be geared toward an educated, adult general readership, and make scientific or policy topics understandable to that audience in an engaging way.

We are seeking:

Feature articles of 2,000 to 3,000 words. These should include multiple sources of information and interviews, and be done in a journalistic, reportorial style.

Brief articles may feature one or more interviewees and range from 400 to 600 words.

Q+A interviews with interesting members of the community who are engaged in ocean or coastal resources uses or issues (e.g., scientists, boat builders, fishermen, seafood processors, importers, surfers, chefs, authors, elected officials, etc.) of 1,000 to 2,000 words (including introduction).

Book reviews, featuring recent publications, of 300 to 500 words.

Pay rates will be determined upon consultation with the editor and agreed to before work is to begin. All contributors must register in the URI Vendor System.

Letters to the Editor are also welcome.

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