

## **Wrigley Marine Science Center Alcohol Use Policy**

In order to foster a safe campus environment for all students, the Wrigley Marine Science Center (WMSC) requires all guests to adhere to the following alcohol use policy.

### **Students under age 21**

No alcohol use of any kind is allowed by individuals under the age of 21, whether on the Wrigley Marine Science Center campus or elsewhere while engaged in the program. This is a zero-tolerance policy. Students under the age of 21 who consume alcohol will be immediately removed from the Wrigley Marine Science Center campus.

### **Undergraduate students age 21 or older**

Undergraduate students are those who are enrolled in an undergraduate course of study at any higher education institution, regardless of the student's age or institution's location. This includes, but is not limited to, students enrolled in the USC Wrigley Institute for Environmental Studies Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) program, Zinsmeyer Summer Undergraduate Research program, or Environmental Communications Internship program.

Undergraduate students age 21 or older are permitted to consume alcohol under the following circumstances:

- All alcohol consumption must take place off the grounds of the Wrigley Marine Science Center campus
- Students may travel to Two Harbors, Avalon, or the mainland to consume alcohol

### **Graduate students age 21 or older**

Graduate students are those enrolled in a Ph.D. or standalone master's degree course of study at any higher education institution, regardless of the student's age or institution's location. This includes, but is not limited to, students serving as USC Wrigley Institute for Environmental Studies graduate fellows or teaching assistants.

Graduate students age 21 or older are permitted to consume alcohol under the following circumstances:

- No communal drinking is permitted indoors, including in housing common areas such as living rooms
- Outdoor alcohol consumption is limited to the communal area behind the WMSC dormitory (picnic and ping-pong area)
- Quiet hours of 9:00pm - 7:00am remain in effect
- Students may travel to Two Harbors, Avalon, or the mainland to consume alcohol

### **Additional requirements**

Under no circumstances is anyone permitted, either intentionally or by neglect, to supply alcohol to anyone under age 21. This is a zero-tolerance policy. Anyone found to have supplied alcohol to an underage person will be immediately removed from the WMSC campus and reported to the University of Southern California's Department of Public Safety.

The Wrigley Marine Science Center will not tolerate public intoxication on its campus. Intoxication may increase the severity of disciplinary action taken for misconduct committed while under the influence of alcohol. Such misconduct may serve as grounds for immediate removal from the WMSC campus and/or the WMSC program in which the individual is enrolled.

Under no circumstances may individuals operate WMSC vehicles, including but not limited to boats, cars, vans, or golf carts, while under the influence of alcohol. Such misconduct may serve as grounds for immediate removal from the WMSC campus and/or the WMSC program in which the individual is enrolled and permanent revocation of the individual's WMSC driving privileges.

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