

# Support the 2026 Washington Sea Grant Shellfish Growers Conference



## Sponsorship Form



## Bringing together Pacific Northwest Shellfish Growers

February 9–10, 2026 at Alderbrook Resort & Spa, Union, WA

The **Washington Sea Grant Shellfish Growers Conference** has been convening since 1991 to unite shellfish producers, researchers, students, and managers from across the Pacific Northwest. This two-day event provides a vital forum to discuss pressing issues in aquaculture, share relevant research, and strengthen our community.

Topics will include water quality, policy and legislation, production best practices, ecosystem interactions, workforce development, and shellfish mortality.

### Sponsorship Levels

Select from the following options. **Any amount is greatly appreciated!**

#### CHAMPION

\$5000+

#### PATRON

\$1000+

#### SPONSOR

\$500+

#### SUPPORTER

#### All Champions, Patrons, Sponsors, and Supporters will receive:

- Verbal and/or written recognition of contribution at the conference.

#### Sponsors of \$500 or more will also receive:

- Name on program and website.

#### Patrons of \$1000 or more will also receive:

- Name and logo on program and website.
- One free registration.

#### Champions of \$5000 or more will also receive:

- Name and logo on program and website.
- Special recognition during breaks.
- Two free registrations.

☐ I would love a display table at the event

### Donation Type

Please indicate your type of contribution:

#### Financial Donation

- Complete the Payment Instructions section below.
- Submit this form with your check or online donation confirmation.

#### Shellfish Donation

- Complete the Shellfish Donation Details section below.
- Provide a description and estimated fair market value.
- Recognition will be based on the fair market value of the donation, aligned with sponsorship levels above.

### For Financial Contributions Only:

Name:	Make checks out to UW Foundation with <b>"WA Sea Grant Development Fund DSC-133504"</b> in the memo line and mail this completed form and check to: <b>Gift Services, University of Washington, Box 359505, Seattle, WA 98195-9505</b> . Or, donate online at <a href="http://wsg.washington.edu/donate-2">wsg.washington.edu/donate-2</a>
Organization:	
Address:	If donating online, please note <b>"WA Sea Grant Shellfish Growers Conference"</b> in the comments field and email this completed form to Melissa Petrich at <a href="mailto:mpetrich@uw.edu">mpetrich@uw.edu</a> .
City, State, ZIP Code:	
Contact Telephone Number:	<b>Please Indicate your Preference:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> I prefer to remain anonymous <input type="checkbox"/> Please acknowledge my sponsorship
Contact E-Mail Address:	<b>Contact us</b> at Melissa Petrich, Conference Coordinator <a href="mailto:mpetrich@uw.edu">mpetrich@uw.edu</a> or 253-861-3927
Donation Amount:	<b>Event Details</b> at <a href="http://bit.ly/WA-Shellfish-Conference2026">bit.ly/WA-Shellfish-Conference2026</a>

### For Shellfish Donations Only:

All shellfish donations are used to feed conference attendees at the reception on day one of the Conference for Shellfish Growers.

The shellfish donation goals for the reception are:

- Mussels: 40-45 pounds
- Clams: 30 pounds
- Oysters (shucked): 3-5 gallons
- Oysters (halfshell): 3 dozen

*Delivery Instructions: Please turn in your shellfish donations to a WSG or Alderbrook staff member upon arrival (Sunday evening, February 8 or Monday morning, February 9).*

Name:	Donated Item(s):
Organization:	Estimated Value:
Email Address:	