

# 2010 Hog Island Ornithology Programs

## Summer Courses

### **Seabird Biology and Conservation I—May 30–June 4**

Participate in restoring Maine's seabirds! Census eiders and gulls, visit the puffin and tern colony on Eastern Egg Rock, and take part in a banding program. Co-sponsored with Exploritas (formerly Elderhostel Inc.). Registration at [www.Exploritas.org](http://www.Exploritas.org), program #18493RJ.

*Price: \$855 double; \$1,025 single*

### **Joy of Birding—June 13–18**

In the height of the nesting season, hone your birding skills while reveling in more than 200 species of New England birds. Visit a puffin island, a heron colony, tidal marshes, and deep forests. Our enthusiastic faculty, small-group field trips, and informal instruction make learning fun.

*Price: \$795–\$995, based on housing*

### **Field Ornithology—June 20–25**

Accompanied by birding experts, ornithologists, authors, and sound recordists, participants will visit offshore puffin islands, lush salt marshes, and spruce-fir forests as they explore nesting behavior, songs, migration, landscaping for birds and conservation, and classroom bird activities.

*Price: \$795–\$995, based on housing*

### **Coastal Maine Bird Studies for Teens—June 20–25**

Teens ages 14–17 who have an avid interest in birds will enjoy a program that includes field identification and bird song recognition. Teens will work with some of the country's best-known birders and ornithologists. Co-sponsored by the American Birding Association.

*Price: \$995*

### **Seabird Biology and Conservation II—September 12–17**

Learn bird conservation methods in this service-learning session. Assist with creating improved tern habitat, conduct a census of nesting Leach's Storm-Petrels, and learn how to radio-track and band migratory birds. Co-sponsored with Exploritas (formerly Elderhostel Inc.). Registration at [www.Exploritas.org](http://www.Exploritas.org), program #18493RJ.

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### Instructors

Steve Kress, director of Project Puffin  
Pete Dunne, director, Cape May Bird Observatory  
Kenn Kaufman, author and ornithologist  
Scott Weidensaul, author and ornithologist  
Lynne Cherry, author and educator

See the full list of instructors at  
[www.projectpuffin.org](http://www.projectpuffin.org)



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### Registration

**Space is limited—save your place now!**

To register online or download registration forms, visit  
[www.projectpuffin.org](http://www.projectpuffin.org)  
607-257-7308, Ext. 11

Coastal Maine Bird Studies participants must be 14–17 years old. Other participants must be 18 or older, in good health, and able to climb in and out of small boats and over slippery seaweed. Special diets can usually be accommodated; check with the registrar. Audubon reserves the right to alter itineraries and arrangements, or to substitute similar ones at no penalty.



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