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Dr. Lisa Kerr (Chair)	University of Maine, School of Marine Sciences: Associate Professor	Inform progress toward sustainable management of marine fisheries and ecosystems as a whole by: 1) understanding the influence of climate, harvest, and management on fishery resources, 2) advancing the study of fish stock structure and its implications to resilience, and 3) research and advisory work to improve stock assessment and fisheries management.	2016
Dr. Conor McManus (Vice-Chair)	Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management Division of Marine Fisheries: Chief	Oceanography, climate science, fish ecology, sampling design, population dynamics, fish early-life history, ecosystem modeling, stock assessment methods, estuarine ecology, fisheries management.	2021
Dr. Anna Birkenbach	University of Delaware, School of Marine Science and Policy: Assistant Professor	Marine resource economics, fisheries management that maximizes value generated by the resource, environmental economics and policy, applied econometrics, environmental health, policy analysis, and climate change.	2019
Dr. Ed Camp	University of Florida, Program of Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences: Assistant Professor	Socioecological modeling; impacts of fish recruitment and productivity non-stationarity on assessments and projections; fishery catchability, species targeting, and effort; co- and place-based management, including how decision-making processes and power dynamics influence stakeholder perceptions and participation.	2024
Mr. Michael Carroll	Legit Fish Inc.: Founder and CEO Town Fish Inc.: Charter Captain	Seafood business and marketing, seafood reporting and labeling, fishery economics.	2015
Dr. Yong Chen	State University of New York at Stony Brook, School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences: Professor	Stock assessment, quantitative fisheries ecology, population dynamics, marine ecosystem assessment and management, computer simulation, management strategy evaluation, sampling/survey design and optimization, climate change, habitat and ecosystem modeling, and international fisheries.	2012
Dr. Jeremy Collie	University of Rhode Island, Graduate School of Oceanography: Professor	Quantitative ecology with emphasis on population dynamics and production of marine animals; fish population dynamics and management; fish feeding and prey selection; predator-prey interactions; recruitment of marine fish; benthic habitat studies.	2013
Dr. Adam Delargy	University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, School for Marine Science and Technology: Research Assistant Professor	Survey methods, stock assessment, modeling ecology, and population dynamics, focusing on scallops, but also crab, lobster, whelk, coral reef fisheries, groundfish, marine ecosystems, aquaculture, and impacts of fishing gears. These topics have covered fishery research, ecology, biology, and population dynamics.	2024

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Dr. Peter Adrian Jordaan	University of Massachusetts Amherst, Department of Environmental Conservation: Associate Professor and Director of the UMass Amherst Gloucester Marine Station	Understanding the influence of environmental variables on growth and survival of individuals and populations, elucidating the temporal and spatial structure and function of ecosystems, and determining the best management policies given the environmental constraints on growth, survival and geographic distributions of fish and other marine organisms.	2020
Dr. Gareth Lawson	Conservation Law Foundation: Senior Scientist	Marine ecology, biological oceanography, and fisheries science, field studies and the development and application of advanced sampling technologies, especially active acoustics and electronic tags, cooperative research and its application to assessment and management.	2024
Dr. Kai Lorenzen	University of Florida, Program of Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences: Professor	Fish population dynamics, human dimensions of commercial and recreational fisheries, and integrative- interdisciplinary approaches to management problem solving, size and density-dependent processes in fish populations, quantitative assessment methods for hatchery-enhanced fisheries; impacts of non-native species, habitat modifications, and harvest regulation on fisheries.	2024
Dr. Jason McNamee	Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management Bureau of Natural Resources, Deputy Director	Ecosystem modeling, ecological statistics, fisheries management, fisheries stock assessment methods, trophic interactions in marine populations, data limited approaches to population modeling, management strategy evaluation in marine fisheries, use of collaborative research in population assessments.	2013
Dr. Richard Merrick	NOAA Fisheries, Chief Science Advisor and Director of Scientific Programs (retired)	Ecosystem-based fisheries management and climate science policy; protected species in general; marine mammal-fishery interactions; trophic interactions in marine populations.	2019
Dr. Fred Serchuk	Northeast Fisheries Science Center, Senior Science Advisor (retired)	Fishery stock assessment, scientific writing, and communications.	2019
Dr. Kevin St. Martin	Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, Department of Geography, Professor	Diverse economies, marine governance and livelihoods, climate and community, ontological politics, critical cartography, GIS, and data studies.	2021
Dr. Michelle Staudinger	University of Maine, School of Marine Sciences: Associate Professor	Foraging ecology, trophic interactions, biodiversity assessments, climate risk and vulnerability of coastal and marine species with relevance to fisheries management.	2024

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Dr. Sam Truesdell	NOAA Fisheries Northeast Fisheries Science Center	Stock assessment, fish population dynamics, management strategy evaluation, and fisheries data collection.	2022
Dr. Hirotsugu Uchida	University of Rhode Island, Department of Environmental and Natural Resource Economics, Professor	Development of efficient marine resource management policy, with particular focus on fishery co-management in both developed and developing countries.	2018
Dr. John Wiedenmann	Rutgers, The State University of New jersey, Department of Ecology, Evolution, and Natural Resources, Assistant Professor	Fisheries biology and management, ecological modeling, marine population and ecosystem dynamics, and foraging behavior of marine mammals.	2017
Dr. Lindsey Williams	University of New Hampshire, School of Marine Science and Ocean Engineering, Affiliate Assistant Research Professor & Associate Director, New Hampshire Sea Grant	Social science and human dimension questions in fishery science and policy.	2019