**NANUQ**

**COASTAL RESEARCH VESSEL**

**ABOUT**

*R/V Nanuq* is a state-of-the-art, 40-foot research vessel that accommodates a wide variety of equipment in support of oceanographic, fisheries and marine biology research. The vessel is based at the Seward Marine Center and operates along the north coast of the Gulf of Alaska. *Nanuq* is owned and operated by the College of Fisheries and Ocean Sciences at the University of Alaska Fairbanks.

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**Vessel Specifications**

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<td>Overall length</td>
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<td>Draft</td>
<td>5 feet</td>
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<td>Beam</td>
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<td>Scientist berths</td>
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<td>Deck working area</td>
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**Performance**

- Cruising speed: 20+ knots
- Fuel: 400 gallons
- Range (based on 20-knot speed): Up to 400 nautical miles

**Equipment**

- A-frame: 1,000 lbs. SWL capacity
- Davit: 250 lbs. SWL capacity
- So-low freezer: 4.6 cubic foot
- Onboard flow-through water system with a thermostalinograph
- Pole-mount system to deploy equipment
- Dive platform and ladder
- Onboard computer system
- Capable of CTD deployment

**Accommodations include:**

- Marine head with a shower, hot and cold water for portions of the year, bunks, small refrigerator, microwave/convection oven, limited galley for overnight trips, sink

"Brian Mullaly is a fantastic captain who goes above and beyond to make sure our research needs are met, and he is genuinely excited about the work that we are doing."

- Amy Bishop, UAF Centennial Postdoc
RATES

R/V Nanuq is available to researchers, students and scientists from the University of Alaska as well as other organizations.

The day rate for Nanuq includes shoreside logistics and administrative support for half-day (up to 6 hours), full-day (up to 12 hours) and overnight (up to 24 hours) use. Rates differ for UA and non-UA users. Scheduling preference is given to University of Alaska researchers.

Please contact Brian Mullaly at (907) 224-4306 or bmullaly@alaska.edu for current rates and other information.

“Nanuq is surprisingly affordable for University of Alaska students to use.”

- Katja Berghaus, CFOS graduate student

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