

*Uncertain
about your
fishing
future?*



Don't just catch it — Grow it, too!



The **Aquaculture in Shared Waters** project provides courses, field trips, workshops, reference materials and start-up support for fishermen who want to learn more about starting a sea-farming business. Course instructors have decades of industry and teaching experience.

Topics include:

Choosing the right gear ■ site selection ■ regulation and permitting ■ sales and marketing ■ business management ■ best husbandry practices for shellfish and sea-weed farming ■ Gear Demos and More!

Classes are held in Brunswick* on Monday Evenings 6-8 pm for 12 sessions, beginning January 6, 2020.



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The Situation

- ▶ The Maine clam industry has been hit hard by predation
- ▶ Shrimping has been closed for several years
- ▶ Groundfish landings have been cut
- ▶ Licenses for other fisheries are hard to come by

The Opportunity

- ▶ A growing number of Maine fishermen have become aquaculturists; producing seafood by farming it, as well as by catching it.
- ▶ The aquaculture industry in the US and the world is growing, and the market for Maine seafood has never been stronger.

Instructors include:

Sebastian Belle

Maine Aquaculture Association

Chris Davis, PhD.

Maine Aquaculture Innovation Center and Pemaquid Oyster Co.

Dana Morse

Maine Sea Grant and University of Maine Cooperative Extension

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Guest speakers will also be scheduled

**CAN'T ATTEND IN BRUNSWICK?
Classes will be streamed LIVE from
UMaine's HUTCHINSON CENTER
in BELFAST!*

