



GrizzlyCorps Essay Questions

2022-2023 Fellow Application

This section asks for short essay responses on key topics about your background and interests relative to the GrizzlyCorps program. Please answer the three following questions in 500 words or less per question (1500 word maximum). We encourage you to type out the essay elsewhere and then paste it into the application to avoid any potential loss of information.

1. GrizzlyCorps focuses on building community resilience in farm or forest communities through research, planning, education, and implementation projects. How have your education and experience given you the skills and ability to meet these goals? Please let us know here if you have specific experience with climate/farm/forest policies, tools, and/or strategies.
2. Our goal for GrizzlyCorps is to both support local communities and to foster the next generation of community resilience professionals. How does serving in GrizzlyCorps advance your professional goals and reflect your goals of public service? *
3. Why is climate action important in rural communities? Explain your understanding of the current issues facing rural farm and forest communities in California.