

## **GrizzlyCorps Essay Questions**

## 2023-2024 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 250 words or less per question (750 words total). 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 has 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 equitable climate action important in rural communities? Explain your understanding of the issues facing rural farm & forest communities today.