

# Demystifying Jaws

## A Decade of Shark Research and Conservation in Coastal New York

Please join us as we welcome Dr. Oliver Shipley, Assistant Professor in the School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences at Stony Brook University. Shipley's research focuses on understanding the foraging dynamics and movements of marine predators, with a focus on sharks, skates, and rays.

Shipley is a local authority on sharks in New York, where he works with various stakeholders to better understand diverse aspects of their behavior.



Dr. Shipley's talk will summarize ten years of shark research conducted by Stony Brook University in coastal New York. Shipley will discuss cutting-edge technologies that are being implemented to uncover the secret lives of sharks and how they are likely to respond to emerging threats such as ocean warming and the development of offshore infrastructure.

**Sunday, April 12, 2026**

**Light Refreshments: 12:30 - 1:00 pm**

**Lecture: 1:00 - 2:00 pm**

**Reservations required, please call LIMM to reserve your seat!**

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