



Franchesca Perez

SHELLFISH BIOLOGIST

**Franchesca Perez** has worked for the Stillaguamish Tribe Natural Resources Department since 2003. Formerly the outreach coordinator, she currently oversees the Marine Stewardship and Shellfish Program. This program manages Tribal shellfishing activities and provides environmental services such as biological and chemical water quality monitoring. Franchesca holds a Master of Biology degree focused on marine and estuarine science, and has a broad base of science experience from ocean plankton research to larval crab ecology to molecular biology. She also has over ten years of experience working with non-profit groups, such as Regional Fisheries Enhancement groups, Audubon, and Wildlife Rescue. Outside of work, Franchesca enjoys parenting her four and six year old children and far too many hobbies, such as growing flowers and making chocolates and writing and playing piano and wind-surfing and tap dancing and...

