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BOULDER SURF RESEARCH PREFERENCE

List (by reference number) the 6 research opportunities which you are most interested in order of preference. Include opportunities from at least two different divisions. (Go to <https://www.nist.gov/surf/surf-boulder/research-opportunities> for the current list of research opportunities.)

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Are you available for the entire 11-week SURF Program in Boulder, CO on May 22, 2017-August 4, 2017?

Yes No

If no, give availability dates. _____ **Total amount of time must span 11 weeks.

NOTE: All students must attend through August 4, 2017.

GAITHERSBURG SURF RESEARCH PREFERENCE

Select from the dropdown menu, the 2 research opportunities (by laboratory name) in which you are most interested in order of preference. Try to include opportunities from at least two different laboratories. (Go to <https://www.nist.gov/surf/surf-gaithersburg/research-programs> for a description of each laboratory.)

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Are you available for the for the entire 11-week SURF program in Gaithersburg, MD?

(May 22, 2017 – August 4, 2017)

Yes No

If no, give availability dates. _____

**Limited number of 9-week fellowships available (June 5, 2017 – August 4, 2017).

NOTE: All students must attend through August 4, 2017.

PREVIOUS SURF EXPERIENCE

Have you participated in the SURF program at NIST previously? Yes No

If yes, please indicate: Year (s): _____ Location: Boulder Gaithersburg

Mentor's Name: _____

If you were to return, would you prefer to work with the same mentor?

Yes No No Preference

SPECIAL SKILLS

Do you have experience working in a laboratory? Yes No

If so, please describe *briefly* in the provided space. Please include specific details in your resume.

List any other special skills not included above (e.g., tutoring, extracurricular activities, leadership positions):

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TERMS & Conditions

Please provide your initials by each statement below to acknowledge that you have read the statements below and plan to abide by the conditions.

_____ If invited to participate in the NIST SURF Program, I acknowledge that I must indicate in this application if I require housing. I will not have the opportunity to request housing once my application is submitted.

_____ If invited to participate in the NIST SURF Program, I acknowledge that I am required to undergo a background check which includes fingerprinting.

_____ If invited to participate in the NIST SURF Program, I acknowledge that I will provide the required federal identification for entry to NIST on the first day of the program established under the [REALID Act of 2005](#). Drivers' licenses from the following states and territories will **NOT** be accepted for entry to NIST: American Samoa, Arizona, and Louisiana. In addition, only enhanced drivers' licenses (identified by the American flag on the face of the card) will be accepted from the following three states: Minnesota, New Hampshire, and New York state. Individuals without licenses from compliant jurisdictions may present alternative forms of identification such as an unexpired U.S. Passport.

Application Deadline: January 30, 2017

Checklist:

- Resume (Important: be sure to include any laboratory skills or computer languages, etc.)
- Personal Statement of Commitment to participate (includes research interest)
- Two letters of recommendation
- Transcripts (unofficial acceptable)
- Verification of US citizenship or permanent legal residence (e.g. legible copy of birth certificate, passport, or green card)

Please submit this application and the items listed in the checklist above to your University Contact for inclusion with institutional application—DO NOT SEND SEPARATELY.

UMBC Contact: Janet McGlynn, mcglynn@umbc.edu

Website: ur.umbc.edu/summer-research/nist/surf-application-checklist/

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