NASA Scholarship Checklist

*NASA SPACE GRANT UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP at Augsburg*

This checklist is for your use in completing the NASA Space Grant Scholarship Application. Please keep this with your files. You will need to complete the starred “**🞷**” information and submit all application information by *October 31, 2013,* to:

 David Murr

 NASA Space Grant Undergraduate Scholarship Committee

 Augsburg College, Box 135

 2211 Riverside Ave.

 Minneapolis, MN 55454

** Application Form**. In completing this form, please type or print legibly. If extra space is needed, use and attach extra paper. Consult the “Fields of Study” informational sheet for areas of study within mathematics, science, computer science and pre-engineering. **🞷**

** Statement of Interest.** Provide a one page typed, double spaced statement describing your vision of your future career aspirations. The NASA Scholarship Committee is especially interested in your interest in space science. **🞷**

** Applicant Background Information Form.** Applicants are asked to provide basic demographic and academic background information for Augsburg College to use in their annual report to NASA. **🞷**

** Fields of Study**. This informational list highlights areas of mathematics, science, pre-engineering and computer science in which you may wish to major. This information will be helpful in completing the Application and Applicant Background Information forms.

** Academic Information Form**. Obtain and attach a copy of your most recent academic record. *Highlight all courses which focus on mathematics, science and computer science content.* **🞷**

** Letter of Reference Form.** Contact an individual familiar with your interest in science, mathematics, pre-engineering and computer science to write a letter of reference supporting your scholarship application.

If you have questions concerning the application process or your application, please call David Murr, NASA Space Grant Director at (612) 330-1068 (e-mail: murrdl@augsburg.edu). *Only applicants submitting complete information will be considered by the NASA Space Grant Undergraduate Scholarship Committee.*

You will be notified of awarded NASA Space Grant Undergraduate Scholarships by November 15, 2013.

Application Form

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**Directions:**  Please type or print legibly. If extra space is needed, use and attach an extra sheet with your name at the top. All materials must be submitted by October 31.

Name Date

Address Tel ( )

City/State/Zip

\*College Academic Major (s)

College Minor

Career Objectives

***For each area, described your involvement /leadership in the following areas. Please note any special activities which demonstrate an interest in science, mathematics, pre-engineering, computer science and space science.***

• High School/College and Other Academic Experiences:

• Community/Service Outreach (Community efforts, Boys & Girls Club, YMCA/YWCA, Museum Programs, Girl & Boy Scouts, 4-H, Community Recreational Programs, Church groups).

***Please list your work experience (employer, dates, job titles and duties):*** Extend to an additional page if needed.

**\***Consult *Fields of Study Section of this application*

Statement of Interest

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**Directions:** What is your vision of your future? Please describe your career aspirations, what sparked your interest in this area, and any particular space science or engineering interests or hobbies you may have. We encourage you to surf the NASA’s web site **[http://quest.arc.nasa.gov]** to inform yourself of career opportunities in space science and engineering. Use the space below for your typed, double spaced statement. If needed, use extra paper and attach your response to this application.

***The information in my application is accurate to the best of my knowledge.***

Signature Date

**Mail to:**  David Murr, NASA Space Grant Coordinator, Augsburg College, Box 135, 2211 Riverside Ave., Minneapolis, MN 55454. To ensure consideration for the NASA Space Grant Undergraduate Scholarship all application materials need to be submitted by **October 31**.

Applicant Background Information

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Please answer all of the following questions to the best of your ability. Responses to this questionnaire are confidential and will be reported to NASA in the Consortium’s annual report only in summary form.

Today's Date:

U.S. Citizen:  No  Yes

Name (Last, First, MI) Date of Birth:

Address (Street, City, State, Zip) Email:

Permanent Address (if different) Student with Disability:  No  Yes (Describe)

Check all that apply:
Ethnicity:  Native American  Hispanic  Pacific Islander  Caucasian  African American  Other

Gender:  Female  Male Are you (or siblings) first in family to graduate college?  No  Yes Year in School:
 Have you ever qualified for subsidized school lunches?  No  Yes

Academic Level:  Undergraduate  M.S.  Ph.D. Grade Point Average: GPA in Major:

Advisor’s Name: Department:

Fields of Study:\*
(Listed on page 5) Primary Secondary Tertiary

Degrees currently held: Obtained while receiving scholarship?  Yes  No

Educational Goals:
(check highest degree sought)  B.S.  2nd B.S.  M.S.  2nd M.S.  Ph.D.  Postdoc.

How close are you to obtaining your education goals?

Career Goals: After completing your studies, indicate which of the following areas you plan to work in? (check a maximum of three)

  Consulting  Higher Education  Military  NASA
  Private Industry  Administrative  State/Local Government  Non-NASA Federal Agency
  Teaching (K-12)  Faculty  Non-Profit Organization  Other

Additional Comments:

**For Office Use Only:**

Was this student an awardee:  Yes  No Date of Award Amount of Award:

Expected Completion Date of Scholarship Period:

Purpose of Award:

Student’s Academic Progress:

Fields of Study

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In choosing an area of study for your post-secondary education you may wish to focus on the following fields. Individuals who are interested in working with NASA Space Grant Programs will want to consider the variety of engineering, research and educational career opportunities and programs available. For more information on these career opportunities and educational requirements for these positions, we strongly suggest you visit NASA’s Quest home page, [**http://quest.arc.nasa.gov**](http://quest.arc.nasa.gov). Information concerning women in NASA careers can be found at [**http://quest.arc.nasa.gov/women/intro.html**](http://quest.arc.nasa.gov/women/intro.html). Printed information concerning NASA programs and careers opportunities can be obtained by contacting NASA, CODE FE, Washington, DC 20546-001.

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| *Life Sciences*• Biology• Biochemistry• Botany• Health Science/Nutrition• Life Sciences• Medicine/Medical Research• Molecular/Cell Biology• Zoology*Social Sciences*• Anthropology• Architecture• Art• Economics• Education- Science and Mathematics• History• Philosophy• Political Science/Public Policy• Psychology• Social Sciences | *Engineering*• Agricultural• Aeronautical/Aerospace• Architectural• Bioengineering• Chemical• Civil• Computer• Electrical/Electronic• Engineering• Engineering Science• Engineering Mechanics• Environmental • Industrial• Material Science/Engineering• Mechanical• Mining/Petroleum & Natural Gas• Nuclear*Education*• K-12 Math Teacher• K-12 Science Teacher• K-12 Technology Teacher |

Academic Information Form

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 Applicant’s name

***To the applicant***

Please complete the following task:

• Obtain a copy of your most recent academic transcript and attach it to this form. Highlight (in yellow) all courses which focus on mathematics, science and computer science content.

Letter of Reference

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Greetings!

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 Applicant’s name

Grant Undergraduate Scholarship at Augsburg College. The Augsburg Scholarship Committee request that a letter be written in the applicant’s behalf which includes:

**** how long you have known the applicant and what is your relationship to him/her;

**** your candid appraisal of the applicant’s potential for successful completion of a major in science, mathematics, pre-engineering, space science or computer science; education.

**** qualities you see in the applicant in meeting his/her life goals;

**** a telephone number should we have questions concerning this applicant.

To ensure a full review of this applicant’s qualifications for the scholarship all application materials must be postmarked by **October 31, 2013**. Please return your letter of reference to the applicant as soon as possible. Applicants without a letter of reference will not be reviewed by the Augsburg NASA Undergraduate Scholarship Committee.

If you have questions, please call David Murr, NASA Space Grant Director, CB 135, Augsburg College: (612)330-1068, or e-mail: murrdl@augsburg.edu