



Summer Internship Application Form



Summer 2010

Please indicate the internship for which you are applying. Check only **one** box. If you are applying for both, please submit **separate applications**.)

- Summer Systematics Institute (SSI)
- Biological Illustration (BI)

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle: _____

Email address (very important): _____

Currently enrolled at: _____ as a: Freshman
 Sophomore
 Junior
 Senior

Current mailing address: _____
Phone: _____ - _____ - _____

Permanent address: _____
(if different from above)
Phone: _____ - _____ - _____

Birthdate (mm/dd/yy): ____/____/____ U.S. citizen: yes no, resident alien, nationality: _____
Social Security Number: _____ - _____ - _____

Recommendations will be sent from:

Recommender 1:
Title: ____ First Name: _____ Last name: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____

Recommender 2:
Title: ____ First Name: _____ Last name: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____

Applications lacking letters of recommendation cannot be considered for a position. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that letters of recommendation are received at the California Academy of Sciences before the application deadline of February 14, 2010.

Briefly list skills you have acquired that support your application for this program (for example, laboratory techniques, molecular work, languages, drawing, photography, etc.)	
1.	7.
2.	8.
3.	9.
4.	10.
5.	11.
6.	12.

List up to a dozen courses that you have taken that are relevant to this program.	
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4.	10.
5.	11.
6.	12.

Briefly describe up to 5 field work, employment, or other experiences that you feel support your interests and ability to engage in the kind of research that an internship in our program might involve. Be sure to include any appropriate awards (eg. science fairs or academic awards) or offices held.
1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

Name/describe and indicate the location of any other Research Experiences for Undergraduates programs in which you have been involved.	
Name or description	Where held
1.	
2.	
3.	

For tracking purposes only -- this section is completely optional.	
Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> male <input type="checkbox"/> female	Race: <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaskan Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> White
Ethnicity: <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> not Hispanic or Latino	
Disabilities: _____	

Checklist — Have you:
1. Included a cover letter containing a statement of interest in working at the Academy, and some background information that tells us how you became interested in evolutionary biology? <i>This is a crucial part of your application.</i>
2. Completed all relevant sections of the Application Form? (Note that this Form serves for both SSI and Biological Illustration internships offered in the Academy's summer undergraduate program, so please be sure to indicate clearly the internship for which you are applying on this form, and in the envelope address and your statement of interest.)
3. Completed the Advisor Selection Form after consulting the Advisor List at the website?
4. Arranged for two letters of recommendation? (At least one must be from a science professor or instructor.)
5. Arranged for official transcripts to be delivered to the Academy?

Please address all correspondence to: Summer Undergraduate Internships (re: SSI or BI, please indicate)
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