

Application for the Beckman Scholars Program

Recognizing Outstanding Undergraduate Students in Chemistry and Biological Sciences Research at California State University, Long Beach

Summer 2008 through Summer 2009

Name:

Address:

Home Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

Major: _____ **Class Standing:** _____

Current GPA (Cumulative): _____

List all colleges and universities attended:

If a transfer student from a community college to CSULB, date of transfer: _____

Anticipated date of graduation: _____

Are you a Citizen of the United States? **Yes** **No**

(If not, you must provide proof with your application that you are currently a permanent resident of the United States or its possessions.)

Name of faculty member who has agreed to be your mentor for the Beckman Scholars Program:

Title of proposed research:

Names of two faculty members who have written letters of recommendation:

If you become a finalist, do you have financial need that you wish to be considered?

Yes **No**

All of the information provided is to the best of my knowledge true and accurate. If selected as a Beckman Scholar, I will commit to doing research in my faculty mentor's lab for two summers (ten weeks of full-time work each summer) and one academic year (10 hours/week).

Signature _____ **Date** _____

Check List for Materials to be Submitted with the Application Form:

- Transcripts of all college work (may be copies of transcripts)
- Two letters of recommendation from faculty members who know your academic abilities and character. Enclosed in sealed and signed envelopes or submitted separately by faculty members
- Written narrative indicating:
 - 1) results of any previous research experience,
 - 2) why you want this research experience, and
 - 3) educational and career goals.
- If not a U.S. Citizen, include proof that you are a permanent resident of the United States or its possessions.
- Letter from Potential Faculty Mentor describing:
 - the proposed research project, how the Scholar would benefit from doing the research, how the goals of the Beckman Scholars Program will be met, and a statement of support.

The application deadline is Thursday, April 3, 2008 at 5 p.m.

Please, submit your completed application to:

**Beckman Scholars Program
c/o Dr. Editte Gharakhanian, Program Director
Department of Biological Sciences (PH1-109)
California State Univ., Long Beach
Long Beach, CA 90840**

