



**FAMILY BACKGROUND**

Please indicate below the occupation and highest level of formal education that each parent has received:

<b>Father</b>		<b>Mother:</b>
Occupation: _____		Occupation: _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Didn't finish HS	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	High School	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Some College	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	2yr College Grad	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	4yr College Grad	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Post Grad Degree	<input type="checkbox"/>
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Deceased	<input type="checkbox"/>

*How many siblings do you have?* \_\_\_\_\_ *How many are in college?* \_\_\_\_\_

List the Winter and/or Spring quarter classes you are enrolled in:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Other programs in which you have participated: ACE  ACCESS  UCLEADS   
 MEP  Engineering Summer Bridge (thru MEP)   
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**ESSAY QUESTIONS**

On a separate paper, please type out your responses to the following questions. Please limit your responses to 200 words for each question.

1. Please describe your personal background and what experience led you to where you are today in your education? Do not hesitate to express relevant extra curricular activities, and any interesting or unusual circumstances or obstacles in your personal or academic background.
  
2. Please describe what work experiences have you had that are related to UCSC, the sciences, research, or as a volunteer and what you feel you have learned from these experiences that make you a good candidate for the program.

3. What are your long-range career aspirations after you obtain your bachelors degree? What career do you see yourself taking on? If you are unclear about a specific career, please share a number of possibilities you foresee for you in the future. How do you plan to reach these goals?
4. Why would you like to be selected as a participant the MARC, IMSD and CAMP Programs? What do you hope to gain from it?

### CHECKLIST OF DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED

- Unofficial Transcripts and all Narrative Evaluations** (photocopies are OK of the most recent available online from the student portal).
- Your most recent **Financial Aid Offer Letter** (Just a copy is fine)
  - If you don't get financial aid check this box:
- Essay questions** (listed above with answers TYPED on a separate piece of paper)
- Resume or CV** (go to <http://www2.ucsc.edu/careers/student/resume.html> for more information on writing a resume)
- Two Letters of Recommendation** (preferably from faculty).
  - These letters must be sent directly to the Program Staff Director or included in your packet in a sealed and signed envelope to ensure that the applicant does not view the letter. Faculty may send the letters to: Malika Bell, MARC/IMSD/CAMP Staff Director. Mailstop: MCD Biology or emailed directly from faculty to [malika@biology.ucsc.edu](mailto:malika@biology.ucsc.edu)
  - Go to the student resources page at <http://marcmbrs.ucsc.edu> for links on how to effectively obtain a letter of recommendation.

### Certification

I certify that the information reported on this application, to the best of my knowledge, is true and correct. I authorize the MARC/IMSDCAMP staff and faculty to review my application in its entirety. If I am selected as a participant, I authorize UC Santa Cruz to publicize any relevant scholarship and biographical information and/or publish photographs. I also agree to participate in the assessment of the MARC/IMSD/CAMP program by completing surveys and participating in focus groups and/or interviews regarding my perceptions and personal experiences in the program. I understand that all information will be treated as confidential by the researcher.

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**APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE**

**DATE**

YOUR APPLICATION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED UNLESS YOU HAVE COMPLETED THIS FORM IN ITS ENTIRETY AND SUBMITTED ALL THE REQUIRED DOCUMENTS by Friday, February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2009.

How did you hear about our program (please check all that apply):

- Flier
- Informational meeting
- ACE
- Visit to your class or study section
- Advisor: Name and/or department \_\_\_\_\_
- UCSC faculty or staff member: Name and/or department \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_