

# Application Form

This application is appropriate only for applicants who are seeking a degree or certificate from Rackham in Ann Arbor. Visit our website at <https://www.rackham.umich.edu/admissions/most-requested-admissions-forms> to obtain other application forms.

## Personal Information

Full Legal Name as it appears on your passport.

First or Given Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name (Family Name/Surname) \_\_\_\_\_

Middle Name \_\_\_\_\_

Other name that appears on prior academic records or test score reports \_\_\_\_\_

Other First or Given Name \_\_\_\_\_

Other Last Name (Family Name/Surname) \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Woman  Man  Gender Nonbinary  Gender Not Listed

Birthdate (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Birthplace City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

Native Language \_\_\_\_\_

### For prospective or current University of Michigan Students:

If you have an 8-digit UMID enter it here: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever taken a class at the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor Campus?  
 Yes  No

Are you applying to the Concurrent Undergraduate/Graduate Studies (CUGS) program?  
 Yes  No

Have you ever registered for a Rackham class as a Rackham student?  
 Yes  No

Are you currently registered in a Rackham program as a Rackham non-degree/guest student?  
 Yes  No

Are you currently registered in a Rackham Program as a Rackham degree/certificate student?  
 Yes  No

Do you intend to complete this program?  Yes  No

**For current or former University of Michigan Students:** If you have a Uniqlname issued by U-M, enter it here: \_\_\_\_\_@umich.edu

### United States Social Security Number

Social Security is optional, but important for helping us match the application materials you may have on file. If you do not have a Social Security number, leave this space blank. **Non-U.S. Citizens, DO NOT** enter national ID issued by your country.

### Citizenship Status

U.S. Citizen  Permanent Resident  Non-U.S. Citizen

For Permanent Residents and Non-U.S. Citizens only:

Country of Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

Country Code \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. Permanent Resident Registration Number

A \_\_\_\_\_

### For U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents only:

Specify the citizenship of your parents at the time of your birth. Depending on your personal circumstances, your parents may be your birth parents, adoptive parents, extended family, or legal guardians. **Select one or two individuals who were most responsible for raising you.**

- Parent #1 was a citizen or a permanent resident of the U.S. at the time I was born.  Yes  No  Unknown
- Parent #2 was a citizen or a permanent resident of the U.S. at the time I was born.  Yes  No  Unknown

### Visa Information: For Non-U.S. Citizens Only

The Rackham Graduate School prepares immigration documents for the F-1 Student and J-1 Exchange Visitor.

If you are offered admission, select the U.S. visa type you plan to use or obtain.

F-1-Student  J-1-Exchange Visitor  Other

(Other includes visas such as Temporary Worker, Spouse of U.S. Citizen, Refugee as well as undocumented and DACAmented applicants. By selecting other, you are indicating that you will not need an F-1 or J-1 visa.)

Undocumented and DACAmented information is available at

<http://www.rackham.umich.edu/admissions/undocumented-dacamented>

If you are offered admission, will you have **dependent(s)** accompanying you to the University of Michigan?

Yes  No

If you are currently in the United States, provide your visa type \_\_\_\_\_

SEVIS ID Number \_\_\_\_\_

Provide the name of the institution/organization that issued the I-20 or DS-2019 \_\_\_\_\_

### For U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents only: Race/Ethnicity (Optional)

The information requested below is optional and will not be used for admissions purposes. It will be used to satisfy federal reporting requirements and may be used for other purposes allowed by law.

Indicate whether you consider yourself to be Hispanic or Latino.

- Yes, Hispanic or Latino: a person of Cuban, Mexican, Chicano, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
- No, not Hispanic or Latino.

In addition, select one or more of the following racial categories to describe yourself:

- American Indian or Alaska Native: a person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.
- Asian: a person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.
- Black or African American: a person having origins in any black racial groups of Africa.
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander: a person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.
- White: a person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.

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## U.S. Military service (if applicable)

Indicate your anticipated status at the time you enroll:

- On active duty U.S. military     Yes     No  
Veteran of U.S. armed forces     Yes     No  
U.S. Reserves or National Guard     Yes     No  
U.S. Military Dependent     Yes     No

Specify the highest level of education completed by your parents. Depending on your personal circumstances, your parents may be your birth parents, adoptive parents, extended family or legal guardians. **Select the one or two individuals who were most responsible for raising you.**

Parent #1 highest educational level completed (select only one):

- Some high school or less  
 High school diploma or equivalent  
 Associate's degree or equivalent  
 Bachelor's degree or equivalent  
 Graduate or professional degree (e.g., M.A., Ph.D., M.B.A. or J.D.)  
 Unknown

Parent #2 highest educational level completed (select only one):

- Some high school or less  
 High school diploma or equivalent  
 Associate's degree or equivalent  
 Bachelor's degree or equivalent  
 Graduate or professional degree (e.g., M.A., Ph.D., M.B.A. or J.D.)  
 Unknown

## Graduate Program Information

Intended Graduate Program

Numeric Code \_\_\_\_\_

Level:  Master's     Doctoral     Certificate

Subplan \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Term/Year of Enrollment \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate other Rackham programs to which you are applying.

Rackham Program 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Rackham Program 3 \_\_\_\_\_

## Applying to Dual Degree with a Non-Rackham Program

Are you applying to a dual degree that includes a non-Rackham program?     Yes     No

If yes, choose the non-Rackham program from the following list. Note: you are required to submit applications to Rackham and the non-Rackham program separately for consideration.

- Architecture (M. Arch.)  
 Business Administration (M.B.A.)  
 Information (M.S.I.)  
 Law (J.D.)  
 Medicine (M.D.)  
 Pharmacy (Pharm.D.)  
 Public Health (M.P.H.)  
 Social Work (M.S.W.)

## Current Address Information

Your current address is the address where you now live and to which communications will be sent over the next several months. Indicate valid dates for this address. F-1 and J-1 Visa holders residing in the U.S., must provide a street address, not a P.O. Box number.

Address, line 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Address, line 2 \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. Zip/International Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

This address will be  valid indefinitely or  until \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

## Permanent Contact Information

Check here if your permanent address is the same as your current address.

F-1 and J-1 visa holders are required to provide a non-U.S. address.

Your permanent address is the stable address of a relative or a friend which will be valid for an indefinite period of time into the future. This is the address where you may always be reached, even if your current mailing address changes.

Address, line 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Address, line 2 \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. Zip/International Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

## Michigan Residency

The information provided in this section does not affect your potential for admission, but it will determine your tuition rate and should be read carefully.

It is the applicant's responsibility to read the University's Residency Classification Guidelines at <http://ro.umich.edu/resreg.php> and to apply for admission and register under the proper residency classification.

Are you now a Michigan resident as defined by the University's Residency Classification Guidelines?  Yes  No

If yes, since when? (month/day/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

If you answered "Yes" and any of the following circumstances apply, you must file an Application for Resident Classification and be approved to qualify for in-state tuition:

- You currently live outside the state of Michigan for any purpose, including, but not limited to, education, volunteer activities, military service, travel, employment.
- You have attended or graduated from a college outside the state of Michigan.
- You have been employed or domiciled outside the state of Michigan within the last 3 years.
- You are not a U.S. citizen or Permanent Resident Alien (if you're a Permanent Resident Alien, you must have a Permanent Resident Alien card).
- Your spouse, partner or parent is in Michigan as a nonresident student, medical resident, fellow or for military assignment or other temporary employment.
- You are 24 years of age or younger and a parent lives outside the state of Michigan.
- You are 24 years of age or younger and have attended or graduated from a high school outside the state of Michigan.
- You have attended or graduated from an out-of-state high school and have been involved in education pursuits for the majority of time since high school graduation.
- You previously attended any U-M campus (Ann Arbor, Dearborn, or Flint) as a nonresident.

Other circumstances may also require you to file a residency application.

For questions or assistance, contact the Residency Classification Office at (734) 764-1400.

The deadline dates for submitting an Application for Resident Classification apply to the term for which residency is sought and are as follows: September 30 for Fall Term, January 31 for Winter Term, July 31 for Spring, Spring/Summer and Summer Terms. Applications must be received by 5 p.m. on the deadline date. Applicants who do not file by the deadline date will be responsible for paying nonresident tuition. Processing times can be lengthy. It is recommended that applications be submitted as soon as possible.

## Degree Institution Information

List the institutions where you earned or will earn a degree only. **Do not** list an institution where you took classes at a Community or Junior College, or completed non-degree study or study abroad coursework.

- List first, the institution where you earned or will earn a Bachelor's degree.
- List second, the institution where you earned or will earn a degree (ex.: 2nd Bachelor's, Master's, Professional or Doctoral degree) in chronological order by dates of attendance, beginning with institution 2.
- Do not include high school attended.
- More information on Submitting Your Transcript/Academic Record here. <http://www.rackham.umich.edu/admissions/transcripts>

### Bachelor's Degree Institution

Institution Name \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Attended (mm/yyyy to mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field \_\_\_\_\_

(If you have a double major, enter the 2nd major here)

Degree/Diploma \_\_\_\_\_

Level of Education \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Date (mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Status

Completed  In Progress

**U.S. University/College Grade Point Average (GPA) Only:** Enter the U.S. overall/cumulative GPA as it appears on your official transcript on a scale of \_\_\_\_\_

- 4 point scale  9 point scale  
 5 point scale  Pass/Fail  
 6 point scale

**Non-U.S. institution only:** International Average/Classification (if known) (Ex. 90/100, 9/10, first class honors) Do not convert average to a U.S. 4 point scale \_\_\_\_\_

### Institution 2

Institution Name \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Attended (mm/yyyy to mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field \_\_\_\_\_

(If you have a double major, enter the 2nd major here)

Degree/Diploma \_\_\_\_\_

Level of Education \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Date (mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Status

Completed  In Progress

**U.S. University/College Grade Point Average (GPA) Only:** Enter the U.S. overall/cumulative GPA as it appears on your official transcript on a scale of \_\_\_\_\_

- 4 point scale  9 point scale  
 5 point scale  Pass/Fail  
 6 point scale

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### Institution 3

Institution Name \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Attended (mm/yyyy to mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

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State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field \_\_\_\_\_

(If you have a double major, enter the 2nd major here)

Degree/Diploma \_\_\_\_\_

Level of Education \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Date (mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Status

Completed  In Progress

**U.S. University/College Grade Point Average (GPA) Only:** Enter the U.S. overall/cumulative GPA as it appears on your official transcript on a scale of \_\_\_\_\_

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 5 point scale  Pass/Fail  
 6 point scale

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**Institution 4**

Institution Name \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Attended (mm/yyyy to mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field \_\_\_\_\_

(If you have a double major, enter the 2nd major here)

Degree/Diploma \_\_\_\_\_

Level of Education \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Date (mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Status

Completed  In Progress

**U.S. University/College Grade Point Average (GPA) Only:** Enter the U.S. overall/cumulative GPA as it appears on your official transcript on a scale of \_\_\_\_\_

- 4 point scale  9 point scale  
 5 point scale  Pass/Fail  
 6 point scale

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**Institution 5**

Institution Name \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Attended (mm/yyyy to mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field \_\_\_\_\_

Major Field \_\_\_\_\_

(If you have a double major, enter the 2nd major here)

Degree/Diploma \_\_\_\_\_

Level of Education \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Date (mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Status

Completed  In Progress

**U.S. University/College Grade Point Average (GPA) Only:** Enter the U.S. overall/cumulative GPA as it appears on your official transcript on a scale of \_\_\_\_\_

- 4 point scale  9 point scale  
 5 point scale  Pass/Fail  
 6 point scale

**Non-U.S. institution only:** International Average/Classification (if known) (Ex. 90/100 9/10, first class honors) Do not convert average to a U.S. 4 point scale \_\_\_\_\_

## Additional College of University Information

**For U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents only:**

Indicate whether you received or will receive a degree from any of the following U.S. institutions: (select all that apply)

- Community or Junior College  
 Historically Black College or University  
 Predominantly Latino or Latina-serving College or University  
 Single-Gender College  
 Tribal School or College  
 None of the above

## Language Proficiency Information

Indicate your proficiency in any language(s) other than your native language. If you have more information include it on an additional piece of paper.

**Language 1**

Language \_\_\_\_\_

Native speaker?  Yes  No

Able to translate to English?  Yes  No

Proficiency in:

- |           |                               |                                 |                              |
|-----------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Listening | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Reading   | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Speaking  | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Writing   | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |

Years of study in high school \_\_\_\_\_

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Terms of study in college \_\_\_\_\_

Additional training/experience \_\_\_\_\_

**Language 2**  
Language \_\_\_\_\_

Native speaker?  Yes  No

Able to translate to English?  Yes  No

Proficiency in:

|           |                               |                                 |                              |
|-----------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Listening | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Reading   | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Speaking  | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Writing   | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |

Years of study in high school \_\_\_\_\_

Terms of study in college \_\_\_\_\_

Additional training/experience \_\_\_\_\_

**Language 3**  
Language \_\_\_\_\_

Native speaker?  Yes  No

Able to translate to English?  Yes  No

Proficiency in:

|           |                               |                                 |                              |
|-----------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Listening | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Reading   | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Speaking  | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Writing   | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |

Years of study in high school \_\_\_\_\_

Terms of study in college \_\_\_\_\_

Additional training/experience \_\_\_\_\_

**Language 4**  
Language \_\_\_\_\_

Native speaker?  Yes  No

Able to translate to English?  Yes  No

Proficiency in:

|           |                               |                                 |                              |
|-----------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Listening | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Reading   | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Speaking  | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |
| Writing   | <input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Medium | <input type="checkbox"/> Low |

Years of study in high school \_\_\_\_\_

Terms of study in college \_\_\_\_\_

Additional training/experience \_\_\_\_\_

## Awards/Scholarships Information

### Awards/ Scholarships For Which You Have Applied

List the major scholarships and fellowships for which you have **applied** during your undergraduate or previous graduate study. Include scholarships and fellowships such as NSF Graduate Fellowship, Gates Millennium Scholars (GMS), Mellon Fellowship, Graduate Engineering for Minorities Fellowship, or others.

#### Awards/Scholarships 1

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Dates or Academic Year (mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

#### Awards/Scholarships 2

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Dates or Academic Year (mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

## Activities Information

Since graduating from high school, have you pursued any volunteer activities, work experiences, or leadership of student organizations that were specifically related to reducing social, educational or economic disparities based on race, ethnicity or gender, or to improving race relations in the U.S.?

Yes  No

If yes, describe briefly.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_


### For U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents only:

If you attended a U.S. college or university, indicate whether you have participated in any of the following programs that encourage students to pursue graduate education: (select all that apply)

- Bridges to the Baccalaureate
- Committee on Institutional Cooperation: Summer Research Opportunity Program (CIC - SROP)
- Gates Millennium Scholars Program
- Graduate Engineering and Science Fellowships for Minorities (GEM)
- Institute for Recruitment of Teachers (IRT)
- Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation (LSAMP)
- Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship
- Minority Access to Research Careers (MARC)

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- Project 1000
- Public Policy and International Affairs Program (PPIA)
- Ralph Bunche Summer Institute
- Research Initiative for Scientific Enhancement (RISE)
- Ronald E. McNair Post-Baccalaureate Achievement Program
- Western/National Name Exchange (NNE)
- None of the above
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List current or most recent employment or work experience whether the positions were paid or voluntary. If you claimed Michigan Residency, you must complete this section going back at least three years to account for any time during which you were not a student. If you have more information include it on an additional piece of paper.

### Employment/Work Experience 1

Name of Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Position/Title \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Dates (mm/yyyy - mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Current Employee

### Employment/Work Experience 2

Name of Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Position/Title \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Dates (mm/yyyy - mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Current Employee

### Employment/Work Experience 3

Name of Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Position/Title \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Dates (mm/yyyy - mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Current Employee

### For U.S. Citizens and Permanent Residents only:

During your undergraduate study, did you receive a Pell Grant from the U.S. Government? Yes No

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While you were an undergraduate student, did you work to pay at least some of the cost of your undergraduate tuition, books and housing? (Do not include work you did to pay for other expenses such as meals, transportation or entertainment.)

- No
- One Year
- Two Years
- Three Years
- Four years or more

How much financial hardship did you or your family experience to pay for the total cost of your undergraduate education (tuition, housing, books)?

- 1 little/none
- 2 modest
- 3 some
- 4 considerable
- 5 a great deal

Explain briefly (optional)

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### Other Information


If you are applying to other graduate institutions at this time, indicate which one(s) here.

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I give permission for the following person to contact the graduate program on my behalf during the application process.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

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List the names of people who will be submitting letters of recommendation. Ask your recommenders to use your full name as it appears on your application.

For the question "Do you waive the right to view the recommendation?" Under the provisions of the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, if you check "yes" to waive the right, you will not be granted access to this information as an enrolled student.

## Recommender 1

First Name

Last Name

Title

Institution/Company

Address, line 1

Address, line 2

City

State/Province

Country

Postal Code

E-mail

Phone

Do you waive the right to view the recommendation?    Yes    No  
                     

## Recommender 2

First Name

Last Name

Title

Institution/Company

Address, line 1

Address, line 2

City

State/Province

Country

Postal Code

E-mail

Phone (    )

Do you waive the right to view the recommendation?    Yes    No  
                     

## Recommender 3

First Name

Last Name

Title

Institution/Company

Address, line 1

Address, line 2

City

State/Province

Country

Postal Code

E-mail

Phone (    )

Do you waive the right to view the recommendation?    Yes    No  
                     

I certify that all information in this application is true and complete, and that I am the author of my Academic Statement of Purpose and Personal Statement. I understand that the University of Michigan may verify any information I have provided. Falsification or omission of information and credentials may result in the withdrawal of my application or in the revocation of admission, financial award, or registration. I understand that all credentials I submit become the property of the University of Michigan. I have also read and signed the Admissions Conduct Code form.

Signature

Print Name

Date



# Admissions Conduct Code

Answer the following questions. Sign this form and return it to the Rackham Graduate School with the Rackham portion of your application.

Your responses to the Conduct Code questions are not read by the graduate program's admissions committee. If you are admitted and offered funding, be aware that the University will conduct a background screening.

For your own record, you can print a copy of the Admission Conduct Code Statement.

Last Name (Family) \_\_\_\_\_

First \_\_\_\_\_

Middle \_\_\_\_\_

Term Applying for \_\_\_\_\_

### Current Mailing Address

Street, Apt. No. \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Valid from (month/year) \_\_\_\_\_ to (month/year) \_\_\_\_\_

1. Have you ever been expelled, suspended, or placed on probation by any secondary school or college you have attended for reason of academic dishonesty or because of an offense that harmed or had the potential to harm others?

No  Yes

2. Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense other than a minor traffic violation, or been found to be delinquent by a juvenile court, or are there such charges currently pending against you at this time?

No  Yes

If you answer yes to either of these questions, you must submit a full explanation.

By my signature, I certify that all answers I have given on this application and the essay responses are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that falsification or omission of information or credentials may result in revocation of admission.

Signature  
(required): \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Rackham Graduate Admissions  
University of Michigan  
915 E. Washington St.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48109-1070  
Phone: (734) 764-8129  
Website: [www.rackham.umich.edu](http://www.rackham.umich.edu)

For office use only

CC: \_\_\_\_\_

Emplid# \_\_\_\_\_

Explanation: \_\_\_\_\_

If you need more space attach a separate page.



### **Academic Statement of Purpose**

The Academic Statement of Purpose should be a concise, well-written statement about your academic and research background, your career goals, and how this graduate program will help you meet your career and educational objectives.

**Personal Statement (500 word limit)**

How have your background and life experiences, including cultural, geographical, financial, educational or other opportunities or challenges, motivated your decision to pursue a graduate degree at the University of Michigan?

For example, if you grew up in a community where educational, cultural, or other opportunities were either especially plentiful or especially lacking or if you are undocumented or DACAmented, you might discuss the impact this had on your development and interests. This should be a discussion of the journey that has led to your decision to seek a graduate degree. If you will be a graduate student with Deferred Action for Childhood Arrival (DACA), it is important to mention DACA in your personal statement since this is a consideration for some financial aid.

(Undocumented and DACAmented information is available at  
<http://www.rackham.umich.edu/admissions/undocumented-dacamented>)

Do not repeat your Academic Statement of Purpose.

*Note: Who will read this statement?*

*All the parts of your application, including this statement, will be read by members of the Admissions Committee in the graduate program. The Admissions Committee always includes program faculty, but some committees also include program staff and advanced graduate students.*

**Curriculum Vitae/Resume (4 page limit)**

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