



The Mentor Program:

STUDENT APPLICATION FAQ

Q: WHAT SHOULD I INCLUDE IN MY LETTER OF INTEREST?

A: Your Letter of Interest (Cover Letter) should include:

- a. Reference to understanding of program guidelines
- b. Indication of your career goals
- c. Explanation of how the program will aid in your professional development
- d. Commitment to the program and to following up with your mentor
- e. Other information you feel will assist in matching you with an appropriate mentor

Q: WHERE CAN I FIND OUT WHAT MY RESPONSIBILITIES WOULD BE IF ACCEPTED?

A: Everything you need know can be found in the Mentor Program Student Guidelines, available online at:
<http://harrisschool.uchicago.edu/Centers/cpp/mentors.asp>

Q: BY WHEN WILL I BE NOTIFIED OF MY APPLICATION STATUS?

A: After August 19, 2011.

Q: DO I REALLY NEED TO SUBMIT MY MATERIALS MANUALLY VIA SNAIL MAIL?

A: Yes, you are expected to mail or hand deliver a hard copy of your application by the postmark deadline. If you submit your materials by email without permission, they will not be accepted. Exceptions due to extenuating circumstances may be granted on a case-by-case basis if arranged in advance with Kathi Marshall.

Q: IF I AM A SECOND YEAR APPLYING TO THE PROGRAM, WILL I BE AUTOMATICALLY ACCEPTED?

A: No. Although preference is given to second-year students, it is still a competitive program and not everyone who applies will be accepted.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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