

The University of Texas - Houston Health Science Center  
The University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center  
**Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences**

**Presidents' Research Scholarship**  
*Application Cover Sheet and Instructions*

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Department: \_\_\_\_\_ Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Research Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date entered candidacy: \_\_\_\_\_ Program Affiliation (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Education:

<b>Institution</b>	<b>Dates enrolled</b>	<b>GPA</b>	<b>Degree</b>

By my signature I attest that the information that I have provided in this application is true and accurate and unless otherwise referenced, was written solely by me. I further authorize the GSBS to add a copy of my GSBS transcript to my application.

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Instructions:

All application materials, including letters of recommendation, must be received **before 5:00 p.m., Friday, October 23, 2009**, and should include the following:

- 1) This completed cover sheet
- 2) A current *Curriculum Vita*
- 3) A description of the student's research project including a brief background, rationale for the study, and importance of the work (2 pages maximum), followed by the results obtained to date, the significance of the findings, and future research plans (3 pages maximum)
- 4) 3 Letters of recommendation: from the student's supervisory professor and from two additional GSBS faculty members familiar with the student's research. These letters should address the quality of the student's research performance, and his or her ability to design, conduct, and critically analyze results of a research program.
- 5) Reprints of any publications or abstracts published or submitted, or other supporting materials the applicant wishes to submit, such as awards and other recognitions as a GSBS student. Please included a list of these submissions.

**Submit applications and address questions to:**

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