

BRIDGING THE GAP TO ENHANCE CLINICAL RESEARCH PROGRAM

2019 Application

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APPLICANT INFORMATION		
Last name:	First name:	Middle name:
Street address:		Apartment/unit:
City:	State:	Zip:
Phone:	E-mail address (non-Duke):	
Date of birth:	Applicant Age as of June, 2019:	
Gender:	Race/ethnicity*:	
As the NIH limits participation in this program to U.S. citizens, please indicate your citizenship status below:		
___ Yes, I am a U.S. citizen.		
___ No, I am not a U.S. citizen.		

* Note: Participation in this program is not restricted by race or ethnicity; the NIH requires that we ask for this information.

EDUCATION*	
College:	
GPA:	Major/minor:
Please list relevant extracurricular activities:	

*** Please include a recent transcript with your application.**

REFERENCES*	
Full name:	Relationship:
Institution:	Phone ()
Address:	Email:
Full name:	Relationship:
Institution:	Phone ()
Address:	Email:

*** Ask each of these individuals to supply a letter of support to accompany your application; have them email the letters to Terri Taylor (terri.taylor@duke.edu).**

CURRENT AND/OR PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT, IF APPLICABLE*	
Company:	Phone ()
Address:	Supervisor :
Job title:	
Responsibilities:	
From	To Reason for leaving:
May we contact your previous supervisor for a reference?	YES NO
Company:	Phone ()
Address:	Supervisor :
Job title:	
Responsibilities:	
From	To Reason for leaving:
May we contact your previous supervisor for a reference?	YES NO

*** Include additional pages as needed.**

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE, IF APPLICABLE*

Organization	Phone ()		
Address	Supervisor		
Responsibilities			
From	To		
May we contact this organization for a reference?	YES	NO	
Organization	Phone ()		
Address	Supervisor		
Responsibilities			
From	To		
May we contact this organization for a reference?	YES	NO	

*** Include additional pages as needed.**

ESSAY

We greatly appreciate your interest in the BIGGER training program.

Please write a 300-500 word essay describing your academic career thus far, and your future academic or career plans.

- Discuss your major and why you chose that area of study, your success in your major classes, and your interactions with professors.
- Include highlights from extra-curricular activities and how those activities enhanced your University experience.
- What do you hope to gain from the BIGGER program and how might this program fit into your five-year plan?

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Note: Items 1–3 below should be emailed from the applicant to Terri Taylor (terri.taylor@duke.edu).

Item 4 should be emailed to Terri Taylor by each letter writer.

1. ___ Completed application
2. ___ Recent school transcript
3. ___ Essay (300–500 words)
4. ___ Two letters of support provided by non-relatives