



APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

to graduate study and research assistantship

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INSTRUCTIONS: Please return completed application along with all requested transcripts and exam scores to:

**Interdisciplinary Plant Group
371 Bond Life Sciences Center
University of Missouri
Columbia, MO 65211**

Phone: (573) 884-4144

Fax: (573) 884-9676

E-mail: plantgroup@missouri.edu

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Date of Application: _____

NAME (Last, First Middle Initial) _____

Social Security Number _____ **Date of Birth** _____

Current Mailing Address _____ **Permanent Mailing Address** _____

Street and Number

Street and Number

City, State

City, State

Country

Zip Code

Country

Zip Code

Work/Daytime Phone _____ **Home Telephone** _____

E-mail _____ **Fax Number** _____

UNDERGRADUATE/GRADUATE EDUCATION

Please have official transcripts sent to **Interdisciplinary Plant Group, 371 Bond Life Sciences Center, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO 65211.**

Institution <i>Name & Location</i>	Attendance		Degree	Date Awarded or Expected	GPA	Major
	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>				

EXPERIENCE

List relevant teaching, research, business, etc., experience since beginning undergraduate training. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Institution or Organization	Nature of Work	Date	
		From	To

ACADEMIC HONORS

List all academic honors, distinctions, prizes, scholarships, etc., that you have earned.

ORGANIZATIONAL AFFILIATIONS

List academic honor societies and/or learned or professional organizations for which you are a member.

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS (IF APPLICABLE)

Include complete reference of any publication arising from your research, the title of your Master's thesis (if applicable), and/or a brief description of any research experience (other than a Master's thesis) undertaken and the name(s) of the sponsoring professor.

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS (IF APPLICABLE)

Degree(s) sought: M.S. Ph.D. Date you wish to enroll: _____

General area(s) in which the applicant wishes to pursue his/her graduate degree:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Plant Biochemistry | <input type="checkbox"/> Proteomics | <input type="checkbox"/> Plant Physiology | <input type="checkbox"/> Plant Genetics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Evolution | <input type="checkbox"/> Molecular Biology | <input type="checkbox"/> Cell Biology | <input type="checkbox"/> Plant Genomics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Plant-Microbe Interactions | <input type="checkbox"/> Metabolomics | <input type="checkbox"/> Bioinformatics | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____ | | | |

List names of MU/IPG faculty with whom you have had contact or faculty whose research is of interest to you.

GREATEST ACHIEVEMENT

Please name and describe the experience, accomplishment, or achievement of which you are most proud or satisfied.

CAREER GOALS

Attach a one-page statement that describes your reason for undertaking or continuing graduate study, your reasons for wanting to study at MU, and your long-term professional plans, career goals, and research interests.

REFERENCES

Provide names, titles, addresses, telephone numbers for three persons from whom letters of reference have been requested (see also Letter of Reference form). Briefly note your professional relationship (e.g., instructor, advisor/mentor, employer) to each referee. Note: We may wish to contact one of these individuals directly at a later date. Please note at least two individuals whom you feel know you best and who would be best able to judge your academic aptitude and motivation.

Name & Title	Address & Telephone No.	Relationship	Okay to Contact	
			Yes	No

