

# Mississippi Valley State University

## The Bioinformatics STEM-U-late Institute

### May 29 - June 28, 2024

#### Personal Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Present Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address or Postal Address

City State Zip Code

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address or Postal Address

City State Zip Code

Telephone Numbers: \_\_\_\_\_  
Permanent Cell Temporary

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ SSN: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Option Information:

Gender: Male Female Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_ If not U.S., visa type: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you consider yourself a minority? Yes No If yes, which minority group? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any limiting or mental health conditions that should be considered for the purpose of accommodating living or working conditions? Yes No

Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a first generation college student? Yes No Are you from an economically disadvantaged background? Yes No

#### Education (You must submit official transcripts from all colleges you have attended including the Fall 2023 semester.)

Present College/University: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of enrollment: \_\_\_\_\_ Current classification (i.e, Soph, Jr, Sr.): \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Minor: \_\_\_\_\_ Current cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Degree & date (month/year) expected: \_\_\_\_\_

List any relevant scholarships, awards & honors: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Career Goals

Post-baccalaureate interest (MS, PhD, MD, PhD/PhD, Other): \_\_\_\_\_

Statement of career objectives (500 words max):

### Letters of Recommendation

Two letters of recommendation are required. Both letters should be from faculty members at your school or a researcher. If you have prior research experience, please list the research mentor as a reference. Each of your letters of recommendation should be submitted to The Bioinformatics Summer Institute from each individual, not the applicant.

Reference 1

Name		University	
Department		Address	
City	State	Zip	Telephone

Reference 2

Name		University/Organization	
Department		Address	
City	State	Zip	Telephone

### Research and Training Experience

Have you previously participated in a research training program?      Yes      No

If yes, list the site(s) and name(s) of program(s).

If you have not had the opportunity to participate in research, in 500 words, explain how participation in the Bioinformatics Summer Institute would benefit you.

**Parents' Information**

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Forward:**

1. Current resume
2. Official college transcript(s).
3. Letters of recommendation - an instructor, professor, teacher
4. Proof of health insurance

**Certification:**

"I certify that the information submitted in this application is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge."

Signature Field \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

This program is funded by a Congressionally Directed Grant through the United States Department of Education, Award Number P116Z090254.

**Return application and all other required application materials no later than March 15, 2024.**

**Mail materials to  
The Bioinformatics Summer Institute  
Mississippi Valley State University  
MVSU 7305  
14000 Hwy 82 West  
Itta Bena, MS 38941**

**Application and supporting documents must be postmarked by March 15, 2024.**