Post-baccalaureate Research Education Program
at the University of Massachusetts Amherst

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Note: do not wait for all materials to be ready before sending in your application; we will collect materials as they come in.

☐ Completed Application

☐ Statement of Purpose
  • Explain your general reasons for applying to PREP and your specific career interest. You should include career objectives, interest in science, research interest and experience, skills and your intended area of specialization. Please type your response on 1-2 double-spaced 8 1/2" x 11" pages. Your statement should be no longer than 2 pages.

☐ Current Curriculum Vitae / Resume
  • Include any academic or other honors you have received

☐ College Transcript(s) from all colleges and universities you have attended to prep@grad.umass.edu or mail it to the address provided below. You may submit unofficial transcripts at the time of application; however, an official transcript showing baccalaureate “degree conferred” should be provided before beginning the UMASS Amherst PREP.

☐ Copy of your GRE general test scores (if applicable)

☐ Letter of Recommendation #1: ________________________________

☐ Letter of Recommendation #2: ________________________________

Mail requested materials to:
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