

**Mississippi Functional Genomics Network
REO Program**

**2009
APPLICATION
FORMS**

Due March 31, 2009

Your REO Application should include the following:

- Signed Application
- Signed Agreement Page
- Narrative Page(s) - as attachment
In the narrative pages(s) you should briefly discuss your career goals and how this REO will help you achieve them.
Maximum of two pages allowed.
- Resume - as attachment
Maximum of two pages allowed.
- Personal Data Form (optional)

*Also, please remember that by the same deadline we must receive in a secure package a letter of recommendation from your home institution and a letter of support from your mentor stating their willingness to have you as an REO student.

REO Application

Applicant Information		Mentor Information
Name		Name
Social Security No.	Birth Date	
Academic Institution		Academic Institution
Classification (check one only)	<input type="checkbox"/> Fr/Soph. <input type="checkbox"/> Grad Junior Senior	
Department		Department
Mailing Address (Street, Bldg., Box #, Room, City, State, Zip)		Mailing Address (Street, Bldg., Box #, Room, City, State, Zip)
Telephone (Area Code, Number)		Telephone (Area Code, Number)
Email address		Email Address
If awarded, I agree to comply with all NIH and MFGN policies Applicant Signature and Date		

Personal Data Form

The Mississippi Functional Genomics Network has a continuing commitment to monitor the operation of its award process in order to detect any instances of real or apparent inequities with respect to age, sex, race, or ethnicity of the proposed research application. To ensure that the MFGN has the information it needs for this important task, complete the form below. ***Attach the Personal Data Form to the signed original application.***

PLEASE NOTE: If you decline to provide this information, it will in no way affect consideration of your application.

NAME OF APPLICANT
DATE OF BIRTH (/ /) SEX <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male <small>(month / day / year)</small>
APPLICATION APPLIED FOR: REO

RACE AND/OR ETHNIC ORIGIN (check one)

(Note: the category that most closely reflects the individual's recognition in the community should be used for purposes of reporting mixed racial and/or ethnic origins.)

- American Indian or Alaskan Native.** A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North America and who maintains a cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community recognition.
- Asian or Pacific Islander.** A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian subcontinent, or the Pacific Islands. This area includes, for example, China, India, Japan, Korea, the Philippine Islands, and Samoa.
- Black, not of Hispanic origin.** A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.
- Hispanic.** A person of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
- White, not Hispanic origin.** A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, North Africa, or the Middle East.
- Check here if you do not wish to provide some or all of the above information.

Mississippi Functional Genomics Network REO Agreement

I understand and agree that if my REO application is funded:

I will present this information as either a poster or talk at a meeting to be announced by the MFGN administration at a later date. The content of this presentation must have prior approval from my REO mentor and MFGN staff. I will submit a Power Point presentation detailing my summer research project to the MFGN office (reo@mfgn.usm.edu) at the conclusion of my summer research period. (Instructions will be sent to each REO awardee during the summer project period.)

Print name Date

Signature Date

Your award includes monies to assist with expenses incurred to attend and present at the meeting mentioned above.

Please remember that this form may not be submitted electronically (email, etc.) as it requires a signature.

Complete Application Checklist:

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Mailing Instructions:

If using US Postal Service:

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