

APPLICANT: Please provide name (Last, First, Middle)

## Statement of Purpose / Academic Awards, Work Experience, Publications/Organizations

Please mail to: UCLA  
Department/School of \_\_\_\_\_  
Box \_\_\_\_\_ (APPLICANT: Please fill in name and address of program to which you are applying)  
Los Angeles, CA 90095- \_\_\_\_\_ (Zip + 4 must be completed)

Name, as given on the application \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Term for which Application is Filed at UCLA: Fall \_\_\_\_\_ Winter \_\_\_\_\_ Spring \_\_\_\_\_  
year year year

Proposed Major at UCLA \_\_\_\_\_ Immediate Degree Objective \_\_\_\_\_

**Awards/Distinctions:** List academic awards, prizes, honors, fellowships or other distinctions you have received.

**Pertinent Work Experience:** List employment occupation or activities pertinent to your graduate goals during or since your collegiate studies.

**Publications/Organizations:** If pertinent to your proposed field of study, please list your publications and any scholarly or professional organizations in which you hold membership.

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**Statement of Purpose:** Please state your purpose in applying for graduate study, your particular area of specialization within the major, your plans for future occupation or profession, and any additional information that may aid the selection committee in evaluating your preparation and your aptitude for graduate study at UCLA. Attach an additional sheet if necessary, and be sure to sign and date the statement. If you have submitted a statement of purpose as part of a separate application to a professional school you need not write an additional statement here.

The University of California is committed to excellence and equity in every facet of its mission. Teaching, research, professional and public service contributions that promote diversity and equal opportunity are encouraged and given recognition in the evaluation of the applicant's qualifications. These contributions to diversity and equal opportunity can take a variety of forms including efforts to advance equitable access to education, public service that addresses the needs of California's diverse population, or research in a scholar's area of expertise that explores inequalities.

Please describe any aspects of your personal background, accomplishments, or achievements that will allow the department to evaluate your contributions to the University's diversity mission. For example, please discuss any academic research interests focusing on cultural, societal, or educational problems as they affect underserved segments of society; educational experiences that provide an understanding how to address the academic needs of underrepresented students, or evidence of an intention to use the doctoral degree toward serving disadvantaged individuals or populations. In addition, please describe any aspects of your personal background that might add to the diversity of the graduate group, such as experience living in bicultural communities, experience with barriers in access to higher education, multicultural competency, economic challenges, fluency in other languages, physical or mental disability, or other life experiences that will enable you to address the needs of our diverse society in your scholarly career.

This statement will be used in conjunction with your application for graduate admission and financial support

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_