



HVTN Research and Mentorship Program (RAMP)

Application Form

Due January 13, 2016

Application Checklist

- Application Form
- Resume or CV
- Transcript(s) (unofficial PDF preferred)
1st year students: undergraduate and medical school transcript
2nd, 3rd and 4th year students: medical school transcript
- Letter of Recommendation (professor or dean)
- Letter of Support from Mentor(s) (e-mail from HVTN Investigator[s])
- Detailed Budget Form

For Returning RAMP Scholar Applicants:

- Maximum one page essay
- Letter from previous RAMP mentor(s)

1. APPLICANT

1a. NAME (Last, First MI, Degrees)	1b. DATE OF BIRTH
1c. MAILING ADDRESS (Street, city, state, zip code)	1d. TELEPHONE
1e. E-MAIL ADDRESS	1f. GENDER IDENTITY <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Other
1g. Do you identify yourself as: <input type="checkbox"/> African-American <input type="checkbox"/> Latino/a <input type="checkbox"/> Other, please specify	1h. Are you a U.S. citizen or permanent resident? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

2. PROPOSED PROJECT

2a. RAMP PROGRAM TRACK <input type="checkbox"/> Short Term Project (8-16 weeks at site) <input type="checkbox"/> Long-Term Project (9-12 months)	2b. LOCATION(S) OF PROJECT
2c. DATES PROPOSED AT HVTN SITE (mm/dd/yyyy) FROM: TO:	2d. COST OF PROPOSED RESEARCH <i>Up to \$20,000 for short-term and \$60,000 for long-term</i> Budget (\$)
2e. PROJECT TITLE:	

3. MEDICAL SCHOOL INFORMATION

3a. MEDICAL SCHOOL	3b. CURRENT YEAR OF MEDICAL TRAINING
3c. NAME OF MEDICAL SCHOOL DEAN OF STUDENTS	3d. DEAN OF STUDENTS EMAIL ADDRESS
3e. Are you in good academic standing at your medical school? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

4-5. MENTOR(S)

MENTOR 1 (HVTN Investigator in U.S.)	MENTOR 2 (U.S. or International Investigator, does not have to be HVTN-affiliated)
4a. NAME (Last, First, Middle)	5a. NAME (Last, First, Middle)
4b. POSITION TITLE	5b. POSITION TITLE
4c. INSTITUTION	5c. INSTITUTION
4d. TELEPHONE	5d. TELEPHONE
4e. E-MAIL ADDRESS	5e. E-MAIL ADDRESS

<p>APPLICANT CERTIFICATION: I certify that the statements herein are true, complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.</p>	<p>DIGITAL SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: DATE:</p>
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6. Please summarize any prior research experience.

[Click and type text]

7. Discuss future career goals and how your proposed project might inform those goals. Do you have any experiences that made you interested in HIV? Describe how this interest relates to your long-term goals.

[Click and type text]

8. RESEARCH PLAN. *Briefly, identify the purpose of your proposed project, the research questions (i.e., specific aims/hypotheses tested), methods to be used (including statistical analyses, sample size, etc.), and how it will advance HIV vaccine research. Limit to 1000 words for short-term projects and 2000 words for long-term projects. Add statement of language proficiency if you will be using a language other than English at your project site.*

[Click and type text]

9. TIMELINE. *What months do you propose working at the HVTN site? How can this project fit into your medical school schedule? Do you anticipate your project will require human subjects review? If so, please incorporate that into your timeline.*

[Click and type text]

10. MENTORING PLAN. *Describe a mentoring plan which details how the mentor(s) and the mentoring process will assist in implementing and meeting the objectives of both research project-specific and professional development areas. Some areas that might be included are: frequency and nature of interactions, feedback from mentor, targeted milestones during the project course, modes for you to learn qualitative/quantitative analysis methods for their project, and methods to manage typical barriers to effective mentoring.*

[Click and type text]

11. Where did you first hear about the RAMP Program (e.g., approached by CRS investigator, listserv, colleague, academic advisor, social media, etc.)?

[Click and type text]

Please submit this application and all supportive materials via email to HVTNAwards@hvtn.org by **5 p.m. PST on January 13, 2016**. If you would like any assistance in completing the application materials, please e-mail the RAMP Project Coordinator Jenna Udren at judren@fredhutch.org or call at (206) 667-6712.