

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP/SCHOLARSHIP
Faculty Endorsement

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**APPLICANT**

**Applicant name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Faculty name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Program for which you are requesting a recommendation:

\_\_\_\_ **Mellam Nanotechnology Research Fellowship** (requires **ONE** letter of recommendation)

\_\_\_\_ **Beckman Scholarship** (**TWO** letters of recommendation). The faculty member named above will be:

\_\_\_\_ Primary research mentor

\_\_\_\_ Second recommender

I waive \_\_\_\_\_, do not waive \_\_\_\_\_ any right I may have to read or obtain copies of the endorsement I am receiving from \_\_\_\_\_.

**Applicant signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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FACULTY (*please complete the section indicated by the student*)

____ **Primary faculty mentor:**

Please sign this form and attach a letter of recommendation. The letter should address:

- a) the student's academic background and preparation
- b) the way in which the research relates to the student's academic and career goals
- c) the feasibility and quality of the proposed research project
- d) the student's ability to complete the work successfully
- e) the role you will play as faculty mentor to the student.

In signing this endorsement, you are indicating your willingness to act as an advisor to the student for the duration of his/her Beckman Scholarship.

Faculty mentor signature: _____ **Date:** _____

____ **Second recommender (Beckman Scholarship ONLY):**

Please sign this form and attach a letter of recommendation. The letter should address:

- a) the student's academic background and preparation
- b) the relationship between the proposed research and the student's academic and career goals
- c) the ways in which the student would benefit from a Beckman Scholarship

In signing this endorsement, you are indicating your willingness to act as an advisor to the student for the duration of his/her Beckman Scholarship.

Faculty signature: _____ **Date:** _____