Distinction in Research and Creative Works
Bioengineering Department

Student Application:

Name: ___________________________ Phone: ___________________________
Rice Email: ___________________________ Expected Graduation Date: ____________

Please check all boxes that apply:

☐ I am first (or equal contribution second) author on a research manuscript, either published or accepted by a peer-reviewed journal. NOTE: Conference proceedings and review papers, even if peer reviewed, are not considered journal papers for this award.
   Journal Citation: ___________________________

☐ I have won an undergraduate research award at a national, professional society conference (e.g., BMES, AIChE, ASME, Society for Biomaterials, TERMIS). NOTE: Regional conference (e.g., Southwest Biomedical Engineering Conference, Biomaterials Day) or campus-based conference (e.g., RURS, ATE) are not considered national society conferences for this award.
   Name of Award: ___________________________

☐ I have conducted research or independent design for 3 or more sessions. (A session is defined as an academic year or a summer.) The student may work in different labs and/or have different advisors through these sessions. Examples of minimum times include 3 academic years; 2 academic years and 1 summer; 1 academic year and 2 summers; and 3 summers.
   Mark/circle sessions and locations worked
   Date       Length       Location (e.g., lab PI, university)
   AY 2011-2012 Fall / Spring ___________________________
   Summer 2012 __________________________________________
   AY 2012-2013 Fall / Spring ___________________________
   Summer 2013 __________________________________________
   AY 2013-2014 Fall / Spring ___________________________
   Summer 2014 __________________________________________
   AY 2014-2015 Fall / Spring ___________________________

☐ I have contributed substantially to research or design efforts in one or more labs or locations by co-authoring a publication. The publication may be published, in press, in review, or in preparation. Publications may include a peer-reviewed journal paper, review paper, or other types.
   Citation: ___________________________

☐ I have contributed substantially to research or design efforts in one or more labs or locations by co-authoring a paper (conference proceedings, abstract) or poster that has been presented at a technical meeting. Papers and posters at regional and national conferences will be considered. NOTE: Submissions to Rice-only, on-campus events such as RURS are not considered eligible.
   Citation: ___________________________
Description of Research, Design, or Creative Works: (500 maximum word count):

Student Signature:___________________________________________

Date: