

**NSF REU Linguistics Field School
2018 Application**

Please answer the following questions and submit the responses to linguistics@swarthmore.edu by **May 1st, 2018**. Applications must be no more than two-pages long, written in 12 point font, and in PDF file format.

In addition to the application, you should ensure that a letter of recommendation is submitted on your behalf by **May 1st, 2018**. Letters should be emailed directly by the letter writer to linguistics@swarthmore.edu with your name as the subject line. The selection process is highly competitive and detailed letters that address the student's potential for success in this type of program will be most helpful in determining the final cohort.

For more information about the program itself, see the webpage:

<http://www.swarthmore.edu/linguistics/national-science-foundation-reu-site#overlay-context=panels-pane/38441>

1. Name
2. Date of Birth
3. Home address
4. Telephone Number
5. Email
6. Gender
7. Current College Affiliation
8. Expected Date of Completion of B.A.
9. Applying to: Oaxaca Site, Navajo Site, or Both
10. a. Are you a US Citizen or Permanent Resident?
b. *For those interested in the Oaxaca site:* Do you have a passport, valid through at least September 2016?
11. List any allergies, dietary preferences or restrictions.
12. What languages can you speak, read, and/or write?
13. What experience do you have, including coursework, related to linguistics or anthropology. (Note, experience in linguistics is not required for eligibility.)
14. a. What experience do you have, including coursework, related to computer science or programming. (Note, experience in programming is not required for eligibility.)
b. *For those interested in the Oaxaca Site:* What experience, if any, do you have programming apps for the iPhone or Android devices?
c. *For those interested in the Navajo Site:* What experience with programming do you have?
15. Why are you interested in this program?
16. Describe your personality traits, experiences, and/or skills that would allow you to successfully live and work in a different culture.