

**Algorithmic Combinatorics on Words**  
**REU Application**  
**June 2 – July 26, 2014**

Please return this application form along with required supporting materials by **February 17, 2014**.

**Supporting Materials**

1. A brief catalog description (including textbook used) of all courses taken in mathematics and computer science. Include current courses as well as courses planned for the Fall of 2014.
2. A personal statement of no more than 300 words outlining your interest in the REU program at the University of North Carolina Greensboro.
3. A second personal statement of no more than 300 words outlining your intended career objectives and education aspirations.
4. Unofficial copy of your academic transcript.
5. Two letters of recommendation sent by the recommender in a sealed and signed envelope or emailed or faxed.

Eligible applicants to the eight-week Algorithmic Combinatorics on Words REU are undergraduate students at the sophomore, junior, and senior levels. Senior applicants should not be Spring 2014 graduates.

If any additional space is needed for any section of the application form, please attach additional sheets as required.

Student participants will be selected based on merit after a nationwide recruitment from a broad range of colleges and universities. Underrepresented groups including minorities, women, and students with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

For more information, see <http://www.uncg.edu/cmp/reu>.

Return application materials to Dr. Francine Blanchet-Sadri via mail, e-mail, or fax:

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**Contact Information**

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|--|--------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| <b>Last Name</b>   |              | <b>First Name</b>                 | <b>MI</b>       |
| <b>Mailing Address</b>                                       |              |                                   |                 |
| <b>City</b>  | <b>State</b> |                                   | <b>Zip Code</b> |
| <b>Permanent Address (if different than mailing address)</b> |              |                                   |                 |
| <b>City</b>  | <b>State</b> |                                   | <b>Zip Code</b> |
| <b>Social Security Number</b>                                |              | <b>Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY)</b> |                 |
| <b>E-mail Address</b>  |              | <b>Telephone Number</b>           |                 |

**Academic Training**

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|---|--------------|--|
| <b>Current Institution</b>  |              | <b>Dates of Enrollment</b>                                     |
| <b>Overall Grade Point Average</b>                                      |              | <b>Mathematics and/or Computer Science Grade Point Average</b> |
| <b>Major</b>  | <b>Minor</b> |  |
| <b>Year of Schooling Completed (Sophomore, Junior)</b>                  |              |  |
| <b>Honors (Scholarships, Honorary Societies, Prizes, etc.)</b>          |              |  |
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| <b>Special Areas of Interest in Mathematics and/or Computer Science</b> |              |  |
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| <b>Special Skills (Programming Language Proficiencies, etc.)</b>        |              |  |
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**Optional Information**

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| <b>Gender</b>                   |
| <b>Disability Status</b>        |
| <b>Special Needs</b>            |
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| <b>Ethnicity</b>                |
| <b>If other, please specify</b> |

**References**

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| <b>1. Name</b>        |                         |
| <b>Address</b>        |                         |
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| <b>E-mail Address</b> | <b>Telephone Number</b> |
| <b>2. Name</b>        |                         |
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