



RECOMMENDATION FORM
Howard Hughes Medical Institute Scholars Program
(One for each Faculty Member)

FORM FOR LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION. PLEASE COMPLETE AND GIVE TO FACULTY.

Student: Please type your name on the line below and fill in the list of courses you have taken from your recommending faculty.

Student Name: _____

Courses taken under the recommending faculty member:

Faculty: The above named student is applying for the **HHMI Scholars Program**. Your recommendation will be one of the criteria used in the selection process. If you have any questions please call Dr. McGinnis (601-977-6130). We greatly appreciate your candid evaluation and your help in maintaining the high quality of our Scholars.

Please attach a letter of recommendation and focus on the following:

- a. Length of time you have known student and in what capacity
- b. Intellectual potential
- c. Dependability
- d. Analytical reasoning ability
- e. Writing skills and verbal skills
- f. Ability to handle stress
- g. Other attributes that you have seen that makes the student an excellent candidate as a STEM major

Send to Dr. Jinghe Mao; jmao@tougaloo.edu (if email, please include name of student in Subject Heading.

OR

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