

# Sam Houston State University Online Mentoring & Guidance

## Student Application

(Please type or print neatly)

Full Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SAM ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred name/nickname: \_\_\_\_\_ Circle One: Freshman Transfer

Birth date (optional) \_\_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently an undergraduate or graduate student? Undergraduate Graduate

Are you currently taking on-line classes full-time (12 or more undergraduate) (6 or more graduate)? YES NO

SHSU e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle one: Gender: Male Female

Please circle one: Race/ethnicity: Asian Black Hispanic White Native American Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**The above information is requested for statistical/ demographic analysis to assist us in making matches when new student expresses a preference for a mentor.**

**Please take a few minutes to answer the questions listed below. The answers provided will be used to match mentors and mentees effectively.**

1. What are you looking for in an online mentor?

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2. Are you currently taking any on campus courses? YES NO

If yes, describe \_\_\_\_\_

3. Are you a first generation college student? YES NO  
(I.e. neither your parents nor grandparents attended college)

4. Are you an international student? YES NO  
If yes, country or origin? \_\_\_\_\_

5. Indicate your mentor preferences: (circle or write on the line)

A. Academic area or major: \_\_\_\_\_ No Preference/Not Important  
B. Race/ethnicity: \_\_\_\_\_ No Preference/Not Important  
C. Gender: Male Female No Preference/Not Important

6. What are your expectations of the mentor program?

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7. \_\_\_\_\_  
What careers are you considering (list as many as you would like)?  
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8. \_\_\_\_\_  
Feel free to share any other information that may help us make an appropriate mentor match.  
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\*The information provided on this form is strictly confidential. The only people who have access to this information are your mentor and the mentoring staff office. All student files are secured at all times. Although we may not be able to accommodate all of your preferences, we strive to accommodate as many as possible.

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### **Statement of Intent**

By signing this form, I agree to the following:

- 1) To actively participate in the events and programs sponsored by the Online Mentoring & Guidance Program.
- 2) To respond to email requests from my mentor or the mentor program coordinator.
- 3) To be open and honest.
- 4) To contact the Dean of Students' Office or my mentor if I begin having problems related to my online experience at SHSU (i.e. academic problems, etc.)
- 5) To notify the Dean of Students' Office if I am not satisfied with my mentoring relationship.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Return this from to:  
Online Mentoring & Guidance Program  
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Lowman Student Center, Suite 215  
Box 2508 SHSU  
Huntsville, TX 77340

If you have additional questions or comments, please call 936-294-1785  
or send your fax to 936-294-3093.