The Pennsylvania State University

Department of Aerospace Engineering

Required Graduate Documentation

NAME: _____

<u>Specific field(s) of interest</u> (check no more than 3; INDICATE ORDER OF PREFERENCE, i.e. 1,2,3)

____ aeroelasticity	___	high performance computing
____ aeroacoustics	___	space propulsion
____ aerospace structures	___	structural dynamics
____ air-breathing propulsion	___	turbomachinery
____ airplane and helicopter aerodynamics	___	turbulence
____ astrodynamics	___	vehicle dynamics and controls
____ computational fluid dynamics	___	other (please specify)
____ experimental fluid dynamics		
____ gas dynamics, reacting flows		_____

Experience in field(s) of interest
 (courses taken, laboratory/work/design/research experience):

Statement of Plans

(Describe the kind of research problem you would like to study and your career goals. Give all information that may help us in your initial assignment to a graduate faculty member in this Department).

Undergraduate Scholastic Record

Compute the GPAs requested by counting 1 semester credit of A= 4 pts; B= 3pts; C= 2pts; D= 1pt; F= 0pts. Note that 1 quarter credit equals _ of a semester credit. Penn State "term credits" (with 75 min. periods) are same as semester credits.

Junior-Senior grade point average: _____ based on: ___ 4 semesters or 6 terms or quarters

_____ based on: ___ 3 semesters or _____ terms or quarters

Credits completed in undergraduate major: _____; GPA in undergraduate major: _____

Do you consider your undergraduate grades an adequate index of your ability? _____Yes _____ No.
If "no", please explain on NOTES sheet.

Academic honors received: _____

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Extracurricular activities. _____

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Graduate Work to Date? _____ Yes _____ No.

Total grad. credits. (include transfer) _____.   Credits. at PSU _____

Credits completed in grad major: _____;   GPA in major: _____;
(count A or H, 4 pts; B, P or R, 3 pts)

Occupational Experience:

(List chronologically, incl. teaching, industry, armed forces, grad assts.)

Inclusive Dates	Employed By	Title: Nature of Work (teaching what?)

Foreign languages studied: _____

Which read fluently? _____

Author or co-author of any research articles? _____ yes _____ no.
If "yes" list on <u>NOTES</u> sheet. <u>DO NOT SEND MATERIALS.</u>

<u>Recommendation Letters</u>

(List names of <u>at least two persons whom you will ask</u> to complete the "Recommendation Form" regarding your academic ability and qualifications for graduate study. It is your <u>responsibility to request the recommendations</u>).

Name	Position	Address

DATE:_____SIGNATURE:_____

Materials Required for a Completed Application:

_____ Application   _____ Application Fee (paid to GES)
_____ Transcripts (two originals)   _____ GRE Scores (originals)
_____ Required Graduate Documentation   _____ Reference Letters
_____ TOEFL scores (Minimum of 220 Computer or 560 Paper & Pencil) (International students only if you have not received a degree form a US Institution) (if you graduated from an institution within the US please provide a copy of your old score) (Institution Code - 2660; Department Code - 63)
_____ Application For Visa Document (this must be sent via regular mail to me with original signatures) (Both pages must be completed even if departmental funding is required)
_____ Financial Information to support the Application for Visa Document "Financial Certification" (bank statement or other source of support)
_____ Copy of Green Card, front and back
_____ Copy of US Visa / Passport
_____ Copy of Current I-20 / IAP-66

NOTES

Return all requested materials to Graduate Program Staff Assistant, Department of Aerospace Engineering, The Pennsylvania State University, 229 Hammond Building, University Park, PA 16802. Questions and/or concerns can be directed to: gradaero@engr.psu.edu.   Thank you.