

CCWINTER

CBST Community College Winter Research Program

PERSONAL STATEMENT

The personal statement helps us to review your interests and to determine your motivation for applying for the internship. It should be clear and easy to read. We should be able to view a synopsis of your background (highlight relevant career, academic and civic accomplishments) and a summary of where you wish to be in the future.

Please address the following points in the order of your preference. Please limit the personal statement to one to two pages.

1. Describe your academic and career goals.
2. What is your intended major and why have you chosen this field?
3. How do you hope this Winter Internship will help you to attain your career goals?
4. Please describe any academic or work experiences that have sparked your interest in research.
5. Please describe any particular hardship that may help to demonstrate your determination to continue your education.
6. If your academic performance and participation do not accurately reflect your potential, please describe any circumstances or conditions that may have prevented you from giving your best performance.