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Department of
Environmental Sciences

BS/MS 4+1 Program
Emory College Department of Environmental Sciences and
Laney Graduate School

PROGRAM APPLICATION: This application is **only** for students to apply to the BS/MS 4+1 program in Environmental Sciences (BS)/Environmental Sciences (MS)

APPLICATION DEADLINE: February 28, 2017

Applicants **must** be current sophomores in environmental sciences (ENVS) in Emory College or Oxford.

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name:

Emory e-mail:

Personal e-mail:

Student ID:

Phone Number:

Expected Emory College Graduation Date (month/year):

Credit Hours Completed:

Major:

2nd Major/Minor:

Overall GPA:

REQUIRED APPLICATION MATERIALS:

_____ This application document, completed, signed & dated

_____ One page statement of purpose (this should include information about research interests and the ENVS faculty member that would be an appropriate advisor)

_____ Current résumé

_____ Transcripts from colleges/universities attended outside of Emory (if applicable)

_____ Letter of recommendation from ENVS faculty member:

_____ Letter of recommendation from (name/organization):

SUBMIT ALL APPLICATION MATERIALS ELECTRONICALLY OR AS HARD COPY TO:

Leah Thomas
Graduate Programs Coordinator
Department of Environmental Sciences
E527 Mathematics & Science Center
400 Dowman Drive
Emory University
Atlanta, GA 30322

Email: leah.thomas@emory.edu

By signing below, I agree to allow the program coordinators to view my Emory transcript for review for this program. I agree that the information provided on this application form and all documents supporting my application are complete and accurate. I understand that providing false or misleading information is cause of reversal of admission decision or dismissal from Emory University. If accepted into the program and enrolled as a student, I agree to abide by the rules and regulations of Emory University, Emory College, and the Laney Graduate School as they are at the time of my admission or as they change during my continuance as a student.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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BS/MS 4+1 Program
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This application is for students to apply to the B.S./M.S. 4+1 program in Environmental Sciences. The program is for students who wish to pursue a Bachelor of Science degree with four years of study in Emory College, and a Master of Science degree with a subsequent year of study in the Laney Graduate School. Applications should be submitted in the spring semester of a student's sophomore year. To enter the program during the fall semester 2017, a complete application must be received by February 28, 2017.

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Program Requirements:

- A cumulative GPA of at least 3.25 at time of admission to the program, and to be maintained through completion of the undergraduate degree.
- Must be a sophomore at time of application
- A strong background in sciences is preferred. Preferred candidates will have some research experience.
- Applicants are expected to have completed the following prior to application:
 - a) Introductory Course - ENVS 130:Environmental Sciences and ENVS 131: Field Studies or OX_ENVS131 (Oxford) or AP transfer credit & ENVS 131
 - b) At least **two** courses within the ENVS Intermediate Breadth Requirements (Ecology & Conservation, Earth Science or Social Science & Policy). The courses must be in two separate breadth areas.
 - c) Three science/math courses in Biology, Chemistry, Physics and Math (BIOL 141/142, CHEM 141/ 142 or MATH 111/112 or PHYS 151/152 or Oxford equivalents.

Application Details:

Statement of purpose: In one page, please outline your personal objectives and goals for entering in this program. Describe your academic background and strengths and personal experiences that influence your interest in the ENVS BS/MS 4+1 program. You should include any research experience, relevant work or internship that you feel is related to your application.

Two Letters of Recommendation: Two letters of recommendation are required and can be sent in either a) a sealed envelope or b) via email from the recommender directly to the Graduate Program Coordinator. One letter must be from a current ENVS or Oxford faculty member. The most useful recommendations will come from Emory faculty who know you well and, if relevant, have served as your advisor for research experiences.

Transcript: Provide a copy of your unofficial Emory College transcript. The transcript should indicate any AP credit, transfer credit, or study abroad credits.

Résumé: Please provide a copy of your current résumé.