FITCHBURG STATE UNIVERSITY

Psychological Science
APPLICATION for INTERNSHIP

Per the Fitchburg State University Internship Policy, students must have an overall and major GPA of 2.5 or higher in order to be eligible for internship. Per Department policy, the student must also have made up any grades of "0" in Psychological Science courses.

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name _____ Student ID # _____

E-Mail Address _____ Credits Earned _____ Phone # _____

INTERNSHIP INFOMATION

Internship Type Applying for: ◯ 15 hours/ week—6 CR. ◯ 22.5 hours/ week—9 CR. ◯ 30 hours/ week—12 CR.

If you have a specific type of placement, agency, setting or population in mind please describe:

CANDIDATE STATEMENT

In 2-4 pages, please describe why you wish to pursue an internship (you may attach your statement to this application). In your statement, please address the following:

1. What are your longer-term career goals, and how will completing an internship help you achieve these?
2. What kinds of experiences, activities, and duties do you hope to participate in as part of the internship?
3. What have you done to prepare for an internship? Specifically:
   - How have you selected courses (both in and out of Psychological Science) to prepare you for the type of internship you're seeking?
   - How have you selected other experiences (for example, volunteer work, practica, independent studies) to prepare you for an internship?
4. Please discuss your overall professionalism. Specifically, describe your strengths and weaknesses in regard to your personal work habits, working with others, and openness to feedback
5. Do you have any concerns about your ability to successfully perform any of the tasks that may be required as part of your internship duties?
6. What other responsibilities will you have outside of your internship next semester (for example, other classes, part-time jobs, volunteer work, clubs and/or sports)?

Please also include the following with your Application: ☐ Transcript (unofficial)

☐ Resume

ADVISOR RECOMENDATIONS

Student's Psychological Science GPA: _____ Student's Overall GPA: _____

Additional Advisor Comments:

I have verified that the student is academically eligible to complete internship:

Advisor Name: _____ Advisor Signature: _____