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Name First name Middle name Last name
 Nickname (prefer to be called)
 Gender Female Male
 Social Security # Stanford ID#
 Permanent Mailing Address
Apt. / PO Box / Street City State Zip code Country (if not USA)
 Permanent Phone () Current Phone ()
 E-mail Address(es)
 Current Mailing Address
Campus / Apt. / PO Box / Street
 City State Zip code Country (if not USA)
 Dates living at this address to

Academic Information

Current College/University
 Other Colleges/Universities attended
 Estimated year of graduation
 Major: Oceans Track Major: Yes No
 Advisor:

Personal Information

Date of Birth Country US citizen Other
 Alien Status Student Visa Visa type:
 Do you wish to be identified as a member of a particular ethnic or minority group?
 No Yes (please specify)

Relevant Courses Taken: **Biological Sciences** **Earth Sciences** **Chemistry** **Physics** **Other**
(You can apply to take the course from any field of study)

Application Essays

Respond in 300 words or more per essay to two of the three questions below. Type, **proofread**, and affix your name to the top of each page before submitting your work.

1. Describe a challenging educational experience in which you mastered skills or concepts that you thought were beyond your ability. How did you reach mastery? What techniques can you use for future challenges?
2. Tell us about a “community” in which you participated. In what ways were you able to create and/or maintain and/or improve the community? What were your obstacles and how did you address them?
3. Why do you want to participate in **STANFORD @ SEA**? What do you expect to contribute and gain?

Reference

List the references whom you have asked to complete a form on your behalf. One reference should be from a professor who has taught you in a college course within the past year.

1. Name	Phone ()
Address	E-mail
2. Name	Phone ()
Address	E-mail

Family Information

(Please check the parent or guardian to whom official correspondence should be sent.)

Father's name (or guardian)				Mother's name (or guardian)			
Street	PO Box			Street	PO Box		
City	State	Zip		City	State	Zip	
Employer	Job Title			Employer	Job Title		
Business Address				Business Address			
Street/PO Box	City	State	Zip	Street/PO Box	City	State	Zip
Home Phone ()	Business Phone ()			Home Phone ()	Business Phone ()		
E-mail(s)				E-mail(s)			

List the names (and relationship to you) of any family members who have participated in any of SEA's programs

How did you first learn of <i>Stanford@SEA</i> ?	Who referred you?	Their affiliation with SEA?
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Sign and date this application, indicating you have read about and understand the SEA Semester/SEA Summer Session programs, and verifying that all the information contained herein is factually correct and honestly presented by you.

Signature	Date
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To complete your application, submit by January 31, 2011:	Application & essays	College Transcript	References (2)
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To the applicant: Give a form to each person you have listed on your application. One reference must be an academic reference (Professor/ Teaching Assistant) who has taught you within the last year.

Under the provisions of the Family Educational Rights of Privacy Act of 1974, you have the right to review your educational records. The Act further provides that you may waive your right to see references for admission. Indicate below by marking the appropriate box and signing your name.

I waive any right of access that I may have to this reference form.
I want the right of access to this reference form.

I have applied to:
STANFORD @ SEA (10 weeks/16 units)

Applicant's Name (Print)

Applicant's Signature

Date

To the reference: The person named here has applied to a Stanford@SEA program. This is a rigorous academic program structured to develop a comprehensive understanding of the sea; it is designed to be a regular part of the general undergraduate education of Stanford University.

The first half of the program is an intensive study component conducted on our Hopkins Marine Station Campus in Pacific Grove, CA. During this period instruction will include oceanography, marine conservation and policy, maritime history, literature, and nautical science. The second half combines academic instruction with practical experience at sea on board one of Sea Education Association's research sailing vessels.

The applicant need not have had experience as a scientist or a sailor, but must be academically prepared to do a rigorous quarter of academic work, mature and stable enough to live and work productively in a rigorous theoretical and practical learning situation. Physically, the student will experience occasional discomfort and fatigue; socially s/he must be able to get along with others from varying backgrounds; emotionally s/he must be willing to accept the discipline necessary for the effective operation of a 134' sailing vessel with a group of 35 persons on the open ocean for 35 days. Your thoughtful responses to the questions below will be most helpful.

How long have you known the applicant?

In what capacity?

1. Describe the applicant as a student: effort vs. ability. Are grades an accurate summary of performance?

2. What are the applicant's strengths, weaknesses, enthusiasms, and dislikes?

3. Has the applicant demonstrated maturity and tolerance in relationships with others, including the ability to lead and to follow?

4. Is the applicant the kind of person you would like to live/study/work with under the conditions described? Would you foresee any problems? If so, what?

5. Is there any other information we ought to have?

Name

College/University

Signature

Address

Title/Position

Phone () E-mail address

Department

Would you like information on SEA's programs?

Please return completed form and send by January 31, 2011 to:

Dr. Barbara A. Block, Stanford @ SEA, Hopkins Marine Station, Stanford University, Pacific Grove, CA 93950, FAX (831) 375-0793, bblock@stanford.edu



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