RECOMMENDATION FORM: HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT INTERNSHIP PROGRAM
Keck Graduate Institute (a member of the Claremont Colleges)
Application Deadline: May 21, 2010       Program Dates: June 21 – August 13, 2010 (flexible)

Name of Applicant:
First Name: ___________________________ Last name: ___________________________

Recommender Name and Contact Information:
Salutation: _______ First Name: ___________________________ Last name: ___________________________
Name of High School: ___________________________ School District: ___________________________
Your e-mail address: ___________________________ Phone #: ___________________________

To the Recommender:
The student is applying for participation in a high school summer internship program at Keck Graduate Institute in Claremont, CA (www.kgi.edu). We offer a limited number of unpaid internship opportunities to exceptionally motivated and academically strong high school students, to gain hands on research experience, and learn about the pursuit of a science or engineering related college education and professional career. This internship program runs in parallel with our Research Experiences for Undergraduates (REU) program. High school students work under the supervision of a KGI faculty mentor, initially shadow undergraduate students and other researchers at KGI, and are then able to engage in a small, well defined research project matched to their skills and knowledge. High school students further are able to participate in REU program activities such as seminars, workshops, and field trips.
For more information, please see: http://www.kgi.edu/x6745.xml

How long have you known the student? ___________________________
How well do you know the student? ___________________________
Which of your classes has the student attended? ___________________________
Have you interacted with the student outside the regular classroom? ___________________________
If yes, please describe briefly: ___________________________

Please rate the student relative to his/her peers in terms of:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th>Exceptional (Top 5%)</th>
<th>Very Good (Top 10%)</th>
<th>Good (Top 25%)</th>
<th>Average (Top 50%)</th>
<th>Below Average (lower 50%)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Intellectual Ability</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Aptitude for Science and Math</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Maturity</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Reliability and Promptness</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ability to work independently</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ability to work in a team</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
RECOMMENDATION FORM: HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

Keck Graduate Institute (a member of the Claremont Colleges)
Application Deadline: May 21, 2010  Program Dates: June 21 – August 13, 2010 (flexible)

Recommendation: Please comment on your impressions from personal interactions with the student, and how well suited you consider the student to be for this internship opportunity.

Signature: ___________________________________________ Date: _________________________________

Please return this recommendation form to the student in a sealed envelope with your signature across the seal.

Questions? Contact:  Dr. Angelika Niemz
Associate Professor
Internship Program Coordinator
aniemz@kgi.edu
(909) 607-9854