

# 2008 Summer Mentorship Experience Recommendation Form

The **Leadership Rice Summer Mentorship Experience (SME)** is a prestigious summer internship program for Rice undergraduates who aspire to high-level leadership. For nine weeks, students do substantive work with recognized leaders in public, private, or non-profit organizations. Students also complete readings and written assignments that deepen their understanding of the personal and professional demands leaders face.

## I. STUDENT INFORMATION (To be completed by applicant)

Name:	Phone Number:
E-mail Address:	Mailing Address:

## II. RECOMMENDER INFORMATION

Name:	Title:
Company/Organization:	Phone Number:
E-mail address:	How long have you known the applicant?

## III. ASSESSMENT

Please select a peer group (Rice students, coworkers, volunteers, etc.) against which to rate the applicant on the following criteria:

Peer group \_\_\_\_\_

	Substantially Above Average (Top 10%)	Clearly Above Average	Average (40-60%)	Clearly Below Average	Substantially Below Average (Bottom 10%)	Unable to Assess
Verbal Communication						
Written Communication						
Cognitive Ability						
Social Skill						
Initiative						
Professionalism/Maturity						
Overall Leadership Potential						

On another sheet, please comment on the student's potential for significant leadership and ability to excel in professional contexts.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_