

**APPLICATION FOR BA-MA-PhD PROGRAM
IN BIOCHEMISTRY & CELL BIOLOGY**

Please submit this completed information form, transcript, one page personal statement, and request two letters of recommendation to be sent to mescates@rice.edu:

Name _____ **College** _____

1. Indicate year at Rice: Fr So
2. Are you currently working in a laboratory? Where? Briefly describe your research program:

3. Provide a transcript and a one-page personal statement that indicates your interests, strengths, and aspirations, including why you are interested in BA/MA/PhD program.
4. Letters of recommendation from two individuals are required for this program. Please ask that these individuals send letters to mescates@rice.edu, and provide the names and affiliations of these two individuals below:
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
5. I understand the requirements of this program, including research and coursework over the summers following sophomore, junior and senior years of study, and that the MA degree will be granted after the thesis defense held in the summer following graduation.

Signature

Date

Schedule for application process:

Application materials due: January 27, 2017
Interviews with faculty: Scheduled during February, 2017
Decision date: February 28, 2017