

Division of Plant and Soil Sciences

WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

APPLICATION FOR A GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIP

1. Name _____

2. Present Address _____

3. Permanent Address _____

4. Phone Number _____ U.S. Citizen: yes _____ no _____

5. Major field of interest within the division:

_____ Crop Science

_____ Horticulture

_____ Entomology

_____ Plant Pathology

_____ Environmental Microbiology

_____ Soil Science

_____ Genetics and Developmental Biology

6. Plan to start graduate work (date/semester) _____

7. For which degree do you expect to become a candidate? _____ M.S. _____ Ph.D.

8. Colleges attended	Dates	Degree	Field
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

9. Employment or teaching experience:

Employer	Dates	Type of Work
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

10. Honors, awards, and other evidences of scholarship _____

II. As references give the names and addresses of three former professors who know about your potential for graduate work. You should request them to write promptly directly to the address at the bottom of the form.

12. This assistantship application will not be evaluated unless a completed admission application is on file with the Division. Complete admission application contains: completed application form, three letters of reference, 500 word essay on goals, transcripts of all previous college work. GRE scores and TOFEL scores for international students.

13. You are invited to use the space below to furnish any further information you desire to give concerning yourself and your objectives in graduate study. List any special licenses, certificates, skills, foreign language proficiency, publications, experiences, hobbies, etc. that you possess which might assist in evaluating this application-

14. Signature _____

Date _____

Send the completed form to the following address:

**Director
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1090 Agricultural Sciences Building P.O. Box 6108
Morgantown, WV 26506-6108**