

**2009 MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY SUMMER ARCHAEOLOGICAL FIELD SCHOOL
APPLICATION**

NAME _____ Date of Birth _____
 Year in _____ Social Security _____ Expected Date
 School _____ Number _____ of Graduation _____

Email address: _____

Major(s) _____ Minor(s) _____

Previous or Current Anthropology/ ANTH ANTH ANTH ANTH
 Archaeology Courses 125 _____ 226 _____ 250 _____ 325 _____

Overall G.P.A. _____ ANTH ANTH ANTH ANTH
 240 ___ 350 _____ 360 _____ 451 _____ 453 _____

Other anthropology classes or relevant classes in other disciplines [e.g., any geology class (esp. mineralogy, petrology, geomorphology), botany, zoology, cultural geography, soils, cartography, history, etc.) _____

Address to which correspondence and statement of fees should be sent:

Local Address (if different) _____

Permanent _____ Local
 Phone No. _____ Phone No. _____

Name(s) of person(s) to contact
 in case of an emergency _____

Address _____

Telephone
 Number _____ Relationship _____

MEDICAL Participant's Tetanus
 INFORMATION: Date of Birth _____ Vaccination Date _____

Name of
 Physician _____ Phone _____

Health Insurance Company _____
 Policy Number _____ Policy Holder's Name _____

Are you allergic to:
 Bee/Wasp Stings _____ Poison Ivy _____ Penicillin _____ Hard Work _____
 Other _____ Do you regularly take medication or require
 medical treatment (if so, please specify) _____

Archaeological surveys and excavations typically require walking and hard work, often in heat and high humidity. Does your health/physical condition allow you to do such work? ____
 If you have health/physical conditions that might require accommodation in the field, please specify. (Health/physical limitations that can be accommodated in the field will have no negative influence on your application.)

Other Comments:

AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT. Archaeological resources are the last surviving traces of people who lived before us. The anthropological archaeologist seeks to reconstruct the lifeways of these people from their valuable and nonrenewable material remains. This requires careful and difficult work, as well as an attitude of respect for the people whose lives we seek to understand. Archaeological survey and excavations often involve bad weather, insects, and other discomforts. Hence, the personal background and goals of each applicant are important. Please prepare a concise statement (not to exceed 400 words) that demonstrates how your background qualifies you for an archaeological field school and how such an activity fits into your lifetime goals (attach it to this application). This application should be typed/word-processed and should reflect serious preparation. Please address the following topics: relevant background (family, academic studies, work, travel, outdoor activities, personal experiences, other), reasons for your desire to participate in this program, and how these activities will serve to benefit your education. Your autobiography will play an important role in the selection process.

I certify that the information contained on this 2-page application form and in my autobiographical statement is complete and accurate. I understand that any misrepresentation may result in expulsion from the program.

Signature

Date

Please return your completed application to: Dr. Holly Jones, Center for Archaeological Research, Missouri State University, 901 S. National, Springfield, MO 65897 by May 1, 2009.