



PIRE – Coastal Flood Risk Reduction Program: 2023 Application for Field Research in the Netherlands



Application Information

Please read the application thoroughly and answer all questions fully. Incomplete applications will not be processed.

The application process consists of two rounds: a letter of intent (LOI) and a full research proposal. The application form, LOI, and Curriculum Vitae (or resume) should be typed, combined and submitted as one pdf. file (no “.zip” files) to pire@tamug.edu by **November 13, 2022**. You will be notified by early January, 2023 of whether you are encouraged to submit a full research proposal. Full research proposals are due by **January 22, 2023** and final selection will be announced by early March, 2023.

Since this program entails travel abroad, applicants must be in possession of a **valid passport with an expiration date after November 30, 2023**. Selected students will be asked to submit a **photocopy of their valid passport by March 10, 2023**. International students must have a valid Visa and Travel Signature on their I-20 and submit these photocopies as well.

At the time of application and travel (May 14 to 27, 2023), applicants must be **over the age of 18** and attending one of the following partner institutions: Texas A&M University (Galveston or College Station), Rice University, or Jackson State University or one of their Coastal Resilience Center partner institutions.

We especially encourage applicants from underrepresented groups, including: women, persons with disabilities, Black, Hispanic, Native Americans, Alaska Natives, Native Hawaiians and other Pacific Islanders.

Statement of Confidentiality: The information contained in this application will only be used to determine the applicant's eligibility for the NSF PIRE – Coastal Flood Risk Reduction Program. All information received is confidential.

Note: In-person Orientation for selected students will take place on April 6, 2023 at Texas A&M University Galveston campus. To ensure your effective participation in the program, orientation attendance is mandatory.

Rank the two case studies by writing the name of the area in order of highest (1) to lowest (2) preference.

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Part 1: Applicant Information

Name:

Last

First

Middle Initial

Address:

Street

City

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Zip

Cell Phone #:

Email Address:

Gender:

☐ Female

☐ Male

Date of Birth:

MM

DD

YYYY

Nationality:

What is your race/ethnicity? (Please check all boxes that describe you:)

☐ Hispanic/Latina/o

☐ White Non-Hispanic

☐ African American/Black

☐ Asian

☐ Native American/Alaskan

☐ Native Pacific Islander (Native Hawaiian, Guamanian, or Samoan)

☐ Other please specify:

Part 2: Educational Information

What is the name of the university you currently attend?

Undergraduate students only

Current class standing (check one): ☐ Freshman ☐ Sophomore ☐ Junior ☐ Senior ☐ Other (specify):

Major:

Minor:

Department:

Major GPA:

/

Cumulative GPA:

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Expected Graduation Date:

Academic Advisor:	
Graduate students only	
<input type="checkbox"/> Masters	<input type="checkbox"/> PhD
Current year standing (check one): <input type="checkbox"/> 1 st year <input type="checkbox"/> 2 nd year <input type="checkbox"/> 3 rd year <input type="checkbox"/> 4 th year <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):	
Have you completed your <input type="checkbox"/> preliminary, <input type="checkbox"/> qualifying, or <input type="checkbox"/> comprehensive exam? (check those that apply)	
Expected Graduation Date:	
Research Area:	
Department:	GPA: /
Academic Advisor:	
Part 3: Eligibility Information	
Will you be over age 18 at the time of travel (May 14 to 27, 2023)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (Applicants must be over age 18)	
You must hold a valid passport (including a visa and travel signature on your I-20 if you are an international student) with an expiration date after November 30, 2023. If you fail to submit a photocopy of the required documents by March 10, 2023, you will forfeit your place in the program. <input type="checkbox"/> I have read and agree to this condition.	
Part 4: Letter of Intent (400-500 words)	
<p>Please provide a Letter of Intent describing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why do you prefer a given case study • Your proposed research question(s) • How your background and research interests will contribute to this case study and your success as a researcher during the course of this program 	
Part 5: Curriculum Vitae / Resume (Maximum two pages)	
Please provide CV or resume. Graduate students must submit a CV.	
Application Package* Checklist:	
<p>I have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Completed the application form <input type="checkbox"/> Attached a Letter of Intent (LOI) <input type="checkbox"/> Attached a CV or Resume 	
<p>*The application package must be typed and submitted as a single pdf. file (no ".zip" files) to pire@tamug.edu by November 13, 2022.</p>	
How did you hear about this program? (Check one):	
<input type="checkbox"/> Advisor/professor <input type="checkbox"/> Previous participant <input type="checkbox"/> Friend/Colleague <input type="checkbox"/> CTBS/IDRT Website <input type="checkbox"/> Facebook PIRE CFRRP page <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify):	