APPLICATION FORM Year:_____
SIERRA INSTITUTE

Sierra Institute
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SEMESTER: ❑ WINTER ❑ SPRING ❑ SUMMER ❑ FALL

Program choice: 1st _____

2nd _____

Name: _____ Gender: ❑ Male ❑ Female
Last First (or preferred) Middle

IT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT THAT WE BE ABLE TO REACH YOU.
Please let us know if you have a change of address and please indicate the date through which your current address is valid.

Current Address Current e-mail _____

Street _____

City _____ State_____ Zip _____ until (date)_____

Telephone (preferred) (_____) _____ Alternate (_____) _____

Permanent Address (This address will go into your transcript record at Humboldt State University.)

Legal name (if different from above):_____

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (_____) _____

SS # or HSU ID#: _____ - _____ - _____ Date of birth _____

Name of College/University now attending _____

Location _____ Academic/Major Interest _____

Year in college: ❑ Not applicable ❑ Freshman ❑ Sophomore ❑ Junior ❑ Senior ❑ Graduate Expected graduation (term/year): _____

Please describe your camping/backpacking/mountaineering experience_____

_____

Do you have medical/first aid training? ❑ Yes ❑ No Level of swimming skill: ❑ beginner ❑ intermediate ❑ advanced

Have you been on field study programs before? If yes, where? _____

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The following questions will help your instructor organize shared program equipment. Your answers do not affect your acceptance.
If you are able to bring any of the following items, please mark the appropriate spaces below:

❑ Backpack tent. Make/model/capacity _____

❑ Backpack stove. Make/type of fuel _____ Cooking pots (how many/capacity) _____

How did you first hear about the Sierra Institute?
❑ friend ❑ web search ❑ poster ❑ class announcement ❑ other _____

For international programs only: If you speak a language besides English, please specify: _____

ESSAY: Acceptance is based on your answers to the following questions. (Please answer them on the back, or attach another sheet if preferable):
Why do you want to join this program? (For example: How does it fit into your education? How does it fit into your life at this point?
What aspects of the program are of particular interest to you?)
Please describe yourself briefly. (For example: What are you excited about? What is important to you? In what directions are you moving ?
What are your strengths? What role(s) do you usually play in groups? What can you contribute to this group?)

BE SURE TO ENCLOSE YOUR $200 APPLICATION FEE. MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY