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Interphase 2009 Questionnaire – Getting to Know You

The purpose of this questionnaire is to help us get to know a little bit about you before you arrive. Some questions are fun, some questions are more thoughtful.

Please limit your answers to the space provided.

Any special circumstances (religious, medical, cultural, allergies (food or otherwise), etc) we should be aware of?

What are your hobbies? _____

What is your favorite game to play? _____

What is your favorite TV show? _____

What is your favorite genre of movies (or top 3 if you can't decide!)? _____

What is the weirdest thing you will ever admit to having done in the past? _____

What is your most cherished childhood memory? _____

Soda, Coke, or Pop? _____

Who do you want to win the NBA Finals? _____

If you were another person, would you be friends with you? Please explain. _____

Mashed potatoes or macaroni and cheese? _____

Favorite super power? _____

What one thing might you do to make your life simpler? _____

As you start your next challenge what do you think you will most likely get wrong? What are you doing about it? _____

What's one lesson that you keep bumping into and learning over and over again? _____

What do you do well that other people come to you for help with? _____

How have you changed from the person you were 1 year ago? _____

What are you doing when you have your best ideas? _____

What would the person who knows you the best tell us about you that we might not see on our own?

Do you have a role model? Who is it and why did you choose that person? If you don't have one, why?

What one trait would you look for in a mentor? _____

Roommate Matching – your responses here may be taken into consideration for matching you with a roommate for the program. Please answer as truthfully and authentically as possible.

Are you a non-smoker? _____

Do you prefer a non-smoking roommate? _____

Do you prefer quiet study? _____

Do you study with music? _____

Do you have chemical sensitivities (i.e. exposure to chemicals, perfumes, smoke, irritants, etc. triggers allergy-like symptoms)? _____

Are you a tidy person? _____

What song best describes you when you first wake up in the morning? _____

Desk: messy or organized? _____

Are you always early or terminally late? _____

Do you consider yourself an introvert or extrovert? _____

Do you prefer group or individual activities? Give two answers – one for academic activities and one for social activities.

Academic: _____

Social: _____