# SUMMER PROGRAM IN PUBLIC POLICY AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS (PPIA) 2003

## Application for Admission

**Applications must be received by February 15, 2003. Applications may be photocopied. Please print or use black ink. Fax submissions will *not* be accepted. Please return a completed application to:**

**Summer Program in Public Policy and International Affairs (PPIA)**
**Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy**
**The University of Michigan**
**440 Lorch Hall, 611 Tappan Street**
**Ann Arbor, MI 48109-1220**

**1. Name:** _____
Last First Middle

**2. Gender:** [ ] Male [ ] Female

**3. Current Address:** _____
Street Address

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City State Zip Code

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Telephone Number E-mail Address (please print clearly)

Valid Until (month/date/year): _____ / _____ / _____

**4. Permanent Address:** _____
Street Address

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City State Zip Code

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Telephone Number E-mail Address (please print clearly)

**5. Social Security Number:** __ __ __ - __ __ - __ __ __ __

**6. Citizenship:** [ ] United States [ ] U.S. Permanent Resident (Applicant must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident)

**7. Ethnic Background:** [ ] African American/Black [ ] Asian American
[ ] American Indian or Alaskan Native Tribe [ ] Hispanic/Latino
[ ] Multi-ethnic (please describe: _____)

**8.** In which area of public service are you **most** interested? [ ] Domestic Public Policy [ ] International Affairs

**9. Undergraduate Education:** Please list all institutions attended, current and most recent first.

| College/University | Location | Major | GPA | Dates of attendance |
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Expected graduation date (month/year): _____ / _____ Number of credits required to graduate: ____

**10. Please list your principal courses and grades in:**

English/Communications: _____

Mathematics/Quantitative Analysis: _____

Government/Political Science: _____

International Studies: _____

**11. Computer Experience: Please circle the numbers below to characterize your ability**

1 = able to produce complex documents, tables or searches 2 = able to perform basic functions
3 = have attempted to use the software a few times 4 = not applicable

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| Word Processing (Microsoft Word, WordPerfect, etc.) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Spreadsheet (Excel, Lotus 123, etc.) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Internet Tools (Navigator, Internet Explorer, e-mail, etc.) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

**12. How did you learn about the Summer Program in Public Policy and International Affairs?**

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**13. Recommendations:** Please submit two letters of recommendation. At least one letter should be from a faculty member at your college. Ask your references to evaluate your general qualifications, academic aptitude, commitment to public service, and potential for success in the program. References should mail letters directly to the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy.

**14. Personal Statement:** Please submit a statement no longer than two typed or computer printed double-spaced pages describing: 1) your career goals and their relationship to public policy; 2) how your background (family, community, education) has influenced your public policy career goals; and 3) how participating in this program will help you achieve these career goals.

**15. Resume:** Please submit a resume that documents your education, work or internship experience, public service, honors, awards, languages, and other achievements.

**16. Transcripts:** Please provide one official transcript from all universities and college you have attended. All transcripts should be mailed directly to the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy.

**17. Financial Aid:** Are you currently receiving need-based scholarships or financial aid? ____ Yes ____ No
If yes, please provide a copy of your student aid report (SAR).

**Certification:** *I certify that the above statements and supporting materials are accurate and complete.*

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***Signature*** ***Date***

**Checklist for applicants:**

[ ] Completed and signed application [ ] Attached Personal Statement [ ] Attached Resume

[ ] Requested official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended to be sent directly to the School.

[ ] Requested two letters of reference to be sent directly to the School.

**Note: Your application *will not* be considered complete until the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy receives all materials.**

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