STATEMENT OF PURPOSE FORM
FOR APPLICANTS TO THE GRADUATE SCHOOL
AT EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY

To the applicant: Please type (single space) a personal narrative on this form addressing your academic and professional goals and why you are seeking instruction in your chosen graduate program. The narrative should include a description of your expectations of the program, as well as any related qualifications that you possess, including talents, skills (e.g., computer literacy, etc.), collegiate and professional accomplishments, community activities, and any other substantial personal achievements. This is an opportunity for you to demonstrate your writing skills.

Note: Some programs require that this essay address specific questions and topics. If your program requires a supplemental application, please consult it for any specific instructions regarding this essay.