

University of Florida Honors Program  
**Application for the Lombardi and Stamps Scholars Programs**

**PART 1: STUDENT INFORMATION**

Please type all of your responses. Do NOT attach additional paperwork unless it is specifically requested. **Only responses that fit into this application will be reviewed.** Thank You.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ UFID: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
High School: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART 2: ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS**

**A. Activities**

Lombardi and Stamps Scholars demonstrate leadership, commitment to public service, and creativity in a variety of ways. List the three high school and community activities that are most important to you. Tell us why you became involved, your role, and your accomplishments. How has the group or activity changed as a result of your involvement? *Do not attach additional paperwork.*

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**B. Non-Academic Goals**

What do you hope to achieve before high school graduation outside of the classroom?

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### C. Research Proposal

Curiosity, creativity, and independent thinking are hallmarks of Lombardi and Stamps Scholars. Scholarly research mentored by faculty fosters active learning and develops problem-solving skills. Use this space to outline a research project you hope to conduct during your time at UF. Why is this research important? It may, for example, attempt to provide a practical solution to a vexing problem or create an aesthetic work of art. Academic research is not limited to the sciences; feel free to discuss ideas for projects in the humanities, journalism, business, the social sciences, or fine arts.

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### D. Honors, Awards, Leadership Positions, and Special Programs

Please list one per line, in descending order of significance. If you do not have space to list all of your awards, please list only those you feel are most noteworthy. Include a brief description if necessary.

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## PART 3: SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Please attach the following documents to your application (the letter of nomination may arrive separately). Responses should be written in a simple, direct style and be limited to 250 words.

- A. **Central to this scholarship program are four summer enrichment experiences, including three short-term study abroad trips. Incoming Lombardi and Stamps Scholars will all spend five weeks during the summer of 2016 on the Yucatán peninsula learning about the language and ecology of the region. In what ways do you think the culture of Mexico will be the same as that of the United States? In what ways do you expect the culture to be different?**
- B. **The second summer experience is a week-long custom wilderness adventure with Outward Bound. The eleven scholars in the cohort will travel together (with professional guides) to a remote location in the United States and learn to work together as an effective team while achieving their greatest potential as individuals. Outward Bound will be physically and emotionally challenging and involves living and working closely with a group. What life experiences will you draw on to prepare for this course?**
- C. **“Life is nothing if you’re not obsessed.” – John Waters**  
  
**Name two or three things that you can’t get enough of, and tell us what excites you about them. How do you plan on pursuing those interests at UF?**
- D. **Any additional personal information you would like to share with the committee. You are *strongly encouraged* to make use of this opportunity to tell us something more about yourself.**
- E. **Unless it has been forwarded separately, please include an envelope with the nomination form and letter from your high school principal, guidance counselor, or an instructor. Only one letter will be considered.**

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**Authorization to Release Information**

If I am selected as a Lombardi or Stamps Scholar, I authorize the University of Florida to release any of the above information to the public in any manner it shall choose.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_