

ENTREPRENEURSHIP (HiTEC) SCHOLARS PROGRAM APPLICATION

The Jenkins MBA program at NC State University is pleased to offer these MBA Scholars programs, each offering multiple appointments, aimed at attracting the best talent in entrepreneurship and supply chain management. Under these fellows programs, students will receive:

- Full tuition coverage
- Health insurance
- A stipend of \$12,000 per academic year

The student is responsible for approximately \$1300 per semester in student fees. In return, the Scholars will be expected to work closely with faculty and partner companies on applied research projects for approximately twenty hours per week.

Scholars will begin taking courses in their concentration during their first semester in the program and will be expected to commit to the concentration as a condition of their fellowship.

HiTEC Scholars

The HiTEC program, developed at NC State, has been taught on four continents and adopted for use as part of graduate education for students from over twenty universities. A unique joint venture managed by the Colleges of Management and Engineering, our program teaches systematic and process-based approaches to launching and growing technology rich businesses. In the US and globally, businesses developed by HiTEC students and alums have generated hundreds of jobs and hundreds of millions of dollars of private investment.

HiTEC Scholars will complete MBA 570, MBA 576, and 577 during their first academic year of residence. They will also do an internship administered by the program between their first and second year of study. Internship compensation will be comparable to that received by other MBA candidates. During their summer internship and their second year in the program, fellows will work with entrepreneurship faculty to examine the commercial potential of emerging technologies. Throughout their training, students will work with a faculty mentor and professional mentors from the entrepreneurial community who will help them explore opportunities and get to know people with the ability to provide a variety of useful resources.

HiTEC is the capstone program of The Entrepreneurship Collaborative (TEC): *We are the Business of Entrepreneurship.*

QUALIFICATIONS

Ideal candidates must be admitted to the MBA Program for full-time study, and will have a strong desire to interact with corporate executives and professionals in the fields related to each fellowship position. Successful candidates will have demonstrated superior potential via a combination of undergraduate grades, GMAT/GRE scores, and other MBA application material. Candidates must be permitted to work in the U.S. (citizens or permanent residents) for the assistantship duration.

TO APPLY

Prospective HiTEC Scholars should complete the form below and email it to Jen Arthur at jennifer_arthur@ncsu.edu by January 12, 2018.

The selection process will be highly competitive. Scholars will be selected on the basis of prior preparation, applications essays and one or more faculty interviews and will be awarded by March 30, 2018.

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Name:

Phone Number:

Email:

I am applying for:

HiTEC Scholars

Essay (400 word limit)

Why are you interested in this Scholars opportunity and how do you think you will be able to contribute? What are you hoping to learn from this experience? What differentiates you from other candidates applying for this position and why do you believe you are the most qualified?