THE NATIONAL HISPANIC UNIVERSITY
Student Success Program
2011 Summer Bridge Application

What is Summer Bridge?
The National Hispanic University Summer Bridge is a service provided by the Student Success Program (TRiO). The summer bridge program will assist first year students through the transition of graduating from high school and entering the university. The purpose of the program is to prepare students for the academic, social, and personal challenges and new experiences of college. Students will meet their professors, get familiar with all departments and learn about on-campus resources. It is a fun and exciting way to start your transition into college.

Benefits of Attending Summer Bridge
- You will receive 6 college units before the start of Fall 2011 classes
- Participate in team building activities and networking
- Receive academic advising and mentoring services
- Receive financial aid information and assistance in applying for scholarships
- Gain leadership development skills
- Participate in the Road Trip Nation project and create your online profile
- Participate in cultural enrichment activities

Applicants must meet the following criteria:
- Be a first generation college student (first in their family to graduate from a four-year college or university) or low income, and or disabled to be eligible
- Need additional academic support

Applicants must meet the following requirements:
- Must graduate from high school in Spring 2011
- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) 2010-2011 no later than June 30 and 2011-2012 and be eligible to receive Federal Pell Grant; www.fafsa.ed.gov
- NHU School Code: 016968
- Be admitted to NHU for Fall 2011
- Complete the Student Success Program application & be eligible
- Submit a completed Summer Bridge Application by June 13, 2011
- Attend Summer Bridge Orientation on June 22, 2011 in Rm 309 (10am Or 5:30pm)
- Attend all Summer Bridge classes starting June 27 – August 12, 2011
- Attend classes and activities Monday – Thursday from 8am – 3pm

Please contact the Student Success Program for more information: at (408) 273-2709, Email: ssp@nhu.edu for any questions.

Mail Applications to : Martha Escalera, Student Success Program, 14271 Story Road, San Jose, CA 95127 or fax to: (408) 254-1369.
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Please print (black or blue) and submit to the Student Success Program.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name: _______________________ Middle: __________ Last Name: _______________________

Address: ___________________________ City: ______________ State: _____ Zip: _______

Home #: (____)______________ Cell #: (____)___________ Alternate#: (____)___________

Social Security #:_______________________ Are you a U.S. Citizen? □ Yes □ No

Gender: ____________________________ Ethnicity: ______________________________________

Date of Birth: _________________________ Email: ________________________________

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

High School: _________________________ CAHSEE Passed □ Yes □ No

Address: _____________________________ City: ______________ State: _____ Zip: _____

COLLEGE INFORMATION

Have you been fully admitted to NHU? □ Yes □ No

Have you completed your FAFSA application for 2010-2011? □ Yes □ No

Have you completed the Student Success Program Application? □ Yes □ No

Highest level of education completed by your mother? ______________ mother? ______________

How will you benefit from the NHU Summer Bridge Program?

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By submitting this application, I agree to the following: If I am accepted into the Summer Bridge program, I authorize the Summer Bridge staff to request and receive my information including, but not limited to: school transcripts, test scores, financial aid award information, and admission application to determine my eligibility for the 2011 NHU Summer Bridge Program.

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Student Signature Date