**Application for the Melvin Ember Internship at HRAF**

**2024-2025**

Please see <https://hraf.yale.edu/hraf-internship-in-honor-of-melvin-ember-2024-2025/> for more about the internship and the eligibility requirements.

**TO SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION**

To apply, complete this application electronically and save it as “Internship-2024-Lastname-Firstname” in Word or pdf format.

* Email your application with the subject line “Melvin Ember Internship” to Carol R. Ember (carol.ember@yale.edu) with a copy to hraf@yale.edu.
* Deadline is **11:59 PM EST on** **May 1, 2024**.
* You should receive an acknowledgement of your application within a few days of submission.

In approximately 1-2 weeks after the deadline, we will develop of list of applicants to be considered further. A transcript and references will be requested for candidates who make the first short list. A shorter group of finalists will be interviewed via Zoom or phone call in May.

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| APPLICANT DETAILS |  |
| First Name |  |
| Last Name |  |
| Current Institutional Address | **Give your current Department and University, if applicable, and your status at the institution (e.g, B.A. or B.S. candidate, research assistant)** |
| Address/status if not currently at a college or university | **If you are employed at another type of institution, please list it here and list your current position.** |
| Email (institutional preferred) | **Make sure to give us an email that will reach you in May. More than one can be given.** |
| Educational qualifications and relevant degrees (applicants must have at least an undergraduate degree such as a B.A. or B.S. that is completed prior to the internship) | **Please list major/minor, college or university, and date degrees awarded (or expected); include relevant study even if a degree was not awarded** |
| Academic achievements for your degree(s) | **Please give your overall GPA; GPA in your major; any honors received. (Note that a transcript may be requested at a later time.)** |
| Do you have the right to work in the United States for the term of the internship?**REQUIRED** | **Are you a United States citizen? If not, do you have a visa to work for the whole term of the internship in the United States? What type of visa do you have?** |

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| YOUR INTERESTS AND QUALIFICATIONS FOR THIS POSITION |
| What are your current academic interests? What would you like to pursue in the future? (Maximum 300 words) |  |
| Why are you interested in this internship? (Maximum 200 words) |  |
| Why do you think you would be a good fit for this position? (Maximum 200 words) |  |

The internship will entail the ability to understand statistical results in published papers and undertaking some statistical analyses. A high-level of knowledge is not essential, but at least one formal course in statistics is considered necessary.

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| SKILLS AND TRAINING IN STATISTICS AND METHODS MORE BROADLY |
| Level of formal training in statistics  | **Please describe your current level of familiarity and proficiency with quantitative methods. Tell us something like e.g. “high-school statistics”, “one statistics course in college”, “two statistics courses”. Name the course(s) and indicate your grade(s) in the course(s). Did you use any particular statistical packages in your coursework?** |
| Informal use of statistics in research/classwork | **Please describe any use of statistics outside of formal coursework (e.g., “analyzed data for my independent research project using SPSS”).**  |
| Level of proficiency in methods more broadly | **Please describe other methods coursework (include grades) or research experience.** |
| Engagement with cross-cultural data | **Describe any training or experience with cross-cultural methods.** |

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| RELEVANT COURSEWORK AND EXPERIENCE |
| **Describe the courses you have taken (with grades) that you think are the most relevant for this internship. Also describe any other experiences you have had that you think are relevant to this internship. (Note that a transcript may be requested at a later time.)** |

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| OTHER INFORMATION |
| **Please tell us other information about yourself that you think is important for us to know.**  |

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| REFERENCES |
| **Please give us the names, emails and affiliations of three (3) people who are willing to write on your behalf. It is preferable that at least two of your references be related to your academic experience and training.** |

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| CONFIRMATION |
| **By submitting this application, you confirm that the above information is correct. Please add your signature below.** |