

# 2024 SEEP AUGUSTA PRE-COLLEGE APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS



## STUDENT EDUCATIONAL ENRICHMENT PROGRAM (SEEP) PRE-COLLEGE APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS (GEORGIA VIRTUAL SUMMER PROGRAM)

MAY 31 - JULY 12, 2024

**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

We are pleased that you are applying for admission to the Medical College of Georgia's Student Educational Enrichment Program (SEEP) at Augusta University. Housed in the Office of Belonging and Inclusivity, SEEP offers summer enrichment programs for highly motivated and academically talented high school juniors and seniors. The Pre-College SEEP is for students who reside in Georgia. Only current high school juniors and seniors who attend school in Georgia are considered for participation in the Pre-College SEEP. **The 2024 SEEP will be a hybrid summer program.**

**Friday, March 11, 2024 is the deadline date for submission of all online applications. All supporting application documents must be received by Friday, March 11, 2024. Students are strongly encouraged to apply early to ensure that all application materials are received by deadline dates.**

**A completed SEEP application consists of the following:**

- ✓ *Online SEEP Application Submission*
- ✓ *Two Recommendations – Submitted on-line by recommenders*
- ✓ *Official Transcript(s) – If attended more than one high school and/or dual enrolled*
- ✓ *Income Verification (Parent's 2022 or 2023 filed income taxes document)*
- ✓ *Proof of US Citizenship (Must be US Citizen or have US Permanent Resident status)*
- ✓ *Driver's License or other government issued ID*

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**PLEASE CAREFULLY FOLLOW STEP 1 AND STEP 2 BELOW:**

### **STEP 1: Complete the Online Application and Upload Supporting Documents:**

- A. Go to <http://www.augusta.edu/mcg/academic-affairs/belonging-inclusivity/seep.php> to access online application and create a login account. **Please read instructions before beginning the online application.**
- B. **Upload Supporting Application Documents.** Supporting documents to be uploaded are listed below. If you do not have all documents available at the time you complete the online application.
- ✓ Income verification documents uploaded (please check deadline submission date).
  - ✓ Proof of U.S. Citizenship/Lawful Presence
  - ✓ Driver's License or other official government picture ID

#### **Income Verification**

Documentation for Income Verification.

- ✓ An official copy of the most recent filed (2022 or 2023) federal income tax statement for parent(s)

#### **Proof of US Citizenship/Lawful Presence**

- ✓ (Must be US Citizen or have US Permanent Resident status) - In accordance with the [Board of Regents Policy 4.3.4](#), all applicants for admission to Augusta University will be required to provide validation of lawful presence in the United States. Acceptance to the Augusta University/SEEP is conditional until lawful presence is verified. All applicants must submit documentation that verifies his/her lawful presence in the United States. For accepted documents, please see: <https://www.augusta.edu/admissions/lawful-verification.php>

#### **Acceptable Documents for United States Citizens:**

- ✓ *A Certified U.S. Birth Certificate showing the student was born in the U.S. or a U.S. territory.*  
*\*A photocopy is not acceptable. An official copy must be mailed.*
- ✓ *A U.S. Certificate of Naturalization (USCIS form N-550 or N-570)*
- ✓ *A U.S. Certificate of Citizenship (USCIS form N-560 or N-561)*
- ✓ *A U.S. Certificate of Birth Abroad issued by the Department of State (DS-1350) or a Consul Report of Birth Abroad (FS-240).*
- ✓ *A current U.S. Passport. (photocopy must include the photo page and the page immediately following photo page)*
- ✓ *A current Driver's License/ID\* issued by the State of Georgia after January 1, 2008 (a limited term license/ID or a license/ID issued for a period of less than two years is not acceptable)*
- ✓ *A current Driver's License\* issued by the State of Alabama after August 1, 2000.*
- ✓ *A current Driver's License\* issued by the State of South Carolina after November 1, 2008.*
- ✓ *A current military ID (service member only, not dependent)*

***\*Must have clear photo of documents that are submitted online***

***Photos will be accepted in pdf, png and jpeg formatting only.***

***If anyone is having issues with uploading documents, please contact us at [seep@augusta.edu](mailto:seep@augusta.edu).***

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### Acceptable Documents for Permanent Residents

- ✓ A current, valid Permanent Resident Card (USCIS form I-151 or I-551)
- ✓ A Form I-797, Notice of Action approval notice with current dates of validity for a Form I-485

All permanent resident documentation will be reviewed by the Augusta University International and Postdoctoral Service Office (IPSO) prior to acceptance. Upon arrival on campus you are required to present original immigration services documents to Learner DEI for final review by the IPSO.

### Driver's License or Government Issued Photo ID

- ✓ *If using Driver's License (DL) for lawful presence, the applicant only needs to submit one copy of license, however, if the DL is not the lawful presence document used for verification, the DL or other official government ID must still be submitted along with the appropriate lawful presence document.*
- ✓ *Copies of photo ID and other proof of citizenship documents must be clear. Birth certificates must be original copies and should be mailed.*

*For some document such as DL or other government issued ID, a scanned copy is acceptable.*

***\*Must have clear photo of documents that are submitted in pdf, jpeg or png format only.***

### Step 2: Other Official Documents (Do Not Upload to Seep Application)

#### Official Transcript

Pre-College SEEP applicants must submit an official transcript of all high schools attended. High school applicants who have joint high school and college enrollment must also have an official college transcript submitted in addition to the high school transcript. Official transcripts may be sent directly to DEI by the applicant's school counselor/official designee, a college Registrar's Office, or by an official transcript service agency. **All electronic copies of the official transcript must be sent to [SEEP@augusta.edu](mailto:SEEP@augusta.edu).** For mailed copies of official transcript, please see mailing address found at the end of this document (must be official copy from school and college –if applicable).

#### Recommendations

Applicants must have two recommenders submit online recommendation (***AFTER you submit your online SEEP application***). Applicants should provide the name and accurate email contact on the SEEP application for each recommender. The recommenders should be familiar with applicant's academic ability and potential for success in our program and as a potential health professional student (preferably completed by your high school teachers, at least one should be from a science faculty). Once the applicant submits the SEEP application, then a link will be sent via email to each recommender listed on the online application. Applicants need to provide complete and accurate information for each recommender. It is the responsibility of the applicant to follow-up with recommender to verify that the recommendation was completed and submitted.

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### **SEEP Deadlines**

>**Online SEEP application closes Friday, March 11, 2024**

>**Friday, March 11, 2024 is the final date to receive all supporting documents**

It is the applicant's responsibility to make certain that all SEEP application materials are received by the final application date (including the online recommendations). *Applicants are strongly encouraged to apply early.*

### **Please Read The Important Statement Below:**

*If you do not have all supporting documents available at the time you complete the online SEEP application, we **STRONGLY** encourage you to submit the application without attachments. Once you have supporting documents available for uploading to your SEEP file, you will be able to log back into the SEEP account you created and submit supporting documents that you are allowed to upload. We encourage early application and supporting document submissions.*

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*Providing false or incomplete information on the SEEP application or any of the documents supporting your application for admission to the program can result in denial of admission, invalidation of an acceptance decision, or, following matriculation, administrative disenrollment or dismissal. Students are subject to disenrollment or dismissal for falsifying application information at any time during the summer program.*