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**2011 Research Experience for Teachers (RET) Program Application**  
**June 27, 2011 - August 12, 2011**

1. Applicant Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

Home address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_ Grade(s) Taught \_\_\_\_\_

Department \_\_\_\_\_ Subject(s) Taught \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Ethnicity (This information is requested by the National Science Foundation for statistical purposes):

- American-Indian  Asian (including Filipino)  Black/African-American  Hispanic/Mexican-American  
 Native Pacific Islander  Puerto Rican  White/Caucasian  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

2. How did you hear about this program? (check all that apply)

- Flyer/Brochure  Colleague  CPS Best Practices conference  Department e-mail  Previous participant  
 NSEC Web site  Other web site: \_\_\_\_\_  Other (please explain): \_\_\_\_\_

3. Projects occasionally become available on the downtown Chicago campus which would require commuting between campuses 1 day per week for meetings. Would you like to be considered for these projects?  Yes  No

4. Checklist of Application Materials:

- Resume. Please include any previous research or other laboratory experience.  
 Brief narrative (approximately 500 words); include your thoughts on the benefits for you and your students resulting from your participation in this program. Also include the name of a preferred research mentor (if known) and why their research area interests you.  
 **Two** reference letters (should be from your Principal, Assistant Principal, Department Head, Science Coordinator, or Prior RET Fellow).

Please mail your application materials to:

**RET Program**

**International Institute for Nanotechnology**

**Northwestern University**

**2145 Sheridan Road, TECH K111**

**Evanston, IL 60208**

*Applications must be postmarked no later than March 1, 2008*