## APPLICATION FOR BROOKLYN COLLEGE RISE PROGRAM

The RISE Program at Brooklyn College is funded by the National Institutes of Health with the goal of attracting more underrepresented groups of students to biomedical research careers, particularly at the level of the Ph.D. Students interested in clinical medicine may apply because students' career goals often change when they get to college, but if research does not eventually figure into a student's career goals and educational plans, he/she can be asked to leave the program. Requirements and details of the program can be found in our brochure or by contacting Ms. Diaz by email at <a href="MDiaz@Brooklyn.cuny.edu">NDiaz@Brooklyn.cuny.edu</a> or by calling 718.951.4155

Please complete this application and return it as soon as possible to Brooklyn College of CUNY, 2900 Bedford Avenue, Nancy Diaz, RISE Recruitment Coordinator, 141 New Ingersoll Hall, Brooklyn, NY 11210. Ms. Diaz can be reached by telephone at 718-951-4155, and by email at: <a href="mailto:NDiaz@Brooklyn.cuny.edu">NDiaz@Brooklyn.cuny.edu</a>, should you have any questions in completing this application. Application should be sent as soon as possible. Final deadline for submission is May 13, 2012

All potential RISE scholars will be interviewed by program staff. Applications must be complete before the required interview can be scheduled.

Last Name, First Name:
Social Security Number:
Mailing Address:
Phone Number: Cell Phone Number:
Preferred Email Address: (Please Print Clearly)
High School and date of Graduation:
Citizenship: U.S. Citizenship (submit copy of birth certificate or proof of citizenship)  Permanent Resident of U.S. (submit copy of green card)
Ethnicity:   Hispanic or Latino   Non Hispanic or Latino
Race  Black or African American  American Indian or Alaska Native  Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander  More than one race  Asian  White  Other
Names and Affiliation of two References:

Application continued on next page:

Statement of Purpose: On an attached page, please describe:

What you intend to study in college.

What your longer-term career goals are.

Any independent research experiences you may have particularly in the sciences.

What you expect to gain from participating in the RISE program.

What you expect to contribute to the RISE program and the community of RISE scholars.