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**Primary Areas of Research Interest**

Select four faculty members in the IGERT program whose research interests might overlap your own. (Please rank them 1-4, 1 being highest interest level. You may assign equal ranks to more than one.)

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**Department**

Tell us which Tufts PhD program you are applying to. (Make sure you also submit the separate graduate school application for that program through the Office of Graduate Studies.)

___ Biology ___ Computer Science
___ Biomedical Engineering ___ Electrical and Computer Engineering
___ Chemical and Biological Engineering ___ Mathematics
___ Chemistry ___ Mechanical Engineering
___ Civil and Environmental Engineering

**Citizenship**

Foreign students are not eligible for IGERT Fellowships but may still participate in the IGERT program as Associates.

Are you a citizen or permanent resident of the U.S., its territories or its possessions?  ___yes  ___no
Motivation
Why are you interested in soft material robotics (100 words or less)?

Goals
What do you hope to achieve from your IGERT training? (100 words or less)

Agreement and Signature
By submitting this application, I agree to the rules and guidelines set forth in the IGERT-Soft Material Robotics program. I understand that I must be accepted into a contributing Tufts University Departmental PhD program to be eligible as an IGERT Associate or IGERT Fellow.

Name (printed)
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