

**Indiana University School of Medicine
Committee Report Template**

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Committee Name: MSTP Admissions Committee

Committee Chair Name: Maureen Harrington

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Meeting Frequency: twice a month during November-April

What is the mission of your committee? (100 words)

MSTP Admissions Committee members interview (five interview days) and identify candidates for admission to the Indiana University School of Medicine MD/PhD program (MSTP). They assist the MSTP in the recruitment of applicants by attending recruiting dinners, meeting one on one with students and calling applicants as needed. When necessary their input on proposed program policy and direction is solicited.

What has your committee accomplished this year? (250 words)

The Committee interviewed 60 candidates and met 4 times to discuss and rank the candidates for offers of admittance. We extended offers to 24 applicants and will accept 8-9 students.

What goals does your committee have for the next academic year? How can the Faculty Steering Committee help you to accomplish those goals? (150 words)

Goals:

- 1) To continue to identify ways in which the MSTP can increase diversity within our program.
- 2) To have a more robust approach toward recruiting students interested in pursuing PhDs in biomedical engineering.

Help:

Please increase the awareness that the number of physician scientist/engineers in Academics and a goal of our program is to increase those numbers.