

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in joining us for a program at the Zacharias Institute, where we are committed to taking seriously the questions of culture and responding with the invitation of Christ.

In order for us to get to know you better, we ask that you complete a twofold application process:

## **Written Application**

**Please complete the application form below in its entirety by typing your information in the appropriate fields.**

## **Video Application**

### **1. Please submit a 2-minute video giving a sense of who you are.**

Include how you became a Christian, any evangelistic experience you may have, and why you would like to study at the Zacharias Institute.

### **2. Please submit a video of you giving a 5-minute evangelistic talk.**

Imagine, for example, that a Christian student group at a university has invited you to speak so that their non-Christian friends can have a chance to hear about and respond to the central claims of Christianity. Please speak as if to a non-Christian audience. You may choose from the following titles: 1) Why Would Jesus Die? 2) Why Would God Allow Suffering? 3) Is Christianity a Bunch of Outdated Rules?

N.B: If you are using notes or a script for this talk, we recommend that you use a music stand or podium. Please do not have the notes visible on screen.

**\*\*Please submit both videos as two separate links to either Vimeo or YouTube. Please ensure that your videos are private and password protected, and include your password so that we can access the video.**

**Your videos will be evaluated on the basis of content and presentation, not primarily on the basis of the quality of the videos. However, please ensure the audio is clear and that you are visible from the waist up.**

**We cannot provide any further advice in order to be fair to all applicants.**

When you have finished both portions of the application, please submit your completed pdf form to [applications@zachariasinstitute.org](mailto:applications@zachariasinstitute.org). We look forward to hearing from you and will respond as quickly as possible.

Blessings,  
The Zacharias Institute Team

## Program Application

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### PERSONAL DETAILS

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last Month / Day / Year

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about the program? \_\_\_\_\_

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### EMPLOYMENT

1. Present Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Previous Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Previous Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

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### EDUCATION

1. High School: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Graduated: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Entrance Exam(s) Taken: SAT  SAT II  ACT  GED

Score(s): SAT \_\_\_\_\_ SAT II \_\_\_\_\_ ACT \_\_\_\_\_ GED \_\_\_\_\_

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**EDUCATION (cont'd.)**

**If you have not yet graduated, please state your projected graduation date(s) and GPA(s).**

2. College/University: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Graduated: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Minor: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Graduate School: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Graduated: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Degree: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Other Qualifications: \_\_\_\_\_

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**CHURCH ATTENDANCE**

Church You Currently Attend: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
City State

Church Involvement (Ex: Welcome Team, Bible Study Member): \_\_\_\_\_

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**VIDEO SUBMISSIONS**

**Please use the link format (e.g. <https://vimeo.com/12345678>) instead of embedding the hyperlink.**

Link to Video About Yourself: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

Link to Evangelistic Talk: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_