Applicants for the 2006 – 2008 Teaching Technology Fellowship program need to complete and return the form below along with their Department Head’s recommendation (see attached form). If applying as part of a team, each applicant must submit contact information and a dept. head recommendation along with the project proposal.

Applicant: ________________________________________________________________________________
E-mail Address: _____________________________________ Phone: ________________________________
Start Year (on WPI Faculty): __________________________________________________________________
Department: _______________________________________________________________________________
Department Head providing reference: __________________________________________________________

PROJECT INFORMATION

Please answer Parts I & II completely. Proposals that do not address each question will not be considered.

PART I (no more than 75 words)

Project Title: ______________________________________________________________________________

Project Summary: Summarize the pedagogical issue or teaching challenge to be explored through the Teaching Technology Fellowship Program, the role you think technology could play in a potential solution, and the desired outcomes you hope to achieve by the end of the project.

PART II (no more than 2 pages – single spaced)

1. Pedagogical Aims of Project: What is the teaching challenge your project intends to address? How have you dealt with this challenge instructionally in the past?

2. Project Assessment: How can the effectiveness of your project be measured (i.e. what does "success" look like for this project)? Are there existing tools, measures, or benchmarks that could be used in the assessment and evaluation of particular aspects of the project?

3. Preparation, Feasibility and Impact: What timetable do you envision for completion of the project? Will you be on sabbatical or away from WPI for extended periods of time during the 2006-2008 academic year? When do you anticipate implementing your TTF project in your course? Please be sure to list the specific course, the frequency of its offering, and the average number of enrolled students.

4. Resources: What technology and/or human resource(s) do you anticipate will be used in the project, and what will they contribute to the solution? Specific resources need not be cited, as part of this program is to learn about what is available.

5. Work in Progress: If this is a proposal to continue work already in progress, please describe the current status of the project, technologies being used, prior support (internal and external), and level of effort required to complete the project.

Return along with Department Head Recommendation Form to:
Teaching Technology Fellowship Nomination
Provost’s Office, Boynton Hall
Or email to TTF Program Manager Matthew Laliberte at mdl@wpi.edu
Deadline: March 17th, 2006
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RECOMMENDATION FORM

Applicant: __________________________________________

Department: __________________________________________

Department Head providing reference: ________________________________

Please give a candid evaluation of the project for which this applicant is applying. The Selection Committee would appreciate your assessment of (1) the project in terms of its importance to the instructional program in your Department; (2) the applicant's ability to complete the project during the fellowship period; (3) the potential long-term impact of the applicant's project on the teaching mission of the University or Department as a whole. Please feel free to attach additional pages as necessary.

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