### **HEDCO Institute Undergraduate Scholars Application Preview**

During the application process, you will be asked to provide some contact and demographic information. This preview does not include those questions. The HEDCO Institute will only use demographic information for statistical reporting purposes.

### **Select a Specialty Area**

The HEDCO Institute has three specialty areas:

- 1. Research synthesis
- 2. Knowledge mobilization
- 3. Stakeholder engagement

Please select one primary specialty area you are most interested in. Indicate whether you have interest in a secondary specialty area.

## Specialty Area Interest (200 words maximum)

Please describe what you find interesting about the specialty area(s) you selected and why you chose it.

### Relevant Experience (300 words maximum)

Please describe your relevant experience to date. This may include any research, academic, or creative activities that make you a strong candidate for the program.

## Candidate's Statement (500 words maximum)

The candidate's statement is your opportunity to:

- describe your academic, personal, and career interests and goals;
- highlight your achievements to date;
- explain how participation in this program aligns with your interests and goals; and
- describe why you are an excellent candidate for the program.

Candidates' statements should be well-written, well-organized, reflective, thoughtful, and free of spelling or grammatical errors.

### **Letter of Recommendation Writer**

Please list the faculty member that you have asked to complete and send the letter of recommendation form on your behalf.

# **Referral Source**

Tell us how you found out about this program.

#### **Additional Information**

This is your opportunity to tell us any additional information you would like us to know.