**Pre-Proposal Form: The 2017 Packard Fellowships for Science and Engineering**

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1. Please submit a research statement of up to two pages. The research statement should describe why the research is important, and outline the general goals for the next five years. The statement should also indicate, in general, how funds will be used. If there are relevant figures, images or references, please include these separately on a third page.
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