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**Part 1 Interests and Motivation:** Use your interests and motivations as starting points for identifying opportunities to explore.

Interests:	Motivations:
List your field of study and interests. What are you curious about? What do you like learning and/or doing?	What are you hoping to learn or gain from your research experience? Why do you care about the topic or field?
Theoretical Physics but I would like to do hands on experimental work to source my ideas about the theory.	It's the same as a Puzzle game to me. Being to able to unfold something and see what's going on inside.

**Part 2 Must-haves and wants:** Think through the following components of research experiences. Place a check if you are ok with/want the element, circle if the element is a must-have for your next research opportunities. Use these considerations to help guide your search for a meaningful experience.

<input type="checkbox"/> OPT Pay	<input type="checkbox"/> Course-credit	<input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer-experience
<input type="checkbox"/> Civic-engagement	<input type="checkbox"/> On- campus	<input type="checkbox"/> Off-campus
<input type="checkbox"/> During the school year	<input type="checkbox"/> During summer	
<input type="checkbox"/> Structured program	<input type="checkbox"/> Course-based research	
<input type="checkbox"/> Independent project	<input type="checkbox"/> Group/lab project	
Time commitment: <input type="checkbox"/> less than 5 hours/week <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This 5-10 hours/week <input type="checkbox"/> more than 10 hours/week		
Other considerations: I would like to publish		

**Part 3 Search:** Find potential next steps that match your partner's interest.

☐ Rice or Texas Med Center Faculty to look into: (write the name and department of the top two you find)

1. Dr. Douglas Natelson
2. Dr. Thomas Liang

☐ Suggestions for Google search: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Peer Research Ambassador to meet with: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ If checked, possible ways to get funding or credit on campus: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Listserv to join: \_\_\_\_\_

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