INTERNATIONAL FRIENDS AT RICE (IFR)
U.S. FRIEND APPLICATION

Date: _____

Last Name: _____ **First Name:** _____

Spouse's Name (if applicable):_____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Telephone: _____ **Email:** _____

Preferred method of contact: ☐ **Telephone** ☐ **Email**

How many international students may we match you with? ☐ **1** ☐ **2** ☐ **Other:** ____
(Note: it is often easier to host two students as opposed to one)

Have you participated in a Rice University Friendship program in the past? ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

How did you hear about the International Friends at Rice Program? (please select all that apply)
☐ From a friend ☐ Rice OISS website ☐ Rice Volunteer website
☐ Rice University Alldepts email ☐ Other: _____

All first-time friends are asked to attend an orientation session prior to being matched with a student. Please sign up for one of the following orientation sessions, *or if none of these times work for you, please contact Andy Meretoja at thm1@rice.edu to set up an alternate orientation.*

☐ Tuesday, July 25, 2017 (12:00 – 1:00 p.m.)
☐ Wednesday, July 26, 2017 (5:15 – 6:30 p.m.)
☐ Wednesday, August 2, 2017 (12:00 – 1:00 p.m.)
☐ Thursday, August 3, 2017 (5:15 – 6:30 p.m.)
☐ Tuesday, August 29, 2017 (5:15 – 6:30 p.m.)
☐ Wednesday, August 30, 2017 (12:00 – 1:00 p.m.)

All Orientations take place at the Office of International Students & Scholars on Rice University campus – Lovett Hall, Entrance A, room 201.

Would you like to be contacted about possibly hosting an additional International Student(s) for Thanksgiving? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please plan to attend the Potluck/Matching Event on Tuesday, September 12, 2017, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. in the Student Center/Rice Memorial Center Grand Hall at Rice University.

Return this form to: Office of International Students & Scholars
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