

# Grace Hopper Conference Application

The **Grace Hopper conference** is the largest gathering of **Women in Computing** in the world! It is an exciting way to network and be inspired and encouraged by other women in the field. **Cisco** has generously agreed to provide funding for *three* of our **female Computer Science undergraduate students** to attend this year's conference to be held in **Orlando, Florida, October 17-20!** You can find out more about **Grace Hopper '07** at <http://gracehopper.org/2007/>.

To apply for funding to attend **Grace Hopper '07**, please email the *information* below, the completed *essays*, and a text copy of your PackTracks *transcript* to Suzanne Balik (sbalik@ncsu.edu) by May 31. All women who apply will receive a free WICS T-shirt and be invited to a dinner in their honor!!!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree: \_\_\_\_\_

Year (Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior): \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Computer Science GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Essay Questions (400 – 600 words each):

1. How do you feel you would benefit from attending the Grace Hopper Conference?
2. What motivated you to choose Computer Science as a major?
3. What would you like to be doing 5 years from now?
4. Suppose you are given \$1,000 to plan an event or project to benefit women in technical fields. Describe your motivation for choosing the event or project, what you would do, and what impact it would have.

