



2019 Fellowship Application

PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	
Home Address	City	State	Zip Code
Phone Number	Personal Email Address		

COMPANY INFORMATION

Position Title	Employer	Years with Employer	Years in Position
Business Phone Number	Supervisor's Name	Supervisor's E-Mail	

ORGANIZATION SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT

This Organization Sponsorship Agreement form should be completed by the individual authorized by the organization to grant sponsorship to the applicant. The organization understands that the support of its employee(s) during the NAAWLI, Inc. Leadership Program is a critical factor in the successful completion of the program. If the employee is accepted into the NAAWLI, Inc. Leadership Program, the organization agrees to do the following during the program duration:

- **Release the employee from work responsibilities to attend all day leadership sessions in Dallas, TX**
- **Support the travel and lodging expenses for each of the sessions in Dallas, Texas for the following dates:**
 - **Session I: March 17-20, 2019**
 - **Session II: June 23-26, 2019**
 - **Session III: September 15-18, 2019**
 - **Graduation: September 18, 2019**

Please check the statements that apply:

- If selected, the employer will cover the tuition fee. Please note, this fee is non-refundable and non-transferable. The tuition does not include travel and hotel cost
- If selected into the program the applicant will be responsible for the tuition fee

Select Applicable Tuition Category:

- \$6,500** Corporations
- \$5,000** Educational Institutions / Nonprofit Organizations / Government

Applicant's Signature

Date

Authorization Signature of Sponsoring Organization

Authorized Representative Signature/Title

Date

Authorized Representative Name/Title (**PLEASE PRINT**)

Company/Organization



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COMPANY INDUSTRY

- Non-Profit Corporate/For-Profit Government Educational Institution Self-Employed

EMPLOYMENT BACKGROUND

PLEASE NOTE: BOTH YOUR EMPLOYMENT BACKGROUND SUMMARY (INCLUDES CAREER GOALS, SERVICE EXPERIENCE, LEADERSHIP AND PERSONAL) AND CSP (COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT) MUST BE ATTACHED TO YOUR APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED FOR ACCEPTANCE. PLEASE ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS TO YOUR APPLICATION SUBMITTAL.

- A. Briefly describe current job responsibilities, your level in the organization and total years of professional experience?
(Maximum of 150 Words)
- B. What do you consider your most significant professional accomplishment in the past three years and why?
(Maximum of 150 Words)?
- C. Please attach an updated resume which lists employers, colleges/universities attended, degrees or designations you have *(if applicable)* including training programs and professional institutes. You may also list any distinctions, honors or awards you have received.

CAREER GOALS

- A. What do you anticipate your career progression will be with your company in the next 5 years? *(Maximum of 150 words)*
- B. How do you define your leadership brand and how will participating in the NAAWLI Leadership Program enhance your leadership brand and add value to your current roles/responsibilities? *(Maximum of 300 words)*

SERVICE EXPERIENCE

Please list community organizations or major extracurricular activities in which you participated in the last three years and positions or roles you held in each.

LEADERSHIP

What other leadership programs (if any) have you attended? How does NAAWLI fit into your overall development plan?

PERSONAL

Please describe what or who has influenced you both personally and professionally and how?



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COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT (CSP)

The National African-American Women's Leadership Institute, Inc. recognizes the supportive role African-American women traditionally assume in every aspect of American life (*civic/social organization, religious and educational*). With the intent to increase leadership capabilities through service, all selected participants are required to complete a Community Service Project in their community during their fellowship training (*March–September 2019*).

- Please list a CSP concept that can reach at least **25** people and be measured from an impact perspective
- Fellows are encouraged to partner with an affiliated organization, if any, to identify a program or cause that aligns with the organization's responsibility efforts or volunteerism program
- Keep the concept **SMART®** (*Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Relevant and Timely*)
- CSP must be completed prior to Session III on **September 18, 2019**
- Present CSP to NAAWLI Fellows, Board of Directors and special guest during the week of **September 15th** utilizing the specific criteria provided

Part I – Concept, Target Audience

Part II – Frequency, Location(s)

Part III – Expected Outcomes