

**Applications are accepted year-round.**  
**Please note that the deadline for applications for the  
September 2011 to June 2012 program is May 1, 2011**

### APPLICATION

**I am applying to be a participant in the Leadership Waterloo Region 2011-2012 program**

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

Your Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Please respond to the following questions:**

- Describe one or two experiences in your professional or community career where you demonstrated leadership in creative and effective ways. Describe what was unique about these situations and how you showed real leadership? Elaborate on what you learned about yourself and about leadership from these experiences.
- Describe one or two examples where you have gone beyond conventional thinking to identify new opportunities, seek fundamental change, or achieve something outstanding. Describe what leadership challenges you experienced when doing so, and how you addressed them.
- What, in your judgement, are the three most significant issues facing our Region today or in the near future? Explain why you view them as so significant and what you'd like to see done.
- Why are you motivated to explore community leadership? What do you believe you can contribute to the Leadership Waterloo Region learning experience?

Please attach your **resume**, which includes your professional experience and any community/volunteer experience. In addition, please forward **one letter** of support for your application to the Leadership Waterloo Region program. A professional mentor, a community volunteer, or a personal acquaintance who will attest to your suitability for the Leadership Waterloo Region program may submit this letter.

#### **Recipient of International Preceptor Award**

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**Please complete the appropriate sections and submit this page with your application**

**A. Personal Commitment:**

If selected, I will devote the time and resources necessary to complete the Leadership Waterloo Region program. I understand that should I be absent from any part of the opening and closing workshops, or from more than one Leadership Day workshop, I will be required to withdraw from the program, and my program fee will not be refunded or transferred.

Applicant's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Employer/Sponsor Approval for Time Commitment (if applicable):**

This applicant has the approval of this organization and the applicant has our full support, if accepted, to devote the time required to participate in the program.

Employer/Sponsor signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**C. Employer/Sponsor Commitment of Financial Support (if applicable):**

The full tuition fee for each candidate is **\$4500** for the September 2011 to June 2012 program. It is suggested that participants themselves pay a minimum of \$500 toward the program fee. If this applicant is accepted, I agree to pay \$\_\_\_\_\_ of the Leadership Waterloo Region fee for the above participant. I understand the tuition is non-refundable and non-transferable.

Employer/Sponsor signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Applications are accepted year-round, and depending on the number of applications received, interviews may be scheduled to take place as early as January. Please note that the deadline for applications for the September 2011 to June 2012 program is May 1, 2011.**

**Please complete & attach:**

- Application form
- Resume
- Letter of support
- Application for tuition discount (if required)
- Responses to the application questions on the previous page

**The Selection Committee will review your application in confidence. A personal interview is an integral part of the application process. You will be notified at least six weeks in advance of the opening 3-day session in September as to the status of your application.**

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**Program Fees and Application for Tuition Discount**

*In order to ensure balanced and equal participation in the program, Leadership Waterloo Region may to some degree discount tuition fees for a very small number of qualified participants in need. Numerous requests for discounts are received each year, so applicants are not guaranteed the discount they request.*

**Every request will receive a thorough and fair assessment only after the selection process has been completed. Your request in no way influences the selection decision. This is a confidential application to ensure that decisions are fair and informed. Please complete the fields below and return the form with your application.**

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Your address - Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Personal Income/Salary: \_\_\_\_\_ \$25,000 or under \_\_\_\_\_ \$50,001 - \$70,000  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$25,001 - \$40,000 \_\_\_\_\_ \$70,001 - \$85,000  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$40,001 - \$50,000 \_\_\_\_\_ \$85,000 or over

2. Number of Dependents: \_\_\_\_\_ Under 5 years of age  
\_\_\_\_\_ Ages 5-18  
\_\_\_\_\_ Ages 18-65  
\_\_\_\_\_ Aged over 65

3. Are there any unusual circumstances that should be considered in your request for a tuition discount? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. Program fees to be paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Self \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Other

*(eg. Professional Assoc., agency for whom you volunteer, etc...)*

5. Amount of tuition discount requested: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Please submit this application for a tuition discount with your other application materials to:**

Anne Lavender, Executive Director  
Leadership Waterloo Region  
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