

SAMPLE APPLICATION FORM

All candidates must complete their application online. Below is a sample application.

Biographical Information

All applications will be handled in the strictest confidence. Any questions which you feel do not significantly add to the Selection Committee's knowledge of your background and qualifications should be considered optional. You should note, however, that because the Selection Committee will endeavor to ensure that those selected reflect the diversity of the community, you are being asked to specify your gender, race and/or ethnicity.

Name: (last, first, middle)	
Date of Birth, Male/Female, Race/Ethnicity	
Home address:	
Home phone:	
Home fax and home email address, if any:	
Years residing in Chicago metropolitan area:	
Spouse/Significant other name:	
Number of Children and Ages:	
Your Employer and Date began:	
Your title or position:	
Type of business/service:	
Work address:	
Office telephone and fax number:	
Work email address:	
Your supervisor's name and title:	
Supervisor's work address:	
Supervisor's phone and email:	
Name and city of high school:	
Undergraduate/Graduate schools list below:	
Degree and Major and Dates received:	

Background and Commitment Statement

Please make your answers brief and concise. Finally, after reviewing the [Program Requirements](#), please electronically sign the commitment statement indicating your willingness to participate in the program, should you be selected.

Upon completing this application, please forward it to: Leadership Greater Chicago via email to info@lgcchicago.org.

1. Employment

- A. Describe your current job responsibilities, and prior positions and responsibilities, with present employer.
- B. List former employers in reverse chronological order identifying positions, responsibilities and dates employed.
- C. What do you consider to be your most important career achievement?
- D. What are your long-term career objectives?

2. Education

What were your principal activities, leadership positions and honors or awards while in school? Indicate those of greatest importance to you.

3. Business/professional affiliations, awards and honors

- A. List your participation in any professional and/or business organization, official positions and honors received and the dates of your participation and/or awards.
- B. What have you accomplished in any one or more of these activities? Describe its importance to you and the organization.

4. Volunteer Commitment

- A. List the name of community, civic, religious, social or other volunteer organizations in which you have been involved. Identify official positions held, and/or awards and honors received and the dates of your affiliation.
- B. Describe the responsibilities associated with your most significant volunteer commitment.
- C. What are your long-term civic/volunteer objectives and how do they complement your career objectives?

5. General

- A. How would you describe your personal leadership style and capabilities?
- B. What do you hope to gain from and how would you expect to utilize your Leadership Greater Chicago experience?
- C. What one community problem particularly interests you? What approaches do you feel are critical to its solution?

6. Employer Understanding

Have you discussed the submission of this application and the time commitment required to participate in this program with your employer? Please give the name and title of the person(s) in your organization with whom you have spoken about participating in the program. Indicate what understanding has been reached. If you are admitted, your employer will be asked to approve in writing your admission and time commitment to the program.

Commitment

I understand the purposes and requirements of the Leadership Greater Chicago Fellows Program, and if I am selected, I will devote the time and resources necessary to complete the program.

Signature/Date: