

MENTEE APPLICATION FORM

Young Immigrant & African Diaspora
Mentorship Program

Connect. Grow. Belong.

Nationwide | Six-Month Program | Ages 18–30



ONLINE FILLABLE APPLICATION

Complete all required fields marked with an asterisk (*).

1. CONTACT INFORMATION

1. Full legal name *

Email address *

Phone number *

City and state of residence *

Current U.S. time zone *

☐

Eastern

☐

Central

☐

Mountain

☐

Pacific

☐

Alaska

☐

Hawaii

2. BASIC ELIGIBILITY

2. Please confirm each statement. *

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I am 18-30 years old

☐

I currently reside in the United States

I identify as (select all that apply): *

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Immigrant

☐

Refugee

☐

First-generation American

☐

International student

☐

African diaspora member

☐

Other

If other, please describe

3. CURRENT EDUCATION OR EMPLOYMENT STATUS

3. Select all that apply. *

☐

Student

☐

Employed full-time

☐

Employed part-time

☐

Self-employed/entrepreneur

☐

Seeking employment

☐

Other

School, employer, business, field of study or career area *

Mentee Application - Goals and Program Fit

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4. PRIMARY MENTORSHIP PATHWAY

4. Select one primary pathway. *

- ☐ Education & Academic Success
- ☐ Career & Professional Development
- ☐ Entrepreneurship & Business Development
- ☐ Community & Civic Engagement
- ☐ Personal Growth & Cultural Adjustment

5. MOTIVATION

5. Why do you want to join this mentorship program? *

Explain why mentorship is important to you at this stage. Recommended maximum: 200 words.

6. GOALS

6. What are the three most important goals you hope to achieve? *

7. CURRENT CHALLENGES

7. What barriers or challenges are currently affecting your progress? *

Mentee Application - Matching and Commitment

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8. MENTOR EXPECTATIONS

8. What guidance, skills or support would you like from a mentor? *

9. MATCHING PREFERENCES

9. Preferred mentor profession, industry or area of experience *

Important cultural, language, lived-experience or communication preferences

Preferred meeting style

☐ Structured and goal-focused

☐ Conversational and reflective

☐ A balance of both

☐ No preference

10. AVAILABILITY AND COMMITMENT

10. Confirm your ability to participate. *

☐ I can participate for six months

☐ I can meet my mentor at least monthly

☐ I can attend orientation and workshops

☐ I have reliable virtual access

Days generally available *

☐ Monday

☐ Tuesday

☐ Wednesday

☐ Thursday

☐ Friday

☐ Saturday

☐ Sunday

Times generally available *

☐ Morning

☐ Afternoon

☐ Evening

☐ Variable

Scheduling limitations, if any

11. ACCESSIBILITY AND PARTICIPATION SUPPORT

11. Describe any accommodation or support you may need to participate fully.

Mentee Application - Fee, Referral and Certification

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12. REFERRAL SOURCE

12. How did you learn about the program? *

- | | |
|--|---|
| ☐ FLA website | ☐ Social media |
| ☐ Friend/family | ☐ School/university |
| ☐ Employer | ☐ Community organization |
| ☐ FLA member | ☐ Other |

Name of referring person or organization, if applicable

APPLICATION FEE

Select one option. *

- ☐ I will pay the \$50 application and processing fee
- ☐ I request a confidential financial-hardship waiver

If requesting a waiver, briefly explain the financial hardship (100 words maximum).

Payment or waiver status will not affect selection. Payment does not guarantee admission or matching.

APPLICANT CERTIFICATION AND CONSENT

- ☐ I certify that the information provided is accurate and complete.
- ☐ I understand that applying or paying the fee does not guarantee selection or matching.
- ☐ If selected, I agree to follow FLA policies, confidentiality rules and the Code of Conduct.
- ☐ I understand that mentorship is not legal, immigration, medical, mental-health or financial advice.
- ☐ I authorize FLA to use this information for eligibility review, administration and mentor matching.

Typed full name as electronic signature *

Date signed *

Emergency contact name and phone number *