

AFP Greater Cleveland Chapter Mentor Application Form

The AFP Greater Cleveland Chapter provides chapter members with one-on-one assistance to enhance their knowledge and skills as development professionals. Participation as a mentee is available to AFP Greater Cleveland Chapter members who have worked as a full-time paid development professional at a nonprofit organization for a minimum of one year. Participation as a mentor is available to all members of the AFP Greater Cleveland Chapter who have at least 5 years of development experience. CFRE certification is preferred but not required. The program is intended for personal professional growth, not for long-term or extensive organizational assistance.

Mentoring occurs for a one year time period. Initial assignment of mentors and mentees is performed by members of the AFP Greater Cleveland Chapter Membership Committee based on completed applications. Details of the interaction are determined by the mentor and mentee, but it is anticipated that mentoring typically involves about two hours per month. While this is a benefit of membership in the AFP Greater Cleveland Chapter and there is no charge for the services, both mentors and mentees are required to complete an evaluation form at the conclusion of the mentoring period.

Name: _____ AFP Membership Number: _____

Years full-time in development: _____ # Years held CFRE: _____

Employer: _____ Title: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

of Development Staff: _____ Organization Budget: _____

Please list the number of years you have worked in the following types of organizations:

Arts	Advocacy	Animal Rights	Education
Grassroots	Environmental	Health	International
Religious	Social Services	Other	

Rate your experience in the following: (1 = extensive, 2 = moderate, 3 = limited, 4 = none):

Fundraising: Annual Giving Career Counseling

Capital Campaigns Corporations Direct Mail

Foundations Major Gifts Membership

Planned Giving Proposal Writing Research

Special Events Sponsorships Working with CEO

Other:

Public Relations: Media Relations Publications

Constituency Development: Alumni Board Community Volunteer

Please indicate programmatic strengths you bring to a mentoring relationship:

Why do you want to participate in this program?

I acknowledge the need for all fundraising professionals to continually build their skills and offer my volunteer services to AFP Greater Cleveland as a mentor. If appropriately matched, I will serve as a mentor for one year and complete the survey at the end of the mentoring relationship.

Name:

Date:

Please attach your current resume or CV to your mentor application.

Please email form to: admin@afpcleveland.org

For questions, contact Deborah Miller, CFRE, Mentoring Chair @ 440-826-2744 or dsmiller@bw.edu