

Emerging Leaders Institute Application Criteria | 2011

Dear Applicant:

The Application Criteria listed below serves as a guide to assist you in preparing a thorough and complete application for the Emerging Leaders Institute. The criteria will also help you to determine your readiness to engage in the MAEOPP Emerging Leaders Institute.

- 1) Applicants and nominators must be current members of MAEOPP. The committee will only review forms of those applicants who are members in good standing.
- 2) If selected, applicants must maintain tenure of paid membership in MAEOPP.
- 3) A minimum of two years experience working in Higher Education/Education Opportunity Programs is required for all applicants.
- 4) If selected, applicants are expected to assume a future leadership role in MAEOPP and/or their state Chapters after they complete the Emerging Leaders Institute.
- 5) If selected, applicants are expected to be present at ELI trainings, and to complete their assigned project in the time designated by the ELI Trainer(s). The ELI are required to travel to the various training sites.
- 6) Preference will be given to applicants who have demonstrated prior volunteer and/or leadership experiences (including opportunities outside TRIO).
- 7) Applicants will need to comment on their attendance at professional conferences and workshops, both inside and outside TRIO, presentations they have conducted and experiences working with disadvantaged individuals.
- 8) Must submit a completed application including all required documents to Chapter President (or his/her designee) by **April 1st**.

All applications will be received and thoroughly reviewed by your Chapter President (or his/her designee) and President-Elect. The Chapter President can submit up to four applications to the MAEOPP ELI Selection Committee for consideration. Based on the strength of the materials contained in the application packet the MAEOPP ELI Selection Committee will recommend two candidates from each state to enroll in the Emerging Leaders Institute for the following year.

Please note: Incomplete Applications will not be considered.