

SYDNEY LEADERSHIP

2011 APPLICATION FORM

THE PROGRAM COMMENCES MARCH 2011 AND RUNS TO OCTOBER 2011.
APPLICATIONS CLOSE ON FRIDAY 12 NOVEMBER 2010.

HOW TO APPLY

1. Remove this page from the booklet and complete in full.
2. Type your answers to questions 1–8 (overleaf).
3. Ask your 2 nominators to complete and sign separate Nomination Forms.
4. Send 2 copies of the Application Form, typed answers and Nomination Forms, plus a recent passport size colour photograph to:

Social Leadership Australia
The Benevolent Society
Level 1,
188 Oxford Street
Paddington NSW 2021

t 02 9339 8089
e leadership@bensoc.org.au

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY IN BLACK INK

APPLICANT'S DETAILS

First names _____

Surname _____

Preferred names _____

Date of birth / / Female Male

Your employer _____

Job title _____

Work address _____

Postcode _____

Telephone _____

Facsimile _____

Mobile _____

Work email _____

Home address _____

Postcode _____

Telephone Facsimile _____

Personal email _____

Preferred contact address Work Home

Where did you hear about Sydney Leadership? _____

PLEASE TYPE YOUR RESPONSES TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS AND ATTACH TO THIS APPLICATION.

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1. Employment

- a) Tell us about your current position and its key responsibilities.
- b) Provide a summary of your employment background – list the main positions held, organisations you have worked for, highlight achievements and include major career changes.

2. Education

- a) What is your educational background? Please include any degrees (with dates), research papers, publications.

3. Community involvement

- a) Provide a list of community, civic, religious or other volunteer organisations in which you have been involved, listing official positions held.
- b) Please outline innovative approaches you have initiated, or participated in, in the community arena and/or in tackling social issues.

4. Society issues

- a) Describe the kind of society you want to live in and help to create.
- b) What is a significant social issue you feel strongly about? How would you like to exercise leadership on this issue?

5. Leadership

Give an example of where you think leadership has effectively been exercised in our community. What do you think made it effective?

6. Reasons for applying and your contribution

- a) What are the reasons for your application to Sydney Leadership?
- b) What are your expectations of the program?

7. Commitment to program

Your ability to commit yourself to attending the entire program is a vital element of the selection criteria. Describe your strategy to ensure that this commitment will be satisfied.

8. Cost of program

The cost of the program includes a personal contribution of \$900+GST and a \$16,000+GST contribution from your employer or sponsor. Has your employer approved the full cost of the program? If not, what is your strategy to secure funds?

9. Scholarships

If you are applying for a scholarship please provide us with a full rationale for this application and any relevant circumstances that may affect our decision. Please note all decisions on scholarships and funding will be made by a program committee and it is unusual for a full scholarship to be approved.

PERSONAL COMMITMENT

I understand the goals and the time commitments of Sydney Leadership. If selected, I will participate in all activities outlined in the program information and the 2011 timetable. I also understand that on completion I will graduate and become an active member of the Social Leadership Alumni Network.

Applicant's signature _____

Date _____

EMPLOYER'S AGREEMENT

(To be signed by the applicant's CEO, Departmental Head or Board Chairperson)

The applicant has my full support to participate in Sydney Leadership. I am aware of and approve the time commitment as stated in the program information.

Name _____

Title _____

Organisation _____

Signature _____

Date _____

