

LewisFellows

2017-2018 Cohort Application

The Lewis Fellows program provides an intensive post-graduate leadership development opportunity for young clergy conducted in a cohort setting. Applications to the program must be submitted online by March 31, 2017.

The questions on this form are provided for you to familiarize yourself with the questions and assemble necessary information before completing the online application which can be found at www.churchleadership.com/lewisfellows.

1. Your name as you prefer it to appear in print:
2. Name you prefer to be called by colleagues:
3. Email address:
4. Your denomination:
5. Your clergy status (ordained, commissioned, etc...):
6. Your current congregation(s):
7. Position Title:
8. How long have you served in this setting?
9. Date of birth:

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10. Race/Ethnicity:

- Native American/American Indian/Alaskan Native
- African American/Black
- Asian or Pacific Islander
- Caucasian/White
- Hispanic/Latino
- Multi-Racial
- Other (please specify): _____

11. Preferred mailing address:

12. Preferred telephone number: (indicate if work, cell, home, other)

13. (Optional) Second telephone number: (indicate if work, cell, home, other)

14. College education: (include years of attendance, degrees, and honors earned)

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15. Seminary education: (include years of attendance, degrees, and honors earned)

16. Other graduate degrees (school, year, degree) or special education opportunities you have had since seminary, especially related to leadership development:

17. In 200 or fewer words describe a leadership challenge you faced and addressed in a successful way in your opinion. Use this outline: 1) describe the challenge; 2) brief background; 3) what did you do?; 4) what did you learn?

18. Based on what you know about the Lewis Fellows Program, why do you wish to participate?

19. Is there anything else we should know about you or your ministry that might relate to your Lewis Fellows application?

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20. Please provide the names and email addresses of two potential references in case they are needed. One should come from your current congregation and one from someone in your denomination outside your congregation.

21. Please read and sign the following statement:

I have read the information about the Lewis Fellows Program available at www.churchleadership.com and wish to be considered for participation in an upcoming cohort of the program as described. I am aware of the cost of the program and the dates of the Lewis Fellows meetings in 2017 and 2018, and commit to participating fully should I be accepted as a Fellow.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Thank you for your application! Before submitting this application, please confirm that all the information you provided is accurate and that you have added your name to the top of each page of the application, as well as on the top of any additional pages you are submitting. If submitting via mail, please ensure that all pages of the application are fastened together with a staple or a paperclip. Notifications about acceptance into this program will be issued by **May 1, 2017.**