

2017-18 Ohio Association of Specialist's in Group Work Emerging Leaders Program

The OASGW Emerging Leaders Program was designed to provide graduate counseling students and new professionals early in their careers with cultivating experiences that support leadership skill and competency development, and diverse opportunities to actively participate in OASGW Executive Board meetings, serve on a committee, task force, and/or engage in projects of interest, receive mentorship, build professional networks, and gain exposure to the responsibilities associated with fulfilling elected leadership positions.

Two graduate counseling students (master's or doctoral) and one new professional early in her or his career will be selected as Emerging Leaders to provide a minimum of 25 hours of service to the OASGW during the 2017-2018 term (July, 2017 to July, 2018). Recipients must be an OCA and OASGW member at the time of application submission, and your status (i.e., master, doctoral, or new professional) should be based on your student/graduation status as of January 1, 2017. New professionals must have graduated within the previous year to qualify for the program.

Applicants who have exhibited exceptional leadership potential, and that hold a willingness to serve OASGW in a variety of roles for the betterment of the counseling group profession and the consumers of counseling services are sought.

Interested applicants should submit the following to OASGW at oasgw1@gmail.com **no later than June 4th, 2017:**

1. The OASGW Emerging Leaders application
2. Your curriculum vitae
3. Two letters of recommendation describing your leadership skills and experiences, and reasons why you should be selected to serve as an Emerging Leader

The board will notify applicants of the status of the application by July 31st, 2017

If you have any questions, please contact the current President of OASGW, Staci Buckingham, at stacibuckingham@outlook.com

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Emerging Leaders Application

Directions: Please complete and return the form along with your curriculum vitae/résumé, and two letters of recommendation to oasgw1@gmail.com no later than June 4th, 2017. **Please scan and submit all documents into one single pdf file.** In the email subject line indicate: OASGW Emerging Leader Application

Full Name:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Are you a current OCA and OASGW member?

Please specify which Emerging Leadership Program you are applying for: (Master's student, Doctoral Student, or New Professional). Please note you should complete the form based on your graduation status as of January 1, 2017 (e.g., If you graduate with a doctoral degree in January, 2017, you would indicate you are a new professional, not a doctoral student).

If you are applying for the Master's or Doctoral Emerging Leader, please indicate your university and program area of study.

Master's or Doctoral Degree:

University:

Program area of study:

If you are applying for the New Professional Emerging Leader, please indicate your university or agency affiliation and job title.

University or Agency Affiliation:

Job Title:

Please describe in 750 words or less how the OASGW Emerging Leaders Program will assist you in achieving your professional and leadership goals. Be sure to include specific interest areas within OASGW where you would like to gain experience, your interest in group work, and any past leadership experiences that may inform your ability to serve as an OASGW Emerging Leader.