



Washington DC Metro Area Chapter

Association of Fundraising Professionals  
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**Mentoring Program 2008**

**Mentee Application**  
“Learn, Teach, Do”

The AFP/DC Mentoring Program provides chapter members with one-on-one assistance to enhance their knowledge and skills as development professionals. **Participation as a Mentee is available to members of AFP/DC who have worked as a full-time paid development professional for at least one year.** Participation as a Mentor is available to members of AFP/DC with demonstrated expertise in fundraising. CFRE certification is preferred for Mentors, who receive 10 points toward CFRE certification or recertification. Participation is contingent upon the identification of an appropriate match. Mentorships take place for one year, with the details of the interaction determined by the Mentor and Mentee. A mentorship typically involves monthly contact. While there is no charge for this membership benefit, at the conclusion of the mentorship, both parties are asked to submit an evaluation of the mentorship. The Mentoring Program is not intended to substitute for formal consulting services. AFP/DC encourages the hiring of professional counsel for institutional development.

**I seek to build my skills in fundraising through personal interaction with a volunteer Mentor for one year, and will report to AFP/DC at the conclusion of the mentorship.**

**Mr. Ms. Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Employer:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**AFP Membership Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Years in Development:** \_\_\_\_\_

**1) With what type of organization do you currently work?**

Health       Education       Grassroots Advocacy       Environmental  
 Arts       Religious       Social Services       Animal Rights  
 International       Human Rights       Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**2) Choose and rate the top 3 areas in which you would like to receive mentoring (1 = top priority)::**

Direct Mail       Capital Campaigns       Major Gifts       Planned Gifts  
 Annual Fund       Membership       Corporations       Foundations  
 Small Shops       Special Events       Publications       Media Relations  
 Board Relations       Volunteer Management       Work Colleague Relations  
 Other : \_\_\_\_\_

**3) Skills/knowledge you hope to gain from this program:**

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