

Application & Participant Agreement -- #579**Selection Process**

- Select attorneys representing geographical, racial, gender, and private/public law practice.
- Admit maximum of 30 participants and a minimum of 20.
- Receive completed application form/participant agreement by deadline date.
- Letter of recommendation from an attorney or judge outlining why applicant should be selected to attend this leadership academy. Letter must be received by application deadline.
- Applicant may apply in subsequent years for future academies if not accepted.
- The selection committee consists of the Bar Leadership Academy Steering Committee and the KCMBA Executive Director.

Registration Fee

The registration fee is \$495 for members. Non-member registration fee is \$595, which will provide one year membership to the KCMBA following the completion of the academy. Registration fees are due after selection and prior to September 17, 2010.

Special Needs

If you need special accommodations, please contact KCMBA prior to the program date. Phone (816)474-4322 or email kmcwhorter@kcmba.org or ehaberkorn@kcmba.org.

Cancellation

Before September 13, 2010 refunds will be issued less a \$75 administrative fee; after September 13, 2010, no refunds will be made.

Application Submission and Deadline

Application form and letter of recommendation must be received by KCMBA by **5 p.m. on Friday September 3, 2010**. Applicants will be notified of the Selection Committee's decisions on or before, Friday, September 10, 2010.

Please print or type and retain a copy for your files.

Member

Non-Member

Last Name First Name Middle Initial

Name (as you wish it to appear on your name badge, if different from above)

Firm Title/Position

Mailing Address

City State Zip Email (required)

Work Phone Mobile Phone Fax

I understand that pursuant to my acceptance into the KCMBA Bar Leadership Academy, I am committing myself to two (2) full day sessions, one (1) week-end (Friday noon to Saturday noon) retreat, and three (3) half-day sessions (a total of six (6) sessions), community service projects, and board internships. I acknowledge that my supervisor and I understand the time commitment required as an active participant and alumnus of the KCMBA Bar Leadership Academy.

Participant Signature

Date

Supervisor Signature

Date

Education:

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List Organizations and/or Leadership Involvement:

Briefly describe your leadership attributes:

How do you plan to use the knowledge gained as a result of this experience within your practice and within the community?

Why should you be chosen for this program?

Send Completed Application Form and Letter of Recommendation to:

***Kelli McWhorter, Director Membership Services
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