



THE WILDLIFE SOCIETY

Leaders in Wildlife Science, Management and Conservation

2020 TWS Leadership Institute Application

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 16, 2020

Requirements for Leadership Institute Participants:

- Must hold current membership with The Wildlife Society and a chapter or section of TWS
- Participation in the Leadership Institute is geared towards early-career professionals who are 2 to 3 years out of school, currently working full-time in a wildlife professional position, and have demonstrated evidence of their leadership potential

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Submit the following application materials in one PDF to leadership@wildlife.org:
 - Completed Leadership Institute application form
 - Cover letter with evidence of leadership capacity or potential, such as previous leadership in TWS organization units or in other organizations
 - Resume including a list of publications, awards, etc.
 - Academic transcript(s)
 - An essay (1000 word limit), which succinctly summarizes 1) your concept of leadership, 2) your aspiration for your engagement with TWS and the wildlife profession in 5 to 10 years, and 3) why you are an ideal candidate for the Leadership Institute
- Have two letters of recommendation sent from supervisors, academic advisors, professors, or others with whom you have worked and who are familiar with your previous and potential leadership, history and commitment to TWS, and commitment to wildlife management and conservation.
 - Letters should be sent directly to leadership@wildlife.org with the subject line "Leadership Institute Recommendation for [applicant last name]".

GENERAL INFORMATION

FIRST NAME:

MIDDLE:

LAST:

**MAILING
ADDRESS:**

PHONE NUMBER:

EMAIL:

EDUCATION

List all post-secondary degrees earned, starting with the least recent, and submit official transcripts showing conferral of each degree.

INSTITUTION	DEGREE (B.S., M.S., etc.)	DATE CONFERRED (MM/YYYY)	MAJOR	GPA
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

CURRENT EMPLOYER:

CURRENT TITLE:

YEARS OF FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT (POST-GRADUATION):

ARE YOU CURRENTLY CERTIFIED THROUGH THE WILDLIFE SOCIETY?

Yes

No

Associate Wildlife Biologist®

If no, have you submitted such an application to TWS?

Yes

No

Certified Wildlife Biologist®

TWS MEMBERSHIPS

THE WILDLIFE SOCIETY	YEARS (e.g. 1998-2006)	POSITIONS HELD/YEARS (IF ANY)
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CHAPTER/STUDENT CHAPTER	YEARS (e.g. 1998-2006)	POSITIONS HELD/YEARS (IF ANY)
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SECTION	YEARS (e.g. 1998-2006)	POSITIONS HELD/YEARS (IF ANY)
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Provide information on any additional engagement with TWS (committee memberships, working group involvement, etc.).

DECLARATION

Have you in your past activities complied with the [Code of Ethics](#) and the Standards for Professional Conduct of The Wildlife Society?

Yes No

Yes No

I hereby declare that I have read and understand the Code of Ethics and the Standards for Professional Conduct of The Wildlife Society and I agree to abide by them.

Signature

Date