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Unity Institute, through outstanding higher education, develops ministers and other leaders who live spiritual principles and inspire transformation.

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE - DO NOT STAPLE MATERIALS

Personal Information

Name Last name First name Middle name
Preferred First Name Social Security Number
Current Address Permanent address
City/Town City/Town
State Zip Code State Zip Code
Country Country
Day Telephone Permanent Telephone
Evening Telephone Effective From to
Cell Telephone E-mail
Other Names Used Date of Birth

Educational Background

List chronologically all accredited colleges, universities, professional and graduate institutions attended. Attach an additional sheet of paper if more space is required.

Table with 5 columns: Institution, Degree, Date of Graduation, Dates Attended, Major/Minor

College honors and/or extracurricular activities:

Blank lines for college honors and/or extracurricular activities

Note: It is your responsibility to request that each institution attended send official transcripts directly to the Registrar, Unity Institute at the address listed above.

Employment

Please list all previous employment beginning with current, or most recent, position. Attach an additional sheet of paper if more space is required.

Current Occupation and Employer _____ Date(s) of Employment _____

Work address _____
Street City/Town State Zip Code

Former Occupation and Employer _____ Date(s) of Employment _____

Work address _____
Street City/Town State Zip Code

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I request admission into the following program:

- Master of Divinity
- Master of Arts in Religious Studies
- Certificate in Unity Ministry
- Non-Degree/Non-Credit
- Non-Degree/Credit

I will begin studies (month and year):

Full-time or Part-time:

Promotional Materials

From time to time, candid, posed or staged photographs and/or videos of students are taken. All applicants are required to release Unity Institute from any and all claims so that these photos and/or videos may be used, at the discretion of Unity Institute, in promotional materials such as publications, brochures and press releases. My signature below releases Unity Institute from any and claims arising from use of photos/and or videos.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

By signing I certify that the information provided in this application and any attached documents is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any omissions or falsifications may result in the withdrawal of a decision to accept me. I also understand that my application materials, once submitted, become the property of Unity Institute and will not be returned or photocopied. My signature below acknowledges that I waive my right to inspect any reference letters submitted on behalf of my application.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Optional Information: This information will be used only in accordance with Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972.

Female Male

Predominant Racial/Ethnic Background
American Indian or Alaskan Native
Asian/Pacific Islander
Black/Non-Hispanic

Hispanic
White/Non-Hispanic
Other (Specify)

Are you a veteran? Yes No

Are you a U.S. citizen? Yes No If not, country of citizenship: _____

This information is requested to monitor Unity Institute's commitment to equal opportunity.

Unity Institute does not discriminate on the basis of age, race, national or ethnic origin, religion, disability, gender or sexual orientation in any of its policies, procedures, practices, admissions or activities.

Application Check List

These items are required to complete your application. Your application will not be processed until we have received these items with non-refundable application fee.

Master of Divinity

- _____ Completed and signed application.
- _____ Signed Copy of the Unity Institute Code of Conduct.
- _____ Official transcripts must be mailed directly to Unity Institute from all colleges/universities attended.
- _____ Statement of Information (typed essay) of no more than 1000 words to include:
 - 1) Brief autobiographical sketch;
 - 2) Reasons for seeking admission into the program;
 - 3) What the applicant hopes to achieve from the program;
 - 4) How the applicant expects to use the degree in the future.
- _____ Nonrefundable application fee of \$50.00 payable to Unity Institute.
- _____ Letters of Reference must be mailed directly to Unity Institute from:
 - 1) Minister or spiritual leader of applicant's church
 - 2) Academic recommendation or Personal reference (non-family member)
 - 3) Personal reference (non-family member)

Master of Arts in Religious Studies

- _____ Completed and signed application.
- _____ Signed Copy of the Unity Institute Code of Conduct.
- _____ Official transcripts must be mailed directly to Unity Institute from all colleges/universities attended.
- _____ Statement of Information (typed essay) of no more than 1000 words to include:
 - 1) Brief autobiographical sketch;
 - 2) Reasons for seeking admission into the program;
 - 3) What the applicant hopes to achieve from the program;
 - 4) How the applicant expects to use the degree in the future.
- _____ Nonrefundable application fee of \$50.00 payable to Unity Institute.
- _____ Letters of Reference must be mailed directly to Unity Institute from:
 - 1) Minister or spiritual leader of applicant's church
 - 2) Personal recommendation (non-family member)
 - 3) Personal recommendation (non-family member)

Certificate in Unity Ministry

- _____ Acceptance into Association of Unity Churches International Licensing & Ordination path.
- _____ Completed and signed application.
- _____ Signed Copy of the Unity Institute Code of Conduct.
- _____ Evidence of Academic Demonstration approval.
- _____ Statement of Information (typed essay) of no more than 1000 words to include:
 - 1) Brief autobiographical sketch;
 - 2) Reasons for seeking admission into the program;
 - 3) What the applicant hopes to achieve from the program;
 - 4) How the applicant expects to use the degree in the future.
- _____ Nonrefundable application fee of \$50.00 payable to Unity Institute.
- _____ One (1) Letter of Academic or Personal recommendation mailed directly to Unity Institute.

Non-Degree/Non-Credit –OR- Non-Degree/Credit Seeking

- _____ Completed and signed application.
- _____ Signed copy of Unity Institute Code of Conduct.
- _____ Official transcripts must be mailed directly to Unity Institute from all colleges/universities attended.
- _____ Nonrefundable application fee of \$50.00 payable to Unity Institute.



Unity Institute Code of Conduct

I. Dedication to Spiritual Principles

- ❖ I act in a dignified manner, which models the high standards of someone following a spiritual path, guided by wisdom and good judgment.
- ❖ Prayer is a central part of my spiritual practice.
- ❖ I live by principles compatible with the Unity way of life.

II. Relationship with others

- ❖ I am responsible for maintaining respectful interactions with others.
- ❖ I maintain healthy boundaries, which includes acting in a sexually appropriate manner.
- ❖ I respect other points of view.
- ❖ I hold sacred all confidences given to me.
- ❖ I communicate honestly and compassionately with others.
- ❖ My behavior follows the legal and ethical standards of the community in which I live.

III. Honoring myself

- ❖ I practice healthy spiritual, psychological, and physical self-care.
- ❖ I am teachable.
- ❖ I speak my truth with kindness.
- ❖ I engage in self-exploration.

IV. Relationship with Unity Institute

- ❖ My conduct reflects the mission and values of Unity Institute.
- ❖ I adhere to ethical academic practices.
- ❖ In the classroom I act in a manner that is considerate of others.
- ❖ I honor appointments and time schedules.
- ❖ I am responsible for my part in building community consciousness within Unity Institute.

Signed: _____

Date: _____