

PROVIDER APPLICATION

*For those Leadership Development providers requesting a GRANT from the
WNCC Leadership Development Team*

The WNC Conference seeks to undergird the leadership development of its clergy and ministry professionals by securing outstanding learning opportunities that will contribute toward ministerial effectiveness. In order to support the growing fruitfulness of our ministry leaders, we seek high quality, innovative providers to offer accessible leadership resources and training. The WNC Conference seeks to offer such opportunities at an affordable cost to participants. Providers may be individuals or organizations. Note that the fiscal year begins January 1. **Grant applications must be submitted by April 6, 2018.**

Date:

Name(s) of Provider/Organization for whom a Grant is being requested:

Person submitting application – Title and Contact Information: *(Phone, Email, and Address)*

Total amount requested from the Leadership Development Team:

What is the name of the Program or Event? (Please attach complete description of the Program or Event, date, also include objectives, duration, instructor and instructor's credentials, and website).

What is the total price *per participant*?

Amount *per participant* requested from the Leadership Development Team?

What are other sources and amounts of funds have been requested to defray the cost for participants?
Have any of those sources committed to providing funds?

Is this a currently existing program?

If currently existing, what is some concrete evidence of its leadership development effectiveness?

How will the potential participants be notified of the opportunity and how will participants be chosen?

Has the Provider previously received funds from the Leadership Development Team? If so, please provide details.

To Whom will the Check be Made Payable?

Sponsoring organization and Contact Information (if applicable):

Is there any other information that would be helpful for the Leadership Development Team as it considers this request?

Additional materials or brochures describing the opportunity may be included with this application.

If funding is granted, the Provider will be expected to submit a follow-up report that includes the way in which the grant helped develop leadership effectiveness, a course syllabus, and list of attendees.

Your signature indicates agreement that an evaluation form (provided by WNCC) will be returned to the Leadership Development Team within 30 days of the completion of the program.

Signature:

Date:

Important Information

Application needs to be submitted by April 6, 2018. Notification and payment will be by June 15. Please provide a brief "FaceBook" type article suitable for publishing which highlights your program. This may be used in WNCC media and publications.

Grant monies can only be used for the event described in the timeframe indicated in this application.

Please submit this form (and supporting materials) to:

Rev. Kim Ingram, LDT Grants, WNCCUMC, PO Box 18005, Charlotte, NC 28218 or kingram@wnccumc.org

Providers,

Please be mindful that the following criteria are considered during the reviewing of grants and that the majority of grants awarded are under \$9000.

1. Will the grant grow the capacity of the provider? Will it enhance and enlarge the provider's capability to offer leadership development?
2. Does the grant address one of the areas for leadership growth in the WNC Conference? Current priorities include: the ministry professional as chief lay leadership developer; vision development and implementation; deepening spirituality; initiating and managing change, and communication and proclamation
3. Has this provider received funds before and if so, have they submitted a grant evaluation?
4. Does the provider have access to another funding source? Are they aligned with another area of ministry within the conference?
5. Does this grant fund a new initiative in the conference?