



**Indiana University of Pennsylvania
PASSHE INSTITUTE
LEADERSHIP AWARD**

Thank you for your interest in the PASSHE Women's Consortium Leadership Institute Award. Up to two undergraduate students will be selected for this award and invited to attend the 26th Annual Women's Leadership Institute.

Description of Leadership Institute:

PASSHE Women's Consortium 26th Annual Undergraduate Women's Leadership Institute

The Leadership Institute for Undergraduate Women provides a forum for the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education to nurture the leadership potential of women students. It creates an experience that empowers women as leaders, challenges women to realize their full potential as leaders, and connects women with other women who are committed to social change.

Dates: The Institute will take place during the summer. The actual date is to be determined.

Location: The location of the Institute is to be determined.

Cost: Student participant cost is provided by the President's Commission on the Status of Women and the Center for Student Life. These costs include lodging, meals, and educational materials. Participants are responsible for transportation to and from the Institute, as well as personal expenses incurred during the week.

Women are chosen for this honor by the Selection Committee according to their cumulative grade point average, the nominating letter of support, and the information submitted on the enclosed application.

Qualifications for this award include the following:

Freshman, sophomore, or junior

Strong academic achievement

Cocurricular activity, community service, and leadership skills

Have at least one year remaining at IUP

*Please complete the following application and obtain one (1) letter of support from the reference person of your choice. Please note that this **application and letter of support** must be returned to the Women's Programs office, located in the Center for Health and Well-Being, Suites on Maple East, G-59, by **4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 5, 2014.***

For more information, please contact us by emailing womens-programs@iup.edu.



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NAME: _____ BANNER ID: _____

CAMPUS ADDRESS: _____

CAMPUS PHONE: _____

CLASS STANDING: Freshman Sophomore Junior

MAJOR: _____ CUMULATIVE GPA: _____

ANTICIPATED GRADUATION DATE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

“All information provided on this application is true and complete. The Women’s Programs office has my permission to provide cumulative grade point average to members of the Selection Committee for the purpose of evaluating my application. The Selection Committee also has my permission to verify any information included on my application.

The Women’s Programs office will not accept incomplete applications. I understand that for this application to be considered complete, it must be accompanied by a letter of support from a member of the IUP faculty, staff, administration, or community. The letter of support must be submitted with this application.

The application and letter of support must be returned to the Women’s Programs office, located in the Center for Health and Well-Being, Suites on Maple East, G-59 no later than 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 5, 2014. The application will be disqualified if not completed and submitted by the deadline. It is my responsibility to ensure timely submission of the application and reference form to the Women’s Programs office.”

Applicant’s signature

Date

Please type your response to the following request for information (use additional paper as necessary):

1.) Please list the campus and community organizations with which you have been active while attending IUP. Identify any current and former leadership positions you have held, and the dates that you participated in these organizations.

2.) Please concisely describe why you are interested in attending the PASSHE Women's Consortium Leadership Institute for Undergraduate Women, and what you expect to gain from participation in the institute.

3.) Please describe your interest in public policy and/or advocacy for women's rights.

4.) Program participants are required to develop and implement a leadership project to serve the campus or local community. This service project will draw upon your areas of interest and skills. Briefly describe a potential project that you would consider pursuing that falls within your areas of interest or would require any specific skills that you possess (e.g.: visual or performing arts, public relations, public speaking, business and marketing, etc.).