



# Service Learning Associate Application

Applications Accepted on a Rolling Basis Until Filled

**About Service Learning Associates (SLA):** The Service Learning Associates program is designed to get students and faculty into working relationships to effectively support and utilize community partnerships in learning. DU students who have completed at least one service learning course are eligible to become an SLA and work with faculty members who are teaching service learning courses. SLAs assist SL Faculty in the planning, implementation and assessment of service learning courses. For more information, please visit <http://www.du.edu/ccesl/learning/associates.html>.

**Application Instructions:** Submit this completed application form and the answers to the 'getting to know you' questions to Cara DiEnno at [Cara.DiEnno@du.edu](mailto:Cara.DiEnno@du.edu) or Driscoll South Suite 22. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis until all positions are filled.

## Part I: Personal Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Banner ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Major/Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Year (please circle): *First Second Third Fourth Grad*

In what academic fields would you be interest in being an SLA (if you have no preference, please state 'no preference')?

Did a faculty member suggest you apply to the SLA program? Yes No  
If yes, please list the faculty member here: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan to use your Federal Work Award (i.e. work study, if applicable) or volunteer? *\*\*A modest stipend may be available to volunteers in the amount of \$400 per quarter – these are allocated on a first come first served basis as SLAs are hired.*

- \_\_\_\_\_ Federal Work Award
- \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteer (are you interested in being considered for a stipend? \_\_\_\_\_)

### During which quarter(s) are you interested/available to serve as an SLA:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Fall Quarter (if you have already spoken to a faculty member about serving in his/her course, please list the faculty member and course here: \_\_\_\_\_)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Winter Quarter (if you have already spoken to a faculty member about serving in his/her course, please list the faculty member and course here: \_\_\_\_\_)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Spring Quarter (if you have already spoken to a faculty member about serving in his/her course, please list the faculty member and course here: \_\_\_\_\_)

## Part II: Getting to Know You – Please respond to the following questions.

### 1) Service and Service Learning (300 words):

- Describe your experience with community service and service learning during your time at DU.
- Describe your experience with critical reflection of community-engaged learning and/or service.

### 2) Becoming an SLA (400 words):

- Why do you want to be an SLA?
- What strengths do you bring to the program?
- Describe your experience building partnerships and working in teams.
- Describe how you would be a leader and role model for students in the course(s) you would serve as an SLA?

### 3) Working with Faculty (300 words):

- Give an example of how you have worked in collaboration with faculty in the past.
- How would you approach and resolve a conflict with a faculty member?