

# BELMONT AMBASSADORS

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*The Official Hosts & Hostesses of Belmont University*

- 2017-2018 Ambassador Application -

## Check List:

- Fill out the attached application (front & back) and return to the Foutch Alumni House by **4 PM on Friday, March 3, 2017**. Keep this page for your reference.
- Identify one faculty/staff reference and have him/her complete the attached Reference Form and return to the Foutch Alumni House in a sealed envelope by **4 PM on Friday, March 3, 2017**.
- Submit a headshot photo with your application. We like to match faces with names!

## Selection Process:

This application is the first step in our screening process. After initial screening, interviews will be given and conducted. You will be emailed to confirm your interview date and time (provide accurate email address below). Please direct any questions to the Office of Alumni Relations at 615-460-6723 or The Belmont Ambassadors Executive Officers at [ambassadors@belmont.edu](mailto:ambassadors@belmont.edu). Thank you for your interest!

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## - Eligibility & Mission -

### **You are eligible to apply if you...**

...are a full-time Belmont student who has completed 1 full semester

...have a minimum 3.0 GPA.

...love your school and desire to serve it well

...find 1 faculty/staff reference to complete the Reference Form in this Application. (Due by **4 PM Friday, March 3, 2017**)

...have read and understood this application in its entirety.

## **THE BELMONT AMBASSADORS HISTORY**

The Belmont Ambassadors organization was founded in 1998 as a dream of the Office of the President, University Advancement, and Alumni Relations. It was established to give students a chance to build their community and enhance their time at Belmont. An example of some of the events you work as an Ambassador have included, but are not limited to: Trustee meetings, Christmas at Belmont, President's Concert, Homecoming, Ward-Belmont Reunion, VIP functions with major donors, Community Service, and 50-Year Reunions. Belmont Ambassadors are the official hosts and hostesses of the University.

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

*Belmont Ambassadors* is the student organization representing the Belmont University Alumni Association. The Belmont Ambassadors' goal is to nurture strong relationships between current students (alumni-in-residence), alumni, and their alma mater. This is accomplished through events and programs and through efforts by the Belmont Ambassadors that demonstrate student support for the University.

## **OUR COMMITMENT**

The *Belmont Ambassadors* sets itself apart through its unselfish commitment to Belmont University. Our members are dedicated to service and live out that motto by giving of our time and energy to any worthy effort that advances the welfare of Belmont for present and future generations. We embody the spirit of Belmont, and, during our student years, we seek to exemplify active future alumni involvement for the entire Belmont family.

## **THE BELMONT AMBASSADORS CREED**

We believe that as students, we have a special relationship with our alma mater that represents a mutual lifetime commitment to the fulfillment of our dreams and aspirations and those of Belmont University. We are the focus of the mission of Belmont. As alumni, we will represent the result of Belmont's mission and the embodiment of her spirit in the world. What Belmont is, we are; what Belmont becomes, we become. Because we are the emerging embodiment of Belmont, we will strive to enhance the special relationship between students, alumni, and friends so that Belmont's heritage will always be a part of our lives, for the present as we follow our dreams, and after graduation as we make them come true. We will do anything and everything for Belmont, and that is our every wish!

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**AMBASSADORS**

- Application -

**APPLICATIONS ARE DUE by 4 PM, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2, 2016.**

*\*\*Please print or type applicable information\*\**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name (Include maiden name if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Semesters at BU (Include Present) \_\_\_\_\_ Other Universities Attended \_\_\_\_\_

Classification \_\_\_\_\_ Major \_\_\_\_\_

Please list your GPA (must be a 3.0 or higher to apply) \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

Primary E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ Is this your 1<sup>st</sup> time to apply? *CIRCLE: YES NO*

Address (Indicate Preferred)

Campus Mailing \_\_\_\_\_

Home (Permanent) Mailing \_\_\_\_\_

Hometown (City/State) \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date (MM/DD/YYYY) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty/Staff Reference (List Name & Department -- *You are responsible for getting him/her the Reference Form*):

\_\_\_\_\_

What are your three favorite things about Belmont? \_\_\_\_\_

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Organizations/Groups/Activities you are currently involved in and any leadership role you currently hold: \_\_\_\_\_

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Why are you applying to be a Belmont Ambassador? \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please list awards/recognitions you have received: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Serving as a Belmont Ambassador requires a time and service commitment to the University and involves new responsibilities. Please consider your current and upcoming school and work schedule when reading the following statements.**

I understand that, if selected, I must attend and participate in all training sessions, monthly meetings, and assigned Belmont functions.      *CIRCLE:*      **YES**      **NO**

I understand that, if selected, I must maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA and abide by the guidelines for the organization.      *CIRCLE:*      **YES**      **NO**

**Did a current Belmont Ambassador refer you?** *CIRCLE:* **YES**      **NO**      **If yes, member name** \_\_\_\_\_

**I certify that the information herein is accurate to the best of my knowledge. You have my permission to verify any and all information I have listed.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*Thank you for your application!*

**For Office of Alumni Relations use only**

Date Received \_\_\_\_\_

Interview Time \_\_\_\_\_

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- Reference Form -

**REFERENCES ARE DUE BY 4 PM, FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 2017**

NAME OF APPLICANT: \_\_\_\_\_

You have been selected as a reference by the applicant listed above, who is applying to become a Belmont Ambassador for the 2017-2018 academic year. If selected, he/she will serve as an official Belmont University host/hostess and will be a representative to alumni, potential donors, special guests, trustees, BU students, faculty, and staff.

Qualities we look for in a Belmont Ambassador include leadership ability, maturity, dependability, and a strong sense of pride in the University. We appreciate your cooperation in completing the questions below with candid responses regarding your personal knowledge and insight about the candidate.

Please return your completed form in a sealed envelope to the Foutch Alumni House, Attn: Belmont Ambassadors Advisor by **4 PM on Friday, March 3, 2017**.

Please rate the applicant on the following skills/qualities:	<i>Rating</i>				
	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	N/A
Communication Skills	4	3	2	1	X
Leadership Ability	4	3	2	1	X
Demonstration of School Pride	4	3	2	1	X
Dependability	4	3	2	1	X
Responsibility	4	3	2	1	X
Displays Positive Attitude	4	3	2	1	X
Respect for Others	4	3	2	1	X
Ability to Set Priorities	4	3	2	1	X
Maturity/Professionalism	4	3	2	1	X
Personal Appearance	4	3	2	1	X

*-Reference Form- (continued)*

In what ways have you known this applicant and for how long? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

What are your personal insights and general comments regarding this applicant? \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature** **Date**

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Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ Reference # \_\_\_\_\_