

The Commonwealth Seminar

Opening the Doors of Government to Everyone

Yes!... I want to apply for placement in the Commonwealth Seminar. I intend to actively participate in the Seminar and will attempt to make every session.

Name:

Date:

- **Professional Affiliation:**

- **Other Affiliations in the Community (please list chronologically):**

- **Home Mailing Address and Phone:**

- **Work Mailing Address and Phone (if applicable):**

- **Mobile Phone and Email Address:**

- **Social Media info (e.g., Facebook/Twitter/Instagram.... *Optional*):**

- **Would you require translation to participate in the Seminar?** Yes No

Please Explain/Language:

Seminar Contribution:

I will pay the Seminar Fee. I understand that there is a **\$125 organizational fee** for the seminar, or **\$60 if there is no organizational sponsor**.

I need to request a waiver from the fee for financial reasons.

- **Do you have specific dietary needs/requests?** Explain (vegetarian, no dairy, etc.):

- **How did you find out about the seminar (past graduate, website, etc.)?**

- **Please List your:** State Senator

State Representative

(Please Do Not Guess. If you do not know, your city or town clerk can tell you, or visit:
<http://www.wheredoivotema.com/bal/myelectioninfo.php>).

Submit your application via email to application@masscs.org.
Application Deadline: Monday, January 22nd, 2018 at 6:00 p.m.

1. Please provide a brief biography. You may attach your biography or a resume.
2. Why would you be interested in participating in the Commonwealth Seminar? What would be your personal goals in joining the class? Please respond in 200 words or less.
3. Please describe any leadership roles you have taken in the community, whether it is being involved with a political campaign, a church, neighborhood associations, or other organizations. Please respond in 200 words or less.
4. The Commonwealth Seminar is intended as a resource for leaders from communities of color, immigrant groups, or individuals <i>directly</i> working to benefit those communities. Please describe how you fall into the target audience for the seminar, because this will be an important factor in our admissions decisions. Please respond in 50 words or less.

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5. What specific topics/issues/subjects would you be interested in learning more about?

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Seminar Classes are scheduled for the following Wednesdays:

- **Wednesday, January 31st - 5:30pm -**
- **February 7th - 3:15pm -**
- **February 14th - 5:30pm -**
- **February 21st - 5:30pm -**
- **February 28th - 5:30pm -**
- **March 7th (Graduation) - 3:15pm -**

Location in Boston, TBA

(IMPORTANT NOTE: Times & Locations subject to change, pending venue & presenter availability)

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