

Please attach a separate piece of paper that addresses the following three areas:

1. Tell us about your interests, talents and hobbies.
2. Please tell us your expectations of the program.
What do you hope to gain by participating?
3. Why would you like to be a mentor?

Statement of Intent

By signing this form, I agree to the following:

1. I will attend the mentor training workshop and retreat for both mentors and mentees.
2. I will keep in regular contact with my mentee (at least once a week).
3. I will contact the mentoring office if I begin to have problems related to my mentee.
4. I will notify the mentoring office if I am not satisfied with my mentoring relationship.
5. I have at least a 2.5 GPA.
6. I am at least a sophomore status (30+ hours)

My signature below represents an awareness of my commitment and responsibilities to my mentee and the LINC mentorship program.

Signature

Date

Return application to:

Multicultural Student Programs
51 Holmes Student Center
800 South Tucker Drive
Tulsa, OK 74104



Above and below: LINC Members with University of Tulsa President Steadman Upham

LINC'S MISSION

Leader's Incorporated (LINC) was started four years ago and has been recognized as one of The University of Tulsa's Top Ten Organizations. Our goal is to offer current students a great opportunity to get involved and share their experiences and the knowledge they have gained from college life with incoming minority students. We want to help new minority students become involved on campus, by developing and enhancing their leadership skills, so that they can be successful students. We believe it is important to build a foundation of peer support that will help minority students transition into the college environment, while providing them the tools essential for success at TU.



LINC

LEADERS

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A peer-based mentoring program
dedicated to helping incoming
minority students become
successful students

MENTOR

MENTORS

LINC's mentor program is designed to build a solid foundation of peer support that will help incoming freshman minority students to more easily transition into the college environment. We need experienced students to stand in as mentors for these incoming students, and offer guidance and support as they adjust to life on campus.

What are the Benefits?

There are several benefits of being a mentor in the LINC program. This is your chance to pass on what you learned as an underclassman to someone else while gaining leadership experience, getting involved on campus, and building your resume.

Working with your Mentee

As a mentor, you will be paired with an incoming freshman minority student. An evening retreat in the fall will allow you to get to know your mentee and begin your LINC experience. You will then meet regularly with your mentee (at least once a week) to provide guidance and advice to any questions or concerns they may have. A faculty member or administrator will also be paired with you to offer additional guidance and support.



John Thao (Management) and Danielle Adamson (Energy Management and Finance)

Educational Programs and Events

You will be given the opportunity to learn and develop valuable skills attending LINC's educational programs with your mentees. These programs highlight important collegiate and professional skills, such as time management, study tips, and how to dress for success. There will also be several off-campus activities planned throughout the year for you and your mentee to enjoy together, such as movie nights at AMC, Laser Quest, and Paintball.



From Left to Right: Jennifer Colin (Accounting), Paige Samuels (Petroleum Engineering), Tekka Brooks (Exercise Sports Science)

Who Qualifies?

Mentor positions are open to any undergraduate or graduate student able to meet the requirements outlined on the attached application. To get involved apply online at www.utulsa.edu/studentaffairs under "Multicultural Programs" or fill out the attached application and return it to Laura Allen, 51 Holmes Student Center, 800 South Tucker Drive, Tulsa, OK 74104. If you have any questions or would like to hear more about our program you can call our office at (918)-631-2327 or send us an e-mail at LINC@utulsa.edu.

LINC Peer Mentor Application*

Name _____

Home Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

Cell _____

On-Campus Address _____

Residence Hall _____

Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

Birthdate: ___/___/___ Gender: ___M ___F

Ethnic Group(s): ___Asian ___Black ___Hispanic

___Native American ___White ___Other

Academic Status: ___Soph ___Junior ___Senior

___Grad Student GPA: _____

Major/Minor(s) _____

Do you speak a foreign language? _____

If yes, please specify _____

***Please see reverse for more.**