

**CTCLDA Leadership Academy**

**Letter of Commitment**

The CTCLDA Leadership Academy is a personal and professional leadership development program that has been developed by members of the CTCLDA Board. The academy is designed to provide employees of Washington state community and technical colleges the opportunity to engage in leadership development training. The curriculum is designed to critically explore different leadership styles and examine organizational and systemic challenges through this new lens. There is a special focus on creating programming and solutions based in a diversity, equity, and inclusion mindset.

The Leadership Academy is a 3-day program that will take place once a quarter at various colleges throughout Washington State. The following items will be the responsibility of the participants:

* Time away from the college to participant in the program
* Travel to each of the three sessions
* Secure lodging for each session
* Some meals based on distance of travel
* Registration Fee of $1,000

It is highly encouraged that participants attend the CTCLDA conferences to maximize development opportunities. The academy will be aligned with the conference for ease of attendance.

This requires a commitment for the member college to assist in the applicant’s ability to participate. To apply to the program, the CTCLDA is requesting that the member college give a statement of commitment for the individuals that apply.

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**Applicants Name (Nominee) Date**

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**Applicants Signature**

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**Supporting Party (Nominator) Date**

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**Supporting Party Signature**

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**Position College**