Migrant Women Mentorship Program (MWMP) 2021

Within the framework of the Feminist Foreign Policy (PEF) that the Mexican Government adopted on January 9 of this year, we identified young women who have the potential to develop professionally but who lack access to services and information. Given this need, the project Migrant Women Mentorship Program (WMP) arises at the Consulate General of Mexico in Houston, conceived as a platform that allows promoting the professional development of new generations of professional women (apprentices) through the mentoring of migrant women (mentors) who have broken the barriers and the impositions of gender, social and cultural, achieving to be recognized in their respective areas and who have also managed to position themselves in positions of power where female participation had been limited.

The MWMP aims to be a support network among women that promotes female empowerment and contributes to eradicating violence against women. Thus, with the purpose of guaranteeing the full and equitable participation of women in all areas of society and favoring that more and more women can access positions of power and decision-making.

THIS CONSULAR REPRESENTATION OF MEXICO IN HOUSTON INVITE

To those young Mexican migrant women endowed with talent and potential to have successful careers in areas related to business, commerce, communication, journalism, political science, law, international relations, cultural management, art or STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics), to be part of the first generation of Migrant Women Mentorship Program and receive professional guidance from one of the mentors participating in this project.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICATION

1. Have Mexican nationality.

2. Be between 16 to 30 years of age. In case of being a minor, to participate in the project you must have the consent of the mother / father or guardians.

3. Be a student at the high school level or higher and have outstanding academic performance. Or, be a professional in the first years of work experience.

4. Have access to electronic devices and internet connection.
OBLIGATIONS OF THE APPRENTICES

i. The women beneficiaries of this project must be genuinely interested in receiving support through mentoring.

ii. Commit to promptly comply with the development of activities organized by your mentor or the Consulate.

iii. Actively participate and have schedule availability according to the project's requirement.

iv. Maintain an attitude of respect towards your mentor, your fellow apprentices, and the Consulate team.

PROCEDURE FOR THE SELECTION PROCESS

Once the Program invitation is published through the official platforms of this Consular representation:

a) Fill out the registration request through the Google form: https://forms.gle/NTifJyaazuWoSQJ39

b) The receipt of applications will be until February 12, 2021. There will be no extension of the registration closing date, so after this date the form will be disabled.

c) After the applications have been received, the Consulate's work team will review the applications to select the apprentices and assign a mentor according to their profile.

d) If the participant is selected, she will receive an acceptance email including the pertinent information to start the mentoring.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE MWM PROGRAM

The MWM program is under development, so in its first call it will only receive applications from Mexican women who currently reside in the Houston area or who have specific plans to move to said city. The support offered consists exclusively of mentoring by empowered women with solid and successful trajectories, provided free of charge and for no reason will money be asked or received from any of those involved.

SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

Any matter not foreseen in this call will be resolved by the team in charge of the MMM project of the Consular representation, in favor of all those involved.

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