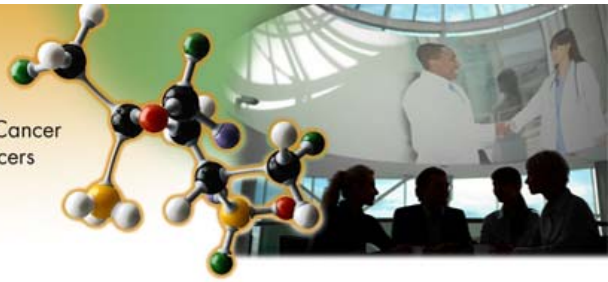




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## **NACCDO Mentorship Program 2017-18**

### **Mentee Application**

Our guiding mission at NACCDO is to relieve the burden of cancer by addressing the needs unique to development officers in its member cancer centers. To this end, we offer our members an opportunity to connect with others in the field throughout the year via our NACCDO Mentorship Program.

**The goal of the NACCDO Mentorship Program is to provide our members with opportunities to grow professionally within their institution and the cancer fundraising field.**

We strive to connect mentors and mentees who share similar career trajectories, career aspirations and work in institutions with similar makeups. This program not only serves early career fundraisers but also those new to cancer center fundraising and those new to a chief fundraiser/manager role.

**Mentees** will benefit from advice, anecdotes and ideas suggested by their assigned mentors. Some examples of projects these pairings may work on together include:

- Help to manage a fundraising pipeline
- Advice on how to work with prospects and faculty
- How to become comfortable making an ask and executing successful asks
- Overcoming common obstacles to success
- Making a strategic career move or decision

#### Ideal profile of a mentee:

- Early career fundraiser (1-3 years in first front-line fundraising position), first Cancer Center fundraising position, OR first position as lead fundraiser/manager
- Interest in and/or a strong commitment to a career in cancer center fundraising
- Not currently a manager of other front line fundraising staff at their institution
- Desire to grow as a professional
- Has the permission of his or her supervisor to participate in this program
- Commitment to one phone or in person meeting per month.
- Attendance at the 2018 NACCDO conference is requested but not mandatory.
- Commitment to report back to mentor program committee on progress or with any issues/concerns
- Ability to evaluate their own strengths and weaknesses
- Has the support of their supervisor to participate in this program
- Confidentiality is imperative

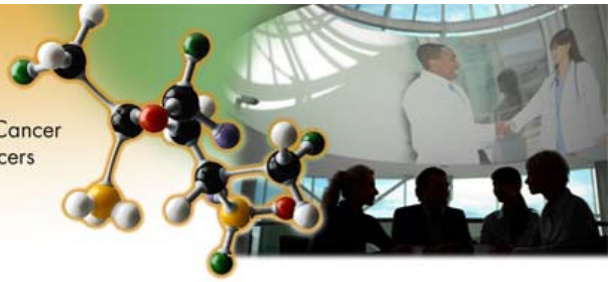
Applications will be due on Friday, May 26, 2017. Matches will be announced in mid June.

*Application Deadline: May 26, 2017*

*Email completed application and resume to: Suzanne Beers at [Suzanne.Beers@fcc.edu](mailto:Suzanne.Beers@fcc.edu)*



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Please complete and return application and a **copy of your resume** by email to [Suzanne.Beers@fcc.edu](mailto:Suzanne.Beers@fcc.edu)  
**by Friday, May 26, 2017**

**Mentee Application Information**

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

I am able to set aside time to meet with my mentor (on phone or in person) at least one a month:  
\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

I plan to attend the 2017 NACCDO Conference in Seattle, WA, March 26-30, 2018: \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No (Not required)

Years in Development (total): \_\_\_\_\_ Years in Cancer Center Development (total): \_\_\_\_\_

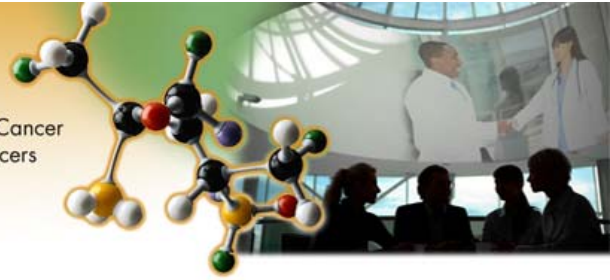
Years at your current position: \_\_\_\_\_

Please give a general overview of your career to date and outline your career aspirations.

Why do you want to be assigned a mentor as part of this program? What are you hoping to gain from your participation as a mentee?



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\_\_\_\_\_ I have read the program details and am committed to participating from June to March and working with my mentor on a regular basis.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand I will have the opportunity to meet my mentor in person at the annual conference if I am able to attend. I am under no obligation to travel to my mentor's location as part of this program.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have the support of my supervisor to serve as a mentor in the NACCDO Mentorship Program from June 2017 to March 2018.

Each Mentor/ Mentee pairing will work on 1-3 goals during your time in this program. What are three specific areas you would like to improve upon as a mentee in this program? Examples are: Grateful patient fundraising, building Faculty relationships, managing a fundraising pipeline, qualification calls and visits, general career development, etc.

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Save as a PDF and email your completed application with a **copy of your resume** to [Suzanne.Beers@fcc.edu](mailto:Suzanne.Beers@fcc.edu) by Friday, May 26, 2017.