

FILM INDEPENDENT

Project:Involve Industry Track Application

Film Independent is now accepting applications for its inaugural Industry Track, a new component of Project:Involve. The new track is geared towards individuals planning to work in the film industry as agents, managers, acquisitions/distribution/development executives, as well as in marketing and entertainment law.

Fellows accepted into the Industry Track will fully participate in Project:Involve with the writers, directors, and producers of the program. All Fellows will be paired one-on-one with a mentor from the film industry, attend filmmaking workshops, community screenings, and receive career development assistance.

Mission Statement

Project:Involve's mission is to increase cultural diversity in the film industry by cultivating the careers of underrepresented filmmakers. Project:Involve promotes and supports filmmaking that reflects the wide spectrum of American culture.

Applicants must meet Project:Involve's goals of increasing diversity in the film industry. Strong consideration will be given to the following applicants:

- Individuals who come from communities severely underrepresented in the film industry.
- Individuals who demonstrate passion, vision, talent, and a commitment to pursuing a career in the industry.
- Individuals who demonstrate a high level of responsibility and professionalism.
- Individuals who are just starting out in their careers.

Deadlines and Requirements

Applications must be postmarked by May 4, 2009 and include the following:

- Two (2) letters of recommendation addressed to Project:Involve;
- A statement of interest, including your professional goals and how you feel you can benefit from Project:Involve (500 words or less);
- A current resume;
- A submission fee made payable to Film Independent.

Submission Fees

- \$55 Film Independent members
- \$75 non-members

Mail all materials to:
Film Independent
Attn: Project:Involve
9911 West Pico Blvd., 11th Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90035

Sample work may be requested from all finalists (please DO NOT submit sample work unless requested).
Early submissions are encouraged.

**Postmark Deadline
May 4, 2009**

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Today's Date _____
First name _____ Birthdate _____
Last name _____ Male Female
Address _____ City _____
State _____ Zip Code _____ Email _____
Phone: Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____

How did you hear about Project:Involve? Please be specific. _____
What days/times are you available for meetings or workshops? _____
Occupation _____ Name of Employer/School _____
Work Schedule _____
If you are a student, what is your major? _____ Anticipated Date of Graduation _____
Have you ever applied to P:I before? If so, when? _____
Film Independent Membership # (if applicable) _____

Film Industry Experience:

Film School Business/Marketing Internship
 Other _____

Primary Career Interest *Please check only one.*

Acquisitions Distribution Marketing
 Agent Entertainment Law Manager
 Development Other (please describe) _____

Statistical Information *Please indicate which of the following you identify with.*

African American Native American Asian American Pacific Islander Latino/Chicano
 GLBT Middle Eastern Other (please describe) _____

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