

**Miner Ambassador Application:**

Miner Ambassadors are a group of students who represent UTEP and serve as official hosts at University events. Miner Ambassadors are selected based on a rigid set of criteria and serve for two years. Selected students will be interviewed by the Miner Ambassador Advisory Board.

Applications are due by 5 p.m. on Monday, March 3, 2014 to the Office of Alumni Relations in the Peter and Margaret de Wetter Center. Please type application in 12 point font.

To be eligible for consideration, students must meet the following criteria:

1. Have a minimum **3.2** grade point average
2. Submit this application and a 500 word statement as to why you would like to be a Miner Ambassador
3. Show involvement, service and leadership on campus and/or in the community
4. Provide three (3) references (forms attached to application)
5. Provide a resume
6. Commit to serving for two consecutive academic years
7. Attend training session in August
8. Attend required monthly meetings

Name: _____ **UTEP ID #:** _____

Mailing Address: _____ **City, State, Zip** _____

E-mail address: _____

Preferred Phone #: _____ **Secondary Phone#:** _____

Major: _____ **Minor:** _____

Credit Hours: _____ **GPA:** _____ **Expected Graduation Month/Year:** _____

Community/School Organizations:

Please answer the following questions:

Understanding that the role of a Miner Ambassador is to serve as an official host at select University events, what personal qualities and experiences do you possess that will enhance the Miner Ambassador Program?

On a scale of 1-5 with 5 being the highest, how would you rate your UTEP experience? Please explain.

You are a Miner Ambassador attending an alumni dinner when a guest expresses their dismay with a situation at UTEP. How would you respond?

I understand and acknowledge the responsibilities and time commitment of being a member of the Miner Ambassador Program and I agree to become a committed member of the group should I be asked to join and accept. I also authorize the Miner Ambassador Advisor Board to view my grades to confirm that I am currently a fulltime student, will be a fulltime student and that I have at least a 3.2 GPA.

Signature _____

Date_____



Reference Form

TO THE APPLICANT: Three (3) references are needed for each applicant.

This form should be given to someone who knows you well and to whom you are not related or who is applying for or is a Miner Ambassador (i.e. a professor, employer, UTEP staff member, or volunteer supervisor). Please fill in your name below.

Applicant's Name _____ Name of Reference _____

TO THE REFERENCE:

The person named above is applying to become a UTEP Miner Ambassador. The Miner Ambassadors program is open to full-time undergraduate and graduate students who have a GPA of 3.2 or higher and can serve for two consecutive years. This group of individuals serves as the official hosts for many University events. Miner Ambassadors will be offered the opportunity to meet alumni, dignitaries, and special guests as well as professionals in their field of study. The completed form should be returned by fax or mail to Office of Alumni Relations care of Miner Ambassadors by March 3, 2014.

Rating: Please rate the applicant in the following areas by circling the number that represents your observation of the applicant. Use only the whole number scale provided (1= poor, 5=excellent)

	POOR		AVERAGE		EXCELLENT	
Initiative and Motivation:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Communication Skills:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Maturity/Responsibility:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Decision Making Ability:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Organization Management:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Time Management Skills:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Leadership Skills:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Team Player:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Self-Confident:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Role-model:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Enthusiastic:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Dependable:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Involved on Campus:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Willing to Learn:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating
Problem-Solver:	1	2	3	4	5	No basis for rating

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☐ Recommend Highly ☐ Recommend
☐ Recommend with Reservations ☐ Do not Recommend

Phone Number: _____ **Email Address:** _____

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