



**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, January 29, 2018 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 a three-day training session held the week before school starts in August
8. Attend required monthly meetings

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**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 in the fall 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 **January 29, 2018.**

**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 |

Please feel free to add additional comments regarding your assessment of the applicant. Your input is appreciated. Include specific comments that support your ratings and overall evaluation.

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**Overall Evaluation:** Please place a check mark on the line that reflects your overall recommendation.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Recommend Highly            | <input type="checkbox"/> Recommend        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recommend with Reservations | <input type="checkbox"/> Do not Recommend |

**Reference Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Organization:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE RETURN FORM TO APPLICANT OR FAX OR MAIL:**  
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