

Application Form



Participant Name: _____ Age: _____ Birthday: _____ MALE / FEMALE

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address (we will contact you at this address): _____

City: _____ Province/State: _____ Country: _____ Mail Code/Zip: _____

Phone (Home): _____ (Mobile): _____

Parent/Guardian E-mail: _____ Participant E-mail: _____

Affiliation/School: _____

If you received information about MediaBridge through your school or social organization

Affiliation/School Contact Name: _____

Affiliation/School Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Affiliation/School Address, City, Province, Country: _____

Please answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper. Responses to each question should be at least one half-page and can be typed or handwritten.

- 1) How do you think media affects you and your community?
- 2) What do you think you could gain from participating in a workshop with students from other countries?
- 3) Why would you be a good candidate for this program?
- 4) What skills or qualities do you possess that you can share with others at MediaBridge?

To Apply for MediaBridge:

There are *limited* spaces in the program. You need to move quickly if you're interested!

- **Application materials are due April 10, 2009.** This includes the *MediaBridge Application*, *two (2) letters of recommendation*, and the *Tuition Waiver Application*.
- Recommendations should: 1) Detail the nominee's focus and enthusiasm for a project like MediaBridge; 2) Describe their interest and background in media; and 3) State why they should be considered for a full or partial scholarship for the program (if applying for financial assistance). There is no form for the recommendation.
- **A mandatory audition** for the program MAY be held. The audition would take place **at Facets** (1517 W. Fullerton, Chicago). **The date of the audition is to be announced.**
- **Please also submit a DVD, VHS, VCD or link if your film is available online.** If you have not made a video, that is O.K. Send to: MediaBridge, c/o Facets-CICFF, 1517 W. Fullerton Ave., Chicago, IL 60614, USA.
- Participants will be selected based on enthusiasm, personal vision and interest in film. *No prior experience is necessary to apply.*
- **Program Cost: \$6,000 (USD)** Full & partial scholarships are competitive based on financial need.

If you have any questions, contact kidsfest@facets.org or call 1-773-281-9075.