

**BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA-USA YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAM/
TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM
TEACHER APPLICATION**

DEADLINE: 20 NOVEMBER 2010.

THIS APPLICATION FORM IS FREE OF CHARGE AND MAY BE DUPLICATED

PROGRAM INFORMATION:

The objectives of the program are (1) to engage participants in activities that embody principles of civic activism, and (2) to foster personal interaction with individuals who illustrate these principles in practice. The program will train participants in leadership skills through interactive group and peer-to-peer activities that emphasize team building, community activism, mentoring and civics. The four-week program will take place in the U.S. from **March 25-April 25, 2011**. Superior English skills are required. The program is fully funded by the United States Government. Three teachers and 18 students from **Bihac, Bijeljina and Orasje** will be selected to participate. For more information on program specifics, contact the Office of Public Affairs at the phone numbers below.

COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN 20 NOVEMBER 2010. Applications may be mailed or delivered to:

Office of Public Affairs, American Embassy
Hamdije Čemerlića
Sarajevo, 71000
Phone: --387-33-619-592
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A. Personal Information

Family name	First name	Middle name	Father's name	Sex M/F
Date of birth	Place of birth	Present address/city/zip code		
Telephone number	Email			
Do you have a valid passport?	Issuing country	Number	Expiration date (Month/Day/Year)	

B. Experience to Date

Name of High School in which you teach					
Address of High School					
Principal's name		Principal's telephone number			
Which course(s) do you teach?					
Please rate your English skills	Spoken:	Fluent	Average	Adequate	Poor
	Written:	Fluent	Average	Adequate	Poor
Have you had private tutoring in English or attended special courses in English?	Yes / No	For how many years?			
Have you ever lived and/or studied in the United States?	Yes / No				
Have you ever lived and/or studied anywhere outside of Bosnia-Herzegovina? If yes, please provide a brief description including dates and locations:					

B. Personal Statements

Please answer all four questions in clear and concise English. You may use pen or type your statements. This is not a test of your English or writing skills. We are interested in your ideas. You may attach extra pages if necessary.

1. What does democracy mean to you?

2. What is the most challenging part of your job? Why?

3. Why do you think you are prepared to represent teachers from your town?

4. What, in your opinion, are the most important issues in your community (including your school) and what can you do to resolve them?

5. What are the most important issues facing Bosnia and Herzegovina?

6. What are your personal and professional goals for this program?

7. Do you participate in any organizations or activities in your community? Do you assist in any extracurricular student activities or group?

8 How are you prepared to advocate for students from your hometown?

9. How will your experience from this program in the US benefit your school and community when you return?

