

# Pitt Community College STUDENT AMBASSADOR LEADERSHIP PROGRAM



2019-2020 Application Deadline:  
February 1, 2019

## What is it?

An innovative leadership program designed to meet our College's need for the active participation of informed and dedicated student leaders. Ambassadors serve the College not students.

The features of the program include:

- Choosing ten to twelve exclusively selected representatives of the student population to perform a variety of services such as conducting campus tours for visitors, serving as host/hostesses for official college/foundation events, and recruitment.
- The ambassadors will receive compensation in the form of in-state tuition and fees and will be provided with collegiate attire to distinguish them as official college representatives.
- The selection process will begin with an application for the program to be completed by the student. Finalists will be determined through an interview process and notified of the results.
- An extensive three day leadership training and development component of this program is required in August as well as a leadership day during Fall break.

## Who should be nominated?

We are looking for students who have high academic achievement, community service participation and leadership in clubs and organizations, a professional appearance, motivated, and self-starters (3.2 unweighted GPA or better at PCC, in high school or other colleges attended) are encouraged to apply. In addition, the nominee will be screened for strong oral and written communication skills (public speaking), knowledge of the college and community, ability to make a positive impression, scheduling flexibility, access to transportation, and high level of commitment to PCC. Ambassadors must maintain full-time status and perform a minimum of 3-5 hours of required volunteer service work per week. Ambassador scholarship service requirements/activities must be considered first priority in light of other work commitments—no exceptions will be made. The scholarship is equivalent to **in-state tuition and fees rate**.

An application is attached. **Return applications to Katelynn Speas, PCC, PO Drawer 7007, Greenville, NC 27835-7007 or electronically to [kspeas@email.pittcc.edu](mailto:kspeas@email.pittcc.edu). Application Deadline: February 1, 2019.** For additional information, call Katelynn Speas at (252) 493-7440 or visit website [www.pittccfoundation.com](http://www.pittccfoundation.com).

**APPLICATION**  
**Pitt Community College**  
**2019-2020 STUDENT AMBASSADOR PROGRAM**



**All applications must be typed. No handwritten applications will be accepted.**

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Name:		ID# (PCC Students ONLY):	
Address:			
<i>Street/Box</i>		<i>City/State</i>	
<i>Zip Code</i>			
Hometown:		Birth Date:	
Phone/cell:		E-Mail:	
College Major:		Expected Date of College Graduation:	
High School Attended:			
Other Colleges Attended:			
Degrees Earned:		Current GPA*	

**\*(You must attach transcript. Unofficial transcripts will be accepted. Official transcript will be requested at end of school year if accepted.)**

Present/Past Employers:

Dates of Employment:


**STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT:**

I have reviewed the ambassador application information and agree to support the guidelines of this program. I am aware that if selected, I will be involved in ambassador activities for a minimum of 3-5 hours per week, will be required to take the Leadership Development course/training throughout the year, and maintain a 3.2 GPA. I understand that ambassador activities/service hours are **first priority** in light of other work commitments.

Should ambassador scholarship recipients, at any time, drop out of school or fail to successfully perform their responsibilities, the remainder of funds for the academic year shall be retained by the Pitt Community College Foundation or reimbursed by the student to the Pitt Community College Foundation. If the recipient drops out of school, resigns or is relieved from program, he/she shall be responsible for reimbursing the PCC Foundation the appropriate award amount based on the timeline listed in the signed ambassador contract.

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 Signature

1. List honors and awards you have received for leadership or outstanding achievement.

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2. List up to five community, school, religious, volunteer or other organizations of which you have been an active member.

Organization	Date(s) Participated	Position Held

3. Name one non-relative who is knowledgeable about your leadership performance and potential and attach a reference letter from this person which addresses your leadership potential. A minimum of one (1) reference letter is required. Reference letter can be emailed to [kspeas@email.pittcc.edu](mailto:kspeas@email.pittcc.edu) or attached to application.

Name/Title:
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4. List additional names and contact information for other references.

Name/Title:

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5. Do you have any social media accounts? If so, list which ones and names accounts can be found.

**Essay Portion**

**Essay should be double spaced, 12 point font, maximum length should be 3 pages.**

**Attach essay to application. Consider the following questions when answering:**

1. Why do you choose to attend PCC?
2. What have you accomplished/learned in participating in extra curricular activities that you think is important?
3. What do you hope to gain from participating in this ambassadors/leadership program?
4. Describe your career goal(s) and how you think the ambassador program will assist you in obtaining these goals.
5. Describe how you perceive Pitt Community College.
6. What special talents/skills would you bring to the leadership program?
7. What is one leadership skill that you would like to improve upon and why?
8. If selected, what would be your biggest challenge as a student ambassador.

**PLEASE INCLUDE A PHOTOGRAPH WITH YOUR APPLICATION.**