**Application for Youth Leadership/Peacebuilding Training**

**Building Sustainable Peace GG# 1981756**

**TO EMPOWER YOUTH TO BUILD NETWORKS, MOBILIZE COMMUNITIES AND TRANSFORM DYNAMICS IN SIERRA LEONE**

**A collaboration between Rotary International Bo and Magnolia Clubs and Mediators Beyond Borders International (MBBI) supported by a VOCATIONAL TRAINING TEAM (VTT) Global Grant from The Rotary Foundation**

**JANUARY 20-24, 2020**

**Bo, Sierra Leone**

**Please complete the following information:**

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| Full Name (as on Passport or Id): | First:Middle:Last: |
| Date of Birth (Month/ Day/Year)Must be between the ages of 18-35: |  |
| Country of Citizenship: |  |
| Country of Birth (if different):  |  |
| Country of Current Residence*Must be a resident of Sierra Leone:*  |  |
| Telephone Number (with area code): |  |
| Current complete postal address:  |  |
| Email Address:  |  |
| Organization Associated with (if any): |  |
| Sponsoring Organization: (Name & Address) |  |
| Please indicate if you will represent your organization or attend as an individual: |  |
| Are you fluent in both written and spoken English?  | Yes ☐    No ☐ |
| Have completed senior secondary school? | Yes ☐    No ☐ |
| Do you have minimum of two years informal or formal leadership experience? | Yes ☐    No ☐ |
| If you answered yes, please explain here: |
| Do you have any experience in Conflict Resolution/Peacebuilding? | Yes ☐    No ☐ |
| If you answered yes, please explain here: |
| Have you had previous leadership training?If yes, list prior training courses or education | Yes ☐    No ☐ |
| Do you aspire to working with Youth? Yes ☐    No ☐If you answered yes, please explain here:  |
| Do you have experience working with communities? | Yes ☐    No ☐ |
| If you answered yes, please explain here: |

**Please send with your application the following documents:**

**(1) Curriculum Vitae**

**(2) A Cover Letter - In 500 words or less, please answer the following questions:**

* Explain who you are;
* How did you learn about this training and what inspired you to apply;
* Your leadership, community building and conflict resolution experience, if any;
* Why should you be chosen as a participant for this leadership training?;
* How would you contribute to the other participants;
* How will you apply the training in your work and other peacebuilding activities?
* Where do you see yourself five years from now?

**(3) Two References - Please include full name, contact details, and your relationship with the person who will explain why you are suitable for this training.**

**Please note, to participate in this program you will be required to:**

**- attend a full week of training in Bo City January 20 – 24, 2020**

**- commit to webinar and monthly coaching sessions**

**- initiate or enhance a project in your community**

**\*Send your completed form and documents via e-mail to Mediators Beyond Borders International (MBBI) at *info@mediatorsbeyondborders.org***

Tuition, room and board and a small stipend are courtesy of Rotary International Foundation

Signature of Applicant:  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Applications due by November 30, 2019.**