



# Leadership Scholar Program

*Thank you for your interest in the Texas Art Education Association Leadership Scholar cohort program.*

*Please read over the following guidelines carefully and note that our scholar selection is based on candidates being active TAEA members and either serving at the regional representative level or not having held a TAEA office at any level above Regional or Area Representative. Potential leadership scholars must have three years of experience in their art education field/profession. Our cohort program is designed to build leadership skills in those members with limited leadership experience. We anticipate this being a popular program that will fill quickly. Submit your application today!*

**Incomplete applications cannot be considered for cohort selection.**

The completed application must be returned to Texas Art Education Association headquarters by **January 6, 2020**. Email ([info@taea.org](mailto:info@taea.org)) or mail completed applications to:

**Texas Art Education Association Headquarters**  
**14070 Proton Road, Suite 100**  
**Dallas, TX 75224**

This is a 12-month program that requires your attendance for each outlined event and presentation. Below you will find a timeline of activities for this current cohort:

## Timeline:

- **Monday, November 18, 2019** – Open application process for TAEA Leadership Scholar.
- **Monday, January 6, 2020** – Close application process for TAEA Leadership Scholar.
- **Monday, February 3, 2020** - Announce TAEA 2018 Leadership Scholars via [taea.org](http://taea.org).
- **Saturday, March 21, 2020** – Spring Council-at-Large Meeting
- **June 23-25, 2020** – TAEA Leadership Institute (40 participants) – Leadership Scholars must be in attendance. Silver Spur Ranch, Bandera, TX. *TAEA funded event for Scholars.*
- **July 15-18, 2020** – TAEA Leadership Scholars and TAEA President attend NAEA Leaders Conference. *TAEA funded airfare and housing for Scholars. Scholars responsible for meals and incidentals.* (Specific site TBA)
- **September 2020** – TAEA Leadership Scholars attend the TAEA Executive Board meeting and present what they learned at TAEA Leadership Institute and NAEA Leaders Conference. (Specific date TBA)
- **November 12-14, 2020** – TAEA Leadership Scholars attend and present a workshop of their design at the TAEA Annual Conference in Allen.
- The next TAEA Leadership Scholar cohort will occur in Summer 2021.



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## Personal Information

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial): \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Work City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Administrator's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Administrator's Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

TAEA Division (i.e. Elementary, Museum, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

TAEA Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## Education

College / University Major Degree: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Recommendations

You must provide two letters of recommendation that can speak to your professional growth and leadership potential. Please include with application by email or attach to application if sending by postal mail.

## General Information

Describe your greatest achievement, skill or career achievement thus far:

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What do you hope to gain from being named a TAEA Leadership Scholar?

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Are there particular topics you would like to see addressed in the TAEA Leadership Institute or Leadership Scholar Program?

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What goal(s) do you have for being a TAEA leader?

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What is your vision for the future as a TAEA leader?

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## TAEA Leadership Scholar Commitment Statement

Please initial each item to acknowledge the requirement for being a Leadership Scholar and sign below.

- ☐ Attend all planned sessions.
- ☐ Orientation materials and event is mandatory.
- ☐ A maximum of only 1 absence is allowed per year. Leaving early and arriving late will count as an absence.
- ☐ Scholars are expected to arrive on time and stay for the entire event.
- ☐ Scholars are expected to manage their technology and wait to conduct business during breaks or at lunch.
- ☐ Complete any outside assignments or projects.
- ☐ Agree to represent the Texas Art Education Association in a professional manner at all times.
- ☐ Agree to present a workshop at the TAEA Annual conference during the window of your TAEA Scholar appointment.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*The TAEA Executive Board will select scholars for each cohort class. Scholars will be chosen through a comparative assessment from the full complement of application made for the cohort year. The intent of this selection process is to create a group of the best quality candidates that represents a cross section of interest within the Association and grows our leadership base. Applications must be received by **January 6, 2020** to be considered. Applicants will be notified of their acceptance by **February 3, 2020**.*

## Checklist

Use the following checklist to ensure that all required information is included in your packet. Failure to include all information may disqualify you from selection for this program.

- ☐ Completed Application (with everything filled in)
- ☐ Photo (Headshot at least 200 dpi)
- ☐ Brief Bio for the TAEA Website
- ☐ Vitae (no more than 1-2 pages)
- ☐ 2 Letters of Recommendation
- ☐ Completed Commitment Form
- ☐ Completed General Information Form