



2020 WISDOM BOOST MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

Business Professional Women's Club of Calgary



The Calgary BPW Wisdom Boost Mentorship Program is a one of a kind program for women looking to springboard their career or business to the next level of success. Rooted in the philosophy of Women Working for Working Women, this 9-month program attracts women of all ages and stages of their career and is available to BPW members at no additional cost. Our mentors are women with many years of diverse life and professional/business experience who enjoy giving back to the community.

Program details:

- One-on-one ongoing protégé/mentor conversations to advance your unique goals
- Learning through workshop format on business and leadership topics
- Learning in supportive small group "café" conversations
- Networking at BPW monthly dinner meetings. Dinner meetings feature a guest speaker on topics of local and global importance.
- Option to join in provincial and national advocacy for issues faced by working women, i.e., equal pay

Commitment:

- Nine-month commitment: January 2020 to September 2020
- Monthly one-on-one meetings between protégé/mentor (or a mutually agreed upon schedule)
- Minimum of 3 BPW monthly dinner meetings, including the January Mentorship Kick-off and September Mentorship Celebration. (Cost of BPW dinner meetings are not included in membership fees)
- Participation in Leadership Workshop for protégés (mentor attendance optional). (April)

Applications and Eligibility:

- Application deadline is **November 15, 2019**
- Applicants must be a member of BPW
- Mentor/protégé application form can be found on BPW Calgary's website:
<http://bpwcalgary.com/mentorship/>
- Completed applications can be emailed to mentorship@bpwcalgary.com
- Applications will be reviewed and followed by telephone interviews to ensure a strong protégé/mentor match

For more information:

Email: mentorship@bpwcalgary.com

Website information: <http://bpwcalgary.com/mentorship/>



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Please return this completed application and resume to mentorship@bpwcalgary.com by no later than **November 15, 2019**. This information will only be used for the purpose of pairing you up with a mentor and will be kept strictly confidential. Thank you.

| YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION | | |
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| Full Name: | Phone: | |
| Email: | Address: | |
| City: | Prov: | Postal Code: |
| MORE ABOUT YOU | | |
| I am applying to be a: <input type="radio"/> Protégé: <i>Please complete remainder of application form.</i> <input type="radio"/> Mentor: new to BPW. <i>Please complete remainder of application form.</i> <input type="radio"/> Mentor: previous experience as BPW mentor. <i>No need to complete remainder of application form.</i> | | |
| What does mentorship mean to you? | | |
| Have you had or been a mentor/protégée before? (If so, please summarize the experience:) | | |
| Level and type of education completed: | | |
| Describe your work (including the sector, field and position you hold within your organization): | | |
| What are some of your interests outside of your professional life? | | |



What are some of the things that you are interested in exploring and learning more about?

What skills, strengths and attributes would make you a great mentor/protégée?

Mentoring can greatly impact the life of both the mentor and the protégée. What do you hope to gain from the mentoring experience?

Do you have any specifications for the mentor/protégée you wish to work with (professional background, interests, personality type)?

As a professional working woman, what would you describe as your single biggest challenge?

Is there anything else that you would like to share with us?

Please provide a copy of your resume_

