



HEU Application Form

**HEU Solidarity & Inclusive Leadership
August 26 – 30, 2019**

**Harrison Hot Springs Hotel
& Retreat Centre, BC**

DEADLINE: FRIDAY, JULY 26, 2019

YOUR NAME: _____

PLEASE NOTE: INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Get application form from the Local or the HEU website at www.heu.org

*Send application (complete **ALL** pages **CLEARLY**) by fax or mail or email:*

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DATE SENT: _____ **# OF PAGES:** _____

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SECTION A – PERSONAL INFORMATION

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Have you recently moved? Yes No If yes, when? _____

Address: _____ Apt/Suite: _____

City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Mailing Address (if different): _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Work Phone (include ext#): _____ Extension: _____

Personal email: _____

Job Title: _____ Dept: _____

Employer: _____ Work Site: _____ Local: _____

e.g. Northern Health, PHSA, Sodexo, Well-Being e.g. VGH, Beacon Hill Villa, Reids Corner

What union position (if any) do you hold at your Local? _____

Employment Status: Full-time Part-time Casual

Region: North Interior Vancouver Coastal (includes PHSA)
 Fraser Vancouver Island

I identify my gender as: _____

Do you identify as a member of any of the following equity-seeking groups or as a young worker?

- LGBTQ2S+ Indigenous People with disAbilities Person of Colour
 Women Young Worker (33 years or younger)

Emergency contact (Name & Phone): _____

Medical Condition /Special Accommodation

Do you have any medical condition(s) or require special accommodations that we should be aware of, that could impact your ability to participate in this event? Yes No

If yes, please briefly explain. (In some cases, a Physician's note may be required)

SECTION B – APPLICANTS QUESTIONNAIRE

Why do you want to attend this Workshop?

In what ways have you already demonstrated a commitment to taking a lead role in being inclusive and advancing equity in the union?

Are you involved in your community, social justice organizing, coalition, mobilizing members or an equity committee/group? (please describe)

Are you involved in political action (i.e. in your riding association or in municipal, provincial, federal elections)? (Please describe your activities)

If you are new to inclusive practices/leadership and have not had a lot of community or union involvement, in what ways are you considering making a commitment to taking a lead role in being inclusive and advancing equity in the union?

Personal information will be used solely for the purpose of processing this application form. It will not be disclosed to any other party.

Selected participants for “Solidarity & Inclusive Leadership” training will be assigned to one of two workshop groups that will use two different approaches to union education.

Both sessions are based on popular education principles similar to many union education courses.

In this approach, participants will learn about, reflect on, explore and practice skills and competencies through large and small group dialogue, writing, storytelling, and presentation of new information and experiences.

This approach values and respects people’s wisdom, experience and ability to critically examine and learn from the lessons of their past struggles, and from concrete everyday situations they encounter in the present.

It is a deeply democratic process that invites members to share their knowledge and experiences, reflect on new learning, and use this process to create a vision and a plan to act on this vision. Popular education is connected to a wider process of organizing for social change and collective movement building.

Arts-Based Popular Education Workshop – In addition to the popular education principles outlined above, this workshop will include the use of arts-based approaches including physical activity, drawing, singing, writing, dialogue, and applying these approaches in a group context. This arts-based method allows us to more fully access our multiple ways of knowing and learning, supporting a more embodied approach to our ongoing leadership and activism work in the union. The workshop is accessible to people of all abilities. No prior experience with the arts is necessary, as we will draw upon everyone's innate creativity.

Popular Education Based-Workshop – The second workshop will be facilitated in using a more traditional popular education approach. The workshop is accessible to people of all abilities

To help us with selection, please indicate your preferred workshop choice by stating 1st choice and 2nd choice. We will make an effort to assign you to your first choice, however, space will also be a determining factor.

Workshop Preference – Please indicate your 1st and 2nd choice in the box

Arts Based Popular Education Workshop

Popular Education Based Workshop

Signature of Applicant

Date