



Legal Seat – Helsinki, Finland

WORLD FEDERATION OF THE DEAF

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WFD APPLICATION FORM FOR EXPERT WORKING GROUP

(Submit one application per expert group or ad hoc working group)

Please read this form carefully as it may include additional instructions that are relevant to you.

What happens next?

You must lodge your application by no later than **Friday, 22 June, 2012**. When you submit your application you will receive an email notifying that your application has been received.

In August 2012 WFD will email and notify you whether your application has been successful.

Late applications

Applications received after the closing date is welcome but will only be considered if vacancies still exist or become available.

Section 1: Personal Details

Title	<input type="checkbox"/> Dr <input type="checkbox"/> Prof <input type="checkbox"/> Mr <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs <input type="checkbox"/> Ms <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
Given Names	
Last Name/Surname	
Date of Birth	
Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male
Address Line 1 or PO Box	
Address Line 2	
City/Town	
Post Code/Zip Code	
Country	
Email Address	
Mobile Phone Number	
Are you?	<input type="checkbox"/> Deaf <input type="checkbox"/> Deafblind <input type="checkbox"/> Hard of hearing <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing
Occupation	
Professional Qualifications	

Section 2: Co-ordinator or Member for one of the Expert Working Groups or Ad Hoc Working Groups:

I am interested in becoming Co-ordinator OR Member of

WFD Expert Working Groups:

- WFD Expert Group on Deaf Education
- WFD Expert Group on Sign Language and Deaf Studies
- WFD Expert Group on Health
- WFD Expert Group on Developing Countries
- WFD Expert Group on Human Rights Law
- WFD Expert Group on Technology
- WFD Expert Group on Women and Children
- WFD Expert Group on Accessibility
- WFD Expert Group on Bioethics

WFD Ad Hoc Working Groups:

- LGTB
- CODAs
- Deaf Senior Citizens
- Deafblind

Section 3: Personal statement:

Why do you think you are suitable to serve on the WFD Expert Working Group or WFD Ad Hoc Working Group? (Up to 500 words)

Section 4: Community and professional memberships and involvement

Please briefly describe your involvement with the Deaf Community in your country, including membership of community, non-government, and voluntary and/or professional organisations (Up to 500 words):

Section 5: Referee Contact Details:

Please provide two referees' contact details:

Referee No 1

Title	<input type="checkbox"/> Dr <input type="checkbox"/> Prof <input type="checkbox"/> Mr <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs <input type="checkbox"/> Ms <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
Given Names	
Last Name/Surname	
Address Line 1 or PO Box	
Address Line 2	
City/Town	
Post Code/Zip Code	
Country	
Email Address	

Referee No 2

Title	<input type="checkbox"/> Dr <input type="checkbox"/> Prof <input type="checkbox"/> Mr <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs <input type="checkbox"/> Ms <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
Given Names	
Last Name/Surname	
Address Line 1 or PO Box	
Address Line 2	
City/Town	
Post Code/Zip Code	
Country	
Email Address	

Section 6: Supplementary Documents:

Please provide:

1. A curriculum vitae or résumé (max two pages)
2. A support letter from your country's national association (which must be an Ordinary Member of the World Federation of the Deaf).

Full Name	
Applicant's signature	
Date	

Section 7: Email/Fax/Post your application:

EMAIL: [info\[at\]wfdeaf.org](mailto:info[at]wfdeaf.org) with the subject: "<Name of Expert Working Group> Application".

FAX: +35 895 803 572

POST: WFD Expert Working Group
World Federation of the Deaf
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