

# Temasek Foundation Water Leadership Programme (TFWLP) Singapore

## Participant Application Form

Thank you for your interest in the Temasek Foundation Water Leadership Programme (TFWLP). The TFWLP is a unique initiative which aims to meet the needs of water leaders struggling to cope with the new challenges of institutional, regulatory and financial environments. This course will expose participants to best practices in water utilities governance, practical guidance on managing water utilities effectively, and potential strategies to deal with existing and future challenges.

The TFWLP is open for applications from teams of 5-7 members each from one country. Each team should comprise of a combination of policy makers, public utilities officials, consultants, researchers and representatives of civil society who are have worked together. An ideal team, for example, would consist of 3-4 persons from a public utility agency, 1-2 national government representatives, and 1-2 private or not-for-profit representatives. 5-7 specific country teams will be selected to participate in the programme.

English is the language of instruction. All participants are therefore required to have a working knowledge of written and spoken English.

### The application has 2 parts:

- (i) Part 1: Team Project Description (1-2 page)
- (ii) Part 2: Individual Background Information

Part 1, asks for a (1-2 page) Team Project Description (TPD). Guidelines for this are provided in Part 1 description. One TPD should be submitted for each team. In addition, the team should submit one individual background information sheet for each member found in Part 2.

Please complete, by email, or in writing all pages of this application, and submit all of the enclosed along with the TPD referred to in Part 1, to the email address or fax number at the bottom of this application.

Programme Date	Deadline for Applications	Notification of Successful Parties
10 – 21 October 2011	1 August 2011	15 August 2011
*April 2012	February 2012	February 2012

\*The dates for the second run in April 2012 are tentative.

# Part 1:

## Team Project Description (TPD)

### Guidelines for the TPD:

- a. Interested teams are asked to submit one common TPD.
- b. The TPD should be approximately 1-2 pages long and not more than three pages.
- c. The TPD should include the programme date that they are interested in: October 2011 or April 2012.
- d. The TPD should introduce the team and describe the roles and responsibilities of each member.
- e. The TPD should contain a statement of purpose on behalf of the team that outlines specific outcomes they are hoping to achieve during the course of the programme.
- f. The TPD should identify and describe a specific water utilities management challenge faced by their city/country.
- g. The TPD should aim to present a feasible plan of action that they can work on to address the challenge within the next year.
- h. The TPD should make clear how participation in the programme is expected to help achieve the team's goals and objectives.
- i. The 2-page TPD should be attached with this application.

# Part 2:

## Individual Background Information

First/given name: ..... Last/family name: .....

Job title: ..... Gender (circle one):     **a.** Male     **b.** Female

Age (in years) (circle one):

**a.** Less than 20

**b.** 20 to 29

**c.** 30 to 39

**d.** 40 to 49

**e.** 50 to 59

**f.** 60 and over

### Applicant's contact information

Organization full name: .....

(Acronym or abbreviation): .....

Department full name: .....

Street address: .....

..... P.O. box: .....

City: ..... Postal code: .....

State/Province: ..... Country: .....

Email: ..... Telephone (O): .....

Fax: ..... Mobile: .....

All participants are expected to be fluent in spoken and written English. Please indicate your level of proficiency.

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Are you fluent in English? (circle one)     Yes     or     No

Applicant's current function (circle one):

**a.** Head of organization

**b.** Manager

**c.** Professional/Technical staff/Officer

**d.** Professor/Teacher/Trainer/Educator

**e.** Administrative/Support Staff

**f.** Other, specify: .....

Scope of applicant's organization (location of people served) (circle one):

**a.** Local

**b.** Regional

**c.** National

Applicant's educational attainment: .....

Current work responsibilities: .....

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Reasons for applying/expectations: .....

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Number of Participants and Funding Available: Full tuition expenses and hotel accommodation will be offered to participants representing their organizations from the following target countries. The successful team will be selected by an expert advisory group represented by the sponsor organizations.

**Table 1: Eligible for TFWLP Scholarships**

East Asia	Central Asia
<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. China</li><li>2. Mongolia</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Kazakhstan</li><li>2. Kyrgyzstan</li><li>3. Tajikistan</li><li>4. Turkmenistan</li><li>5. Uzbekistan</li><li>6. Afghanistan</li></ol>
Southeast Asia	South Asia
<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Indonesia</li><li>2. Philippines</li><li>3. Thailand</li><li>4. Myanmar</li><li>5. Cambodia</li><li>6. Laos</li><li>7. Vietnam</li><li>8. Timor Leste</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. India</li><li>2. Maldives</li><li>3. Sri Lanka</li><li>4. Bangladesh</li><li>5. Pakistan</li><li>6. Nepal</li><li>7. Bhutan</li></ol>

I certify that all the information provided is accurate. I understand that this application will be reviewed and applicants will be selected based on relevant experience and space availability. I also understand that if my participation is subject to clearance by my government or to approval by a particular agency in my country, I will comply with this requirement.

By submitting this application, I confirm that I will source for my own funding for travel and allowances and that I will be responsible for obtaining a Singapore visa if required.

If selected, I understand that my feedback about the learning activity in which I participate can help the Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy improve its activities in the future. I agree to complete an evaluation at the end of the learning activity and a few months later if I am asked.

Applicant's signature: ..... Date: .....