The 2014-2015 Venture Course in the Humanities

offered by the Utah Humanities Council in partnership with Weber State University

Application for Admission

To apply:

1) Fill out this application and send it to:
   Tonia Wilson
   1115 North 450 West
   Sunset, Utah  84115
   Attn: Venture

2) You will be called to schedule an interview.

Applications will be accepted until the class is full.

Personal Information

Legal Name___________________________________________________________

Age __________________________

Date of birth _____________________  Sex_________

Home address

Number and street  Apt. #  city  zip code

Mailing address (if different)

________________________________________________________________________

Home phone________________________

Work phone___________________email________________________

In emergency contact

name_________________________________________ phone____________

Ethnic or racial heritage (optional)____________________

First language __________________________

Other languages____________________________________________________________________
U.S. citizen___________________ Permanent Resident _____________________
Other status_______________________________________
Entitlements (SSI, WIC, TANF, AFDC etc.)

How did you hear about the Venture Course in the Humanities?

Education

Highest grade completed _________ Are you currently enrolled in school? ____Where? ________________
Did you graduate from high school?_____ When? _____ Name of school ________________________________
Are you a GED recipient? _____ Date of GED completion _________ Are you currently working toward a GED? _____
Have you ever attended college? _______ Where? ________________________________ For how long? ____________
Have you earned college credits? _________ How many? _________ Why did you leave college?

Family/Household

Marital status: ☐ single ☐ married ☐ separated ☐ divorced ☐ widowed

Do you have children? ________ If yes, what are their ages? ____________________________ Do they live with you? ________

With whom do you live? ☐ alone ☐ with parents ☐ with spouse or companion
☐ with siblings ☐ with friends

☐ other arrangement (please specify)

What is your available household income (before taxes)? ☐ under $1,000 ☐ $1,000-$5,000 ☐ $5,001-$10,000 ☐ $10,001-$15,000 ☐ $15,001-$20,000 ☐ $20,001-$25,000 ☐ $25,001-$30,000 $30,000 If over $30,000, please specify the amount________________________
**Employment/Training**

The Venture course meets Tuesday and Thursday evenings, 6:00-8:00 p.m. Please indicate whether this works with your current work schedule (allowing travel time, too).

Check one:
Yes, that should not be a problem ____________________________
I’m not sure; I need to check with my employer ________________________
This conflicts with my current work schedule__________________________

Current employer ___________________________________________________

Employer contact information_________________________________________

Skill/occupation____________________________________________________

☐ employed full time  ☐ employed part-time  ☐ unemployed  ☐ intern
☐ volunteer

How many hours/week do you work? ____________________________________

What is your work schedule? __________________________________________

Are you disabled? Please describe the nature of your disability and how long you have been disabled.

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Are you currently in a training program? (specify) _________________________

What other jobs/training have you had?

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Are you enrolled in other programs (specify: recovery, therapy, etc.)

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**Childcare/transportation**

Will you need childcare to attend Venture classes? If yes, specify ages of children:

______________________________________________________________________

Do any of your children have special needs?
Will you need a TRAX/bus pass to attend classes?

Yes_________    No______________

You will need to carve out 10-12 hrs/week, including class time, to successfully complete this course. Is there anything you foresee that may make this difficult?

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Personal Statement  (Must be written by the applicant to be considered.)

Please attach a separate page on which you answer, in approximately 400 words, one of the following questions:

1) Why would you like to further your education?
2) Tell about an event or situation in your life that had a significant impact on you
3) Explain why you are attracted to the Venture Course in the Humanities and what you think you might bring to it.

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