



Dear Applicant,

We are glad you are applying for a Fellowship with the Trinity Forum Academy Class of 2011. This year the Academy will invite twelve Fellows to take part in a program of thoughtful lecture and discussion, spiritual formation, intense community and servant-leadership experience, all designed to help them explore their callings in a reflective and intentional manner. No single personality type or set of experiences is a prerequisite for acceptance. Instead applicants are considered based upon their demonstrated Christian commitment, servant-leadership potential, critical thinking and writing skills, desire to contribute to an intentional community, and passion to impact society.

Please begin by submitting all application materials listed below. Reference forms should be completed by a faculty member who can speak to your academic performance, a church leader (not necessarily a pastor) who can speak to your Christian commitment, and a reference of your choice. Include a writing sample, preferably one that reflects an academic interest you would like to pursue at the Academy. Payment of a \$35 application fee should accompany your submission (checks should be made payable to "Trinity Forum Academy"). Other required documents are listed in the application introduction. As you consider the material, take time to explore our website and be prepared to share how you would hope to grow during time spent here. Before submitting an application, we ask that you contact us by phone (410.745.4411) or email (academy@tff.org) to let us know of your intention to apply.

All applicants are invited to attend our Annual Conference which will be held January 29-31, 2010, and will feature keynote speakers Andy Crouch, author of *Culture Making*, and D. Michael Lindsay, Rice University sociology professor and author of *Faith in the Halls of Power*. If you are interested in attending the conference or have any other questions, please don't hesitate to contact us. We look forward to reviewing your application.

Sincerely,

The Staff of Trinity Forum Academy

