



DIASPORA PHILANTHROPY SUMMIT **APPLICATION**

ABOUT:

The Diaspora Philanthropy Summit seeks to bring together groups and individuals who have a specific US- or Canada based diaspora group they are engaging with to inspire cross-border giving in support of charitable activities in their home communities or countries of origin.

We define diaspora broadly as a people who are living in the United States and/or Canada who are away from an established or ancestral homeland and want to give back philanthropically and tax-effectively to that homeland.

Delegates will share their plans to engage and inspire the diaspora group of their interest while learning from CAF America's, CAF Canada's, and other delegates' various models and programs for focusing tax-effective support towards vetted charities and projects in the established or ancestral homeland chosen by the delegate.

WHEN:

November 2-3, 2017

WHERE:

Washington, D.C. (Alexandria, VA.)

DEADLINE:

All submissions must be completed and returned **by 12 Noon EST on September 8, 2017**

SUBMISSION:

Applications should be submitted to **diaspora@cafamerica.org**.

Organization Name _____

Address _____

About* _____

* Please provide a short description of your organization's mission or purpose. Max 250 words.

Proposed Delegate 1 (maximum 2):

Name _____

Position _____

Email _____

Phone Number _____

ShortBio* _____

* Max 250 words.

Proposed Delegate 2 (maximum 2):

Name _____

Position _____

Email _____

Phone Number _____

ShortBio* _____

* Max 250 words.

The Diaspora Philanthropy Summit seeks to bring together groups and individuals who have a defined diaspora group they can inspire to give from the United States and/or Canada via CAF America and/or CAF Canada, to defined geographic areas around the world.


Delegates will share their plans to engage and inspire the diaspora group of their interest while learning from CAF America's, CAF Canada's, and other delegates' various models and programs that can assist in providing tax-effective, vetted charities and projects for diaspora groups to focus their philanthropic support.

Please explain your organization's program or idea below, specifically detailing the following:

What is your diaspora group of interest? (E.g. Bangladeshi diaspora or Irish diaspora). Describe briefly why.

What is (are) the goal(s) of your model for engagement? (E.g. you are seeking increased support for your cause, advancing your mission of diaspora engagement, or you believe engaging with a diaspora community can fill a gap your organization is trying to address)

What is your plan to realize these goals? Please describe it in detail, and attach any supporting materials (e.g. marketing materials, flyers, reports, etc.) to describe your approach.



What challenges have you identified that can affect the success of your plan described above? (E.g. your diaspora group is too dispersed/lacks a common voice, you lack the necessary vehicle for diaspora giving, or the diaspora is not interested and needs inspiring)

What is your motivation for attending the Diaspora Philanthropy Summit?

