

**Application for Certification as an External Evaluator  
for 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC Afterschool Grantees  
2017-18**

The 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC grantees are required to contract with a certified external evaluator to review, analyze, and jointly reflect upon the data collected over the course of the year specific to the three afterschool goals related to 1) academic achievement and efficacy, 2) program effectiveness, and 3) college and career readiness. The external evaluation process requires the completion of the Guided Reflection Documentation by the external evaluator in consultation with the program administrator. Note: This requirement applies to all current Missouri 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC Cohorts.

Individuals seeking certification as a 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC external evaluator must 1) be based in Missouri, 2) have a master's degree in education, child/youth development, policy, or other related area which ensures knowledge of quantitative and qualitative methods, 3) have experience conducting program/project evaluations, and 4) attend a training session hosted by the Missouri AfterSchool Network (MASN).

***Please note that the information submitted below will be provided to 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC Grantees if all certification criteria are met. Submit completed form to Terri Foulkes at [foulkest@missouri.edu](mailto:foulkest@missouri.edu). You must submit the application for review PRIOR to the external evaluator training. No refunds will be provided if you attend the training, but do not meet the criteria due to late submission of application materials.***

**Contact Information**

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**Geography**

I am willing to consult with programs statewide or in these parts of the state:

Statewide

Northeast

Northwest

East

Central

West

Southeast

South-central

Southwest

**Current Employment**

Current Employer: Missouri State University

Current Title: Assistant Professor

Years of relevant experience: 20

**Education**

Highest Level of Education\*:  Masters  EdD

PhD

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Area of study: Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis

Date awarded: 2006

Institution: University of Missouri

\* Verification: Please attach a copy of the transcript showing highest degree awarded or MOPD ID number if you are in the MOPD Registry with documentation already on file. MOPD ID: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Experience**

Please list any previous employment at DESE funded 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC or SAC grantees (*current grantees are not eligible for certification*):

- Cabool Schools (1999-2008)
- Dallas County Schools (2008-2014)

Please list any current or previous employment with non-DESE funded afterschool programs:

Please list any current or previous experience evaluating afterschool programs:

- Laquey Schools
- Kansas City Area YMCA
- Dallas County Schools
- Ava Schools
- Hollister Schools
- Richland Schools

Please list any other relevant evaluation experience:

### **Release Statement**

I understand that if I meet the criteria to become a certified 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC external evaluator, the information provided in this document will be made available on the MASN and DESE websites to assist 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC grantees in the selection of a certified external evaluator to assist with their external evaluation.

I understand that the list of certified 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC External Evaluators for the 2017-18 grant year will be posted for grantees to review and select certified evaluators, and that this application, supporting documentation, and attendance at the required 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC External Evaluator training must be completed prior to being included on the list. Furthermore, I understand that my certification is only for the 2017-18 grant year and that I will be required to participate in additional training or other requirements in order to earn certification for future grant years.

I understand that MASN and DESE are providing the framework and oversight of the external evaluation process, but that each individual grantee is responsible for contracting with and meeting with the certified external evaluator of their choosing. I understand that attending the required training and becoming certified does not guarantee that I will be selected by a 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC grantee as their external evaluator. I understand that grantees may select a different external evaluator each year if they choose.

I understand that DESE and MASN are developing criteria to evaluate work of the external evaluators, including Guided Reflection review rubrics, seeking feedback from the 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC grantees, etc. Moving forward, this information will be considered each year when deciding whether individual external evaluators remain eligible to become certified.

I understand that if I am selected by a 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC grantee for their 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC external evaluation that I will be compensated by the grantee at a rate of \$2000 for the grantee with one site and \$200 per additional site after the first site. The grantee will contract directly with the certified external evaluator.

  
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Signature

Date 1/18/2018

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For office use only:

- Signed application
- Not currently employed by 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC program
- Verified education level and related field
- Previous evaluation experience
- Required training