

Application Checklist

This guide will provide you with the information you need to complete the application for the Global Mission Fellows program.

Selection Process



Verify

Are you eligible to apply for the program?

- Age: be between the ages of 20–30 in 2022 (the year service begins).
- **Education**: have a bachelor's degree or equivalent work experience.
- Language: be able to communicate in English at a conversational/professional proficiency. (English is essential during interviews, orientation and at some placement sites.)
- **Commitment**: be able to commit to two years of service living in solidarity with a community in a new context living out the core values of the program.

Discern

 Learn more about the core values of the progra 	m.
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- ☐ Access our <u>discernment tool</u>.
- ☐ Hear **stories** about current fellows on social media.
- ☐ Learn more about the structure and beliefs of **The United Methodist Church**.

Gather and Apply

Collect the following documents and information for the application.

- □ **Passport**: applicants for the International Track must have an unexpired and valid passport (proof of a valid passport must be submitted to missionaryinfo@umcmission.org by February 28, 2022).
- ☐ **Transcripts**: scan or request a copy of your school transcripts or diploma; in addition, you can submit language diplomas or professional certifications that support your professional qualifications.
- CV/Resume: update your CV/Resume (guide and template available; request at missionaryinfo@umcmission.org).
- References: you will need three references for your application, so collect their names and preferred email addresses. You will need one pastoral, one professional and one academic reference.
- Church Information: locate the church address, phone number, and website where you are a member.
 - **Methodist applicants**: gather your Annual/Central Conference information, as well as the name and email address of your conference bishop.
 - Non-Methodist applicants: gather the name and email address of your denomination leader.
- ☐ **Essays**: review the questions and compose your essays, including them in the application form.
- If you would like additional guidance in submitting your references, CV/Resume, transcripts or church information, email missionaryinfo@umcmission.org.











