



# Western Conservation Leadership Development Program

Fundamentals of Western Conservation Leadership: Through the Looking Glass 2021

## 2021 Statement of Interest Form

Name:

Organization/Agency/Partnership:

Title:

Years with current organization:

Mailing Address:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Supervisor's Name and Title:

**Personal Statement:** In 1-2 pages (max 1500 words), explain WHY you are interested in participating in the Western Conservation Leadership Development Program: **Fundamentals of Western Conservation Leadership: Through the Looking Glass 2021 Course**. Address the following:

- Why are you interested in this course?
- How do you aspire to apply the knowledge and experience you gain from this course to affect change in your work and organization?
- What do you find most challenging about exercising leadership? Please be specific.
- What do you feel are the biggest challenges facing western US and Canadian conservation today (top three)?

**Commitment Statement:** If offered the opportunity to participate in this course, I will commit a maximum of 20% of my work time to this course. I have discussed this time requirement with my supervisor, who supports my attendance and the associated work.

**Signature:**

Submission Instructions:

Submit the materials listed below to [ali.duvall@iwjv.org](mailto:ali.duvall@iwjv.org) by July 23, 2021.

1. Statement of Interest form (this form) with signed commitment statement
  - saved under the name "WCLDP2021form – YourLastName"
2. Personal statement
  - saved under the file name "WCLDP2021statement – YourLastName"
3. Support letter from your Director, CEO, or Supervisor\*
  - save as "WCLDP2021support letter – YourLastName"

\*Note, if you are a private landowner-please seek a letter of support from a partnership-based group, in which you are a part, to provide additional perspective on your leadership qualities.

Please direct questions to: Ali Duvall, IWJV, [ali.duvall@iwjv.org](mailto:ali.duvall@iwjv.org), 406-370-5047