**APA California Northern**

**MENTORSHIP PROGRAM**

**2015 Mentee Application**

**Thank you for your interest in APA California Northern Section’s Mentorship Program. This Mentorship Program will run from January 2015 to October 2015. The following information will be used to help match you to a mentor. Please attach your resume to this application. Participant applications are due to Thalia Leng,** **thaliah@gmail.com****, by Tuesday, January 6, 2015. Visit the Section’s website (www.norcalapa.org) for more details on the Mentorship Program.**

**Name: APA Membership Number:**

**Email: Phone Number:**

**Home Address:**

**City: Zip Code:**

**Were you involved as a mentee in the previous Mentorship Program? [ ]  Yes [ ]  No**

**If yes, would you like to be matched up with your previous mentor? [ ]  Yes [ ]  No**

**What are you looking for in a mentor?**

**Do you have any geographic/time constraints? [ ]  Yes [ ]  No**

**If yes, please describe:**

**How far are you willing to travel to meet with a mentor? \_\_\_\_\_ miles**

**How do you rank the following (1 as most desired and 3 as least desired):**

**\_\_\_\_\_ proximity to mentor \_\_\_\_\_ align schedule with mentor \_\_\_\_\_ similar areas of expertise**

**EMPLOYMENT**

**Current Employer and Position:**

**Length of Time in this Position:**

**Previous Employer and Position:**

**Length of Time in this Position:**

**Education (Post High School)**

**School Attended or Attending:**

**Date Graduated: Degree Earned:**

**School Attended or Attending:**

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**Please describe your short (1-2 years) and long (3-5 years) term career goals:**

**What kind of skills or knowledge do you hope to gain as a result of your participation in this program?**

**Why do you want to participate in the Mentorship Program?**

**What steps have you taken to enhance your job performance, competencies and skills over the past few years?**

**Check all skills and knowledge areas in which you would like to receive mentoring:**  *(check all that apply)*

**[ ]  Administrative**

**[ ]  Business Development**

**[ ]  Climate Change Planning**

**[ ]  Communication**

**[ ]  Community Development**

**[ ]  Computers and GIS**

**[ ]  Contracting**

**[ ]  Economic Development**

**[ ]  Energy Planning**

**[ ]  Environmental Planning**

**[ ]  Federal Planning**

**[ ]  Grants**

**[ ]  Historic Preservation**

**[ ]  Housing**

**[ ]  Local/Municipal Government**

**[ ]  Long-term Planning**

**[ ]  Permitting**

**[ ]  Planning for the Disabled**

**[ ]  Planning Law**

**[ ]  Private Practice**

**[ ]  Project Management**

**[ ]  Public Participation**

**[ ]  Regional Planning**

**[ ]  Small Town & Rural Planning**

**[ ]  Strategic Planning**

**[ ]  Sustainability**

**[ ]  Time Management**

**[ ]  Transportation Planning**

**[ ]  Urban Design**

**[ ]  Waste Management**

**Other skills or knowledge area:** *(please specify)*