



THE **BRIDGE PROGRAM**

**Building Resilient Inclusive
Development for Growing
Physician Equity Leaders (BRIDGE)**

Eligible applicants should complete and submit the following items via the application:

- ✓ Completed application
- ✓ Curriculum Vitae (upload)
- ✓ Letter of Support from Department Chair or Department Chief only (upload)

[**Apply Here**](#)

Application Instructions

Complete the online application by the deadline using the link above. The descriptions of the required materials below are provided for information only to help applicants prepare for their submission. All applicants need to complete and submit the following:

1. **Application**—Information requested:
 - a. Certify Eligibility (check box)
 - i. Eligibility Criteria (check boxes)
 - b. Identify Program for Funding (check box)
 - i. If proposing an alternate program, provide the program name, link, and any other relevant information
 - c. Applicant Information (Name, Title, Address, Email, Phone, Current Position, Hospital or Health System)
 - d. Workplace Type
 - i. Medical School/Academic Medical Center (University-based, teaching medical students or residents)
 - ii. Community-Based Teaching Hospital (Community-based, including military or specialized hospitals, teaching medical students or residents)
 - iii. Community Hospital (Non-teaching, e.g., does not work with medical students or residents)
 - iv. Non-Hospital Venue
 - e. Primary Clinical Responsibilities (Not in CV)

- f. ABEM or EM Volunteer Experience: Description including dates, organization, role(s) and activities.
 - g. Teaching Experience: Description of teaching duties, including those with residents, medical students, allied health professionals, and other non-physician providers.
 - h. Community Volunteer Experience: Description of community volunteer experience, including dates, organization, role(s), and activities.
 - i. Journey To and Through Current Employment: Description of your journey since completion of residency or fellowship training through current employment and any challenges you may have experienced that have adversely impacted your professional development; description of how BRIDGE selection would advance your career trajectory.
 - j. Professional Experience:
 - i. Example of a time you demonstrated your leadership skills and explain why it made a difference.
 - ii. Describe your experience working with teams.
 - iii. What are your goals?
 - iv. What do you wish to accomplish professionally?
 - k. Inclusive Excellence and Health Equity: Explain how selection to participate in BRIDGE would assist you in reducing health inequities within the specialty of Emergency Medicine.
 - l. Statement of Interest: Address why you want this opportunity and what you envision being able to accomplish because of this opportunity.
2. **Curriculum Vitae** (Upload) (File named as Last, First Name_CV)
 3. **Letter of Support** (Upload): (File named as Last, First Name_LtrofSupport) From Department Chair or Department Chief stating their understanding and support of the anticipated time commitment for participation in BRIDGE.
 4. **Applicant agreement** (signature)

You will be able to send yourself a copy of your application responses.

Questions?

Contact Pam Hayden, Professional and Clinical Affairs Administrator, phayden@abem.org



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