ILEND Program Application\* Graduate Students & Practicing Professionals

\*If you are applying for the **Family or Self-Advocacy** disciplines, please complete the **Lived Experience application** on the ILEND recruitment page.

**Application Checklist**

* Cover letter describing your interest in the ILEND Program and includes answers to the following questions:

1. Why do you want to be a trainee in the ILEND program?
2. In what ways have you already demonstrated leadership/advocacy?
3. What does it mean to be a leader in your chosen field, and what type of career do you envision for yourself?

* Completed application form (this document)
* Copy of resume/curriculum vitae
* Send all materials by email to [lori-vandervelden@uiowa.edu](mailto:lori-vandervelden@uiowa.edu)
* Arrange to have two recommendation letters emailed directly to [lori-vandervelden@uiowa.edu](mailto:lori-vandervelden@uiowa.edu)

Are you legally eligible for employment in this country?  Yes  No

(Proof of US Citizenship or permanent resident status will be required if you will be receiving a stipend.)

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| Name |  |
| Home Address: |  |
| Street |  |
| Apt # |  |
| City, State, Zip |  |
| Phone |  |
| Email |  |

**Ethnicity**:  Hispanic/Latino  Not Hispanic/Latino  Prefer not to answer

**Race**:  Black or African American  American Indian/Alaska Native

Asian  White  Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

More than one race  Prefer not to answer

**Languages spoken**:

**Education:**

Degree(s) Earned:

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| College/University | Degree | Date of Graduation | Major/Discipline |
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**Current University/Department School and Address:**

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| University |  |
| School/Department |  |
| Address 1 |  |
| Address 2 |  |
| City/State/Zip |  |
| Degree in Progress (Please specify) |  |

**Major/Discipline (Check only the one that best applies):**

Audiology

Education – Mental Health Counseling

Education – Rehabilitation Counseling

Education – School Counseling

Healthcare Administration

Nursing

Medicine

Occupational Therapy

Physical Therapy

Psychology

Public Health

Social Work

Speech-Language Pathology

Other (please specify):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**(Optional) Do you identify as a:**

Person with a disability

Family member/caregiver of a person with a disability

**Current Employment & Graduate Positions Projected Hours During ILEND Year (if applicable)**

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| Employer Name |  |
| Estimated hours |  |
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| Graduate Position Title (GA, TA, etc.) |  |
| Estimated Hours |  |

Do you require any accommodations to participate in the ILEND program?

Yes  No

If yes, please describe:

How did you hear about the ILEND program? Please select all that apply:

A current or former ILEND trainee

A presentation in one of your classes

A professor/advisor/mentor in your discipline

The ILEND website

Other (Please specify):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**References:** List names, position, phone numbers, and e-mail addresses of individuals who will be forwarding letters of recommendation to us.

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| Name | Position (or relationship to applicant) | Phone Number | Email Address |
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*Please submit your completed application form to:*

Lori Vander Velden, ILEND Administrative Services Coordinator at

[lori-vandervelden@uiowa.edu](mailto:lori-vandervelden@uiowa.edu)

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