

**2015 Mentor Application for NELLs - New England Library Leadership Symposium**

**August 3-7, 2015 -- Rolling Ridge, North Andover MA**

Mentors are expected to stay at Rolling Ridge all 4 nights; all expenses except travel paid for Mentors.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Position/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Library Type: \_\_\_ Public \_\_\_ School \_\_\_ Academic \_\_\_ Special/Agency \_\_\_ State Agency

Work Address & Phone:

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Home Address & Phone:

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Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of MLS/MLIS Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Library School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Please briefly answer the following questions:

1. Describe your job (explain specific areas of expertise and your work environment)
2. Describe any pertinent or outstanding information about your career or work history
3. Describe any special interests you would like to share
4. Why are you interested in becoming a Mentor with NELLs?
5. What coaching, tutoring or teaching experience have you had? Have any of these experiences included students that were of very different backgrounds than your own and how did that impact your teaching/coaching methods?
6. What leadership experiences have you had?
7. When you work with others in a group, how do you determine who will be responsible for different parts of your project? How would you motivate your peers to do a good job on a portion of the project for which they do not have much of an interest?