

## **APPLICATION FOR A SERVICE LEARNING DESIGNATION**

Service learning at Springfield College provides enhanced academic learning by engaging students in community service projects that provide the components of service learning with reflection. Service learning experiences embody the Springfield College philosophy of Humanics and promote the mission of the College to educate students in Spirit, Mind, and Body in preparation for service to humanity.

Any full time faculty member may apply for a Service Learning designation for a course.

I. Complete the Service Learning Application cover sheet (next page).

II. In a narrative, describe how the course addresses the following (list specific tasks and activities when possible):

1. Academic learning through opportunities for:
  - a. Applying critical thinking
  - b. Learning about oneself and others
2. Purposeful civic learning through opportunities by:
  - a. Providing hands-on community experiences
  - b. Developing leadership skills
  - c. Promoting personal and professional development and self reflection
3. Relevant community service which:
  - a. Addresses a need as identified by community representatives
  - b. Highlights contents of the course
  - c. Promotes personal respect for diverse cultures

III. Include a copy of the course syllabus, assignment requirements, and any other written materials that demonstrate opportunities described in Part II.

IV. Provide a list of needed resources.

V. Send to the Committee for the Advancement of Service Learning Chair.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Ext.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Department:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date Submitted:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Title of the Course:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Course Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signatures:**

**Applicant**

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**Department Chair**

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