



# Application Checklist for \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ M number

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

Major(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Minors: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected graduation semester: \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

## 1. Training and Experience in a Specific Work Sector

Please check the box of the sector in which you will have prepared yourself to serve:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION | <input type="checkbox"/> ENVIRONMENT | <input type="checkbox"/> YOUTH IN DEVELOPMENT           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> HEALTH    | <input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT |

*Note: Actual Peace Corps assignments are based on local needs, and thus may or may not align seamlessly with your qualifications. Flexibility is key to the Peace Corps experience!*

### Coursework

List the approved sector-aligned course numbers and titles you will take, and the semester you plan to take them:

Course 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Course 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Course 3: \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: The courses you include on this application may change, but it's good to have a plan.*

Hands-on experience in that *same sector*. Total Hours \_\_\_\_\_ (must total at least 50 hours)

Describe what you will do:

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## 2. Intercultural Competence

List your 3 approved courses/experiences that will bolster your intercultural competence:

Core Course: \_\_\_\_\_

Education Abroad Program or Core/Elective Course: \_\_\_\_\_

Core/Elective Course: \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Professional and Leadership Development

a) Professional resume feedback: *When do you plan to complete this?* \_\_\_\_\_

b) Professional interview prep: *When do you plan to complete this?* \_\_\_\_\_

c) Describe a leadership experience you intend to pursue:

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## 4. Foreign Language Skills

Foreign language skills are not required for the Peace Corps Prep Program, but are required for certain Peace Corps placement sites. Requirements depend upon desired Peace Corps volunteer placement site. *Spanish-speaking countries*: two 200-level courses); *West Africa/French-speaking countries*: one 200-level course in any Romance Language; *Everywhere else*: no explicit requirements, but language skills are a plus.

Language: \_\_\_\_\_

List the highest level courses you plan to take:

Course 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Course 2: \_\_\_\_\_

*Describe your alternative learning process (e.g., native speaker) and high school language courses:*

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## 5. Peace Corps Prep Check In/Event Experience

Meet with a Peace Corps Prep Committee member or attend a Peace Corps Prep event: \_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature: Peace Corps Prep Committee Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



## RELEASE OF INFORMATION FORM

With your approval, the Missouri State University Peace Corps Preparatory (PC Prep) program will release information on a regular basis to the Peace Corps, including details about the participants in this program and other relevant data that help the Peace Corps evaluate the effectiveness of PC Prep. These educational records are subject to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), a Federal law designed to protect the privacy of a student's educational records. This Act prohibits college officials from disclosing any records, including grade reports, academic standings, transcripts of records, or any other records, which contain information directly related to the student and from which the student can be individually identified without the student's consent. Consistent with FERPA guidelines, Missouri State University will not release records related to your performance in the PC Prep program, other than those enumerated in this disclosure agreement.

I hereby permit Missouri State University to disclose personally identifiable information to Peace Corps regarding my participation in the PC Prep program for the purposes of evaluating PC Prep. This information will be limited to my name, date of admission to PC Prep, the coursework and other activities I pursued to satisfy PC Prep requirements, date of graduation, and whether I successfully completed the PC Prep upon graduation. If I do not ultimately enter the Peace Corps, Missouri State University may report post-graduation career information to the extent that Missouri State University has that information.

Student Name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address, Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_