

INSTRUCTIONS

Thank you for your interest in the **Aboitiz Future Leaders Business Summit!**

Please read the next pages carefully and familiarize yourself with the program objectives, eligibility, and requirements.

About the Aboitiz Future Leaders Business Summit

The Aboitiz Future Leaders Business Summit (AFLBS) is an annual gathering of the top 90 carefully selected college students across the Philippines to learn about business and leadership. It is Aboitiz's way of affirming and inspiring a continued belief in the unique and outstanding capabilities of the Filipino among today's youth.

The Summit provides the students with a renewed and refreshed outlook towards the country and poses a challenge to the Filipino youth to step out of their collegiate mindset, look into the future, and aspire to be one of the country's future leaders in whatever field they plan to pursue, business or otherwise.

The Summit features plenary discussions, games, and teambuilding exercises, simulating real work and business situations.

Program Objectives

The Summit aims to prepare each student delegate to enter the corporate world, to help them realize their future role in nation-building, and to inspire young Filipinos to develop renewed faith and hope in our country, encouraging them to strive for excellence in all things. It also gives them an opportunity to network and form ties with CEOs, executives, team leaders and team members of the Aboitiz Group of Companies, as well as fellow young leaders.

Program Eligibility

To apply for the AFLBS, the applicant must:

- Be a Filipino citizen, 25 years old or younger at the time of the Summit
- Be a bonafide undergraduate student of a school / university
- Be a 3rd or 4th year student of a 4-year course; 4th or 5th year student of a 5-year course (by June 2012)
- Be taking up any course in the following fields of study: Business Management, Accounting, Communications, Political Science, Information Technology, Marketing, Finance, Engineering, Psychology, Economics, and Law
- Be ranked in the top 20 of their college or department
- Be an active leader or officer of any student organization – student government, academic, cause-oriented, socio-civic or religious in nature
- Possesses excellent communication skills
- Not have any disciplinary case inside or outside campus

Program Application Requirements

The applicant must submit all of the following documents:

- A fully completed application form. Applicants can download a copy of the application forms from our website.
- A certified true copy of the applicant's college transcript for all undergraduate course work, ending with the grades from the first semester of SY 2011 – 2012. *(Note: Once the applicant qualifies for the next round of screening, the Screening Committee will require the applicant to present the second semester grades of SY 2011 – 2012 with a certification from the School Registrar stating the cumulative overall GPA /GWA of the applicant.)*
- Certification from the School Registrar stating the overall cumulative GPA / GWA of the applicant and the percentage equivalent grade.
- Certifications supporting leadership experience, awards received, and community involvements.
- A signed recommendation letter
- Personal essay, artwork, or photograph

All application documents submitted will become the property of the company and will NOT be returned to the applicants.

Completed applications should be submitted to our corporate offices on or before **March 30, 2012**.

Complete ALL sections of this application. **Items marked with an asterisk (*) are required.** Failure to answer these items will disqualify the applicant. Print your answers clearly and accurately. Appearance and completeness will be considered during the evaluation. Attach your most current 2X2 colored photo on the upper right corner of this page.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name (Last, First, Middle Initial, Nickname)		2 X 2 PHOTO with white background (Do not staple)		
Age	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy)			
Gender	Religion			
School You Are Currently Attending	Cumulative GPA for all undergraduate course work and percentage equivalent grade* (eg. 1.3, 92%)			
Course & Major*	Year Level By June 2012*	Year Graduating from College*	Year Graduated from HS	

CONTACT INFORMATION

Current Mailing Address (Street Address, Barangay / Village, City, Zip Code, Province)			
Provincial Mailing Address (Street Address, Barangay / Village, City, Zip Code, Province)			
Phone Number	Mobile Number	Fax Number	E-Mail Address

FAMILY BACKGROUND

Father	Occupation, Company	Contact Number
Mother	Occupation, Company	Contact Number
Legal Guardian (Name, Relationship)	Occupation, Company	Contact Number

3 AWARDS

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List down the five (5) most significant awards you have received during college for school or extra-curricular activities joined. **All fields are required.** Please provide supporting documents / certifications for all entries. Photocopies are accepted¹

	Name of Award (Rank, Name of Award)	<i>Award Description</i>	Award-Giving Body	Date Awarded	Level (National, Regional, Division, District, School)
	<i>2nd Place, Feature Writing, National Secondary Schools Press Conference</i>	<i>Placed second among all the regional finalists of the press conference</i>	<i>Department of Education</i>	<i>February 22-26, 2009</i>	<i>National</i>
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¹ IDs, programmes, medals, trophies, or pictures of the award are not accepted. Please provide a written certification signed by an authorized person, either from the academe or from the award-giving body.

4 EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

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List down your five (5) most significant leadership positions & community involvements during college, school-related or not. **All fields are required.** Please provide supporting documents / certifications for all entries. Photocopies are accepted.¹

LEADERSHIP

	Position	Organizations	Significant Contribution	Inclusive Dates	Level (National, Regional, Division, District, School)
	<i>President</i>	<i>Regional Federation of Junior Philippine Accountants</i>	<i>Implemented projects</i>	<i>2008-2009</i>	Regional
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COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

	Community Activities	Activity Description	Role	Inclusive Dates
	<i>Brigada Eskwela</i>	<i>Painted chairs and tables for Banilad Night High School</i>	<i>Volunteer</i>	<i>May 23, 2009</i>
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¹ For the Leadership section, the Committee will only accept certifications signed by the Student Affairs Office or the organization's adviser(s) stating the position(s) held by the applicant and the inclusive years.

Given the opportunity, how would you significantly change the Philippines?

Expound on the topic through any of the following: writing an essay, painting an artwork, or taking a photograph. Choose only one.

Essay. Your essay must be original and has not been previously printed in any publication or submitted as a requirement for any school subject. Submit a one-page, 350-word, typewritten essay. Those who choose this category must also email a soft copy of the essay to futuretalents@aboitiz.com

Artwork. Your artwork must be original and has not won previously in any contest. Submit an 8.5" x 11" artwork using any medium of your choice (pencil, watercolor, etc). On a separate sheet of paper, write a brief description of your artwork. (Maximum of 100 words)

Photograph. Your photograph must be original and has not won previously in any contest. Digital retouching is tolerable on density, contrast adjustments, minor cropping on composition, burning and dodging. Creative effects done at the time of exposure, such as multiple exposures, fill flash, side lighting, strobist, use of filters, etc, are also allowed. Submit a printed 8" x 10" photograph and a CD or DVD containing the soft file of the photograph (jpeg format). On a separate sheet of paper, write a brief description of your photograph. (Maximum of 100 words)

To the Applicant

Choose one (1) evaluator, either academe or non-academe, who will write a recommendation letter for you.

The **academe evaluator** can be any of the following:

1. Class Adviser
2. School Guidance Counselor / Student Affairs Officer
3. School Principal / Dean
4. Adviser of a school-based organization, where the applicant is a member of
5. Teacher/Professor of the applicant in at least one subject

The **non-academe evaluator** can be anyone from the community (parish priest, barangay captain / councilor, or employee) who can vouch for the potential and ability of the applicant.

Ask your Evaluator to write a recommendation letter, answering the following questions below. Your Evaluators should sign the recommendation letter and put it inside a white letter envelope. The letter envelope should be sealed, signed across the flap, and returned to you.

The sealed envelope should be enclosed together with your completed application. Please note that unsigned and unsealed recommendation letters will not be honored.

To the Evaluators

Your candid assessment of the applicant will assist the screening committee of the 7th AFLBS. We greatly appreciate your time and effort in writing a recommendation. This recommendation is to be returned to the applicant. Please seal and sign the back flap of the envelope.

On your professional letterhead, please type or write a one-page recommendation for the applicant, answering the following items below:

Name of Evaluator:

Position Title:

School / Company:

Mobile Number:

1. How long have you known the applicant and in what connection?
2. What do you consider the applicant's talents or strengths?
3. What do you consider the applicant's weaknesses or areas for improvement?
4. Would you endorse the applicant for the AFLBS? Why or why not?
5. Please feel free to provide any additional information about the applicant's record, potential or personal qualities, which you believe would be helpful to the Scholarship Selection Committee in considering this person's application.