

October 2019 IDI Apprentice Application

About the Apprenticeship Program

The apprentice program with IDI is a guided and collaborative approach to deepening your intimacy practice. This is a professional mentorship program designed to increase access and communication, across the globe, for the development of new intimacy professionals.

The apprentice program is not for those who have just begun their journey. Additionally, it is not a graduate program, nor does it assure accreditation or certification. The IDI Apprentice Program requires your continued efforts as a working professional and active collaborator and gives you better access to a team of professionals in the industry. ***Please note: A maximum of 10 applicants will be accepted.***

The benefits include:

- Online forum for discussion
- Mentorship for specific projects
- Monthly Webinar discussions with Lead Instructors
- Opportunities to shadow/assist workshops

Fees: \$10/month, \$120/year

Application

Please include the following in a single PDF:

- CV/Resume specifically for Intimacy Direction/Coordination
 - In addition to your professional or educational experience, please include any related training i.e. MHFA, trauma, consent, choreography, conflict negotiation, diversity/inclusion, implicit bias
- Two Letters of Recommendation
 - These letters should reflect a professional working and artistic relationship and comment specifically on your dedication to and relationship to intimacy work and professional disposition. Suggestions include:
 - Directors with whom you have worked
 - Intimacy Directors you have assisted
 - Student testimonials
- List of 50 Hours of Training with IDI
- Questionnaire
 - Who are you as an artist beyond intimacy work?
 - What are your goals within this work/why do you want certification?
 - How do you see yourself contributing to this field? What are you most curious to explore?
 - What are your areas of weakness in the work – where can we help you grow?
 - What are your areas of strength in the work – where can you help us grow?
 - The field of intimacy work involves navigating systems of power across a spectrum of identities. How has your identity impacted your professional work?
 - Why do you want to work with IDI?
 - What is your understanding of the Pillars in your current work?

Application Process

Applications will only be accepted with a \$15 application fee, which can be submitted here:

<https://www.teamidi.org/duesandpayments>

Applications will close on October 30th at midnight EST. Late applications will not be considered.

A follow-up interview may be requested.

Notices of Acceptance will be delivered via email by November 31st at midnight EST.

Due to demand, we are only accepting a maximum of 10 apprentices at this time.