

2022 Application for Nomination Board of Trustees Voting Member

Unity Renaissance Spiritual Life Center

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Nominating Council:</u></p> <p>Valerie Winters, Board Liaison C: 757-202-1371 Valeriewinters757@gmail.com</p> <p>Joleen Zackowski, Committee C: 757-619-1807 penzack@verizon.net</p> <p>Dean Ratzlaff, Committee C: 502-295-8461 deanratzloff@hotmail.com</p> <p>Nick Flores, Alternate C: 757-395-7847</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Dates and Deadlines:</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">The application is due into the Unity Renaissance Office no later than the Close of business, Thursday December 22, 2022</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Elections will be held at the Annual Membership Meeting, January 22, 2023.</p>
<p>I shall live in accord with the universal principles of love and truth as demonstrated by our master teacher, Jesus the Christ; And, further the work of Unity Renaissance with active interest, love and support.</p>	

Thank you for your interest in serving Unity Renaissance Spiritual Life Center. This application is your first step in the election process. The Nominating Committee will review each application and construct a slate of candidates.

- Read the Bylaws for further information about our operations and qualifications for Board of Trustees.
- Contact the board liaison with any questions about board service.
- Qualifications for the Board, process, and duties of office are explained in ARTICLE 6, Sections 1-9, & 11-14.
- The Board officers are president, vice president, two treasurers, and two secretaries. The Board decides officers' positions each year following the election of new members.

Information to Facilitate Your Board of Trustees Application Process:

1. Review Unity Renaissance Bylaws (Last Revised January 2017)
2. 12 Commitments for Board Service

Application available in two locations:

- Download information online - www.UnityRenaissance.org
- Printed packet available on Narthex Welcome Desk

Submit Completed Applications: (Chose One)

1. Email to Valerie Winters
2. Deliver a printed copy to Unity Renaissance Office

This personal information is confidential and will be used by the Nominating Council. It will not be publicized.

Name			
Address			
Home Phone		Cell	
Best call time		Email	
Signature			Date

Name: _____

This information Will Be Made Public.

_____ Yes/No I am willing to comply with a background check. Please proofread and correct your application as the committee copies your completed application for distribution. We will copy exactly what you have written in the allotted space. We use electronic means (email, web) to publicize the candidates. If you have any concerns about this, please discuss with Joleen Zackowski or Dean Ratzlaff using the contact method provided above. You may make this form longer if you type answers into online form. If hand written, attach additional pages as needed.

- _____ Yes or No **I have been an active member for at least 2 years and meet the membership requirements** as stated in Article Section 9A # 2. *Qualifications of the Voting Trustees* of the Unity Renaissance Bylaws.
- **I have been a member of Unity Renaissance since**_____.
- **I have attended Unity Renaissance for** _____ **years.**
- **I have attended a full Board of Trustees meeting on** _____ . (date)
- **I have attended a Finance Committee meeting on** _____ . (date)
- _____ Yes or No **I have read the Bylaws** and I have discussed any questions I may have with the board liaison, Valerie Winters.
- **I am willing to commit** _____ **hours of Board service per month.**
- _____ Yes or No **I am willing to tithe regularly or be a consistent financial contributor to Unity Renaissance.**
- _____ Yes or No **I have an email address and use it regularly.**
- **Qualification:** I have demonstrated leadership capabilities within Unity Renaissance. I have listed the leadership roles in which I have served.

Group/Team/Committee	Role	Dates (approx.)

- The following is my listed leadership experience outside Unity Renaissance, which would enhance my work on the Board.

Organization	Role	Dates (approx.)

Name: _____

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Take your time and fill out. Attach additional pages as needed.

I have listed my Unity classes, workshops, and/or conferences that I have attended.

Classes - List names	Location	Dates (approx.)
Workshops - List names		
Conferences - List names		

1. What is inspiring you to step forward and be considered for our Board at this time?
2. What do you believe makes a great leader?
3. Do you consider yourself a “team player”? How has that shown up in your life?
4. Authentic and open communication is an essential part of being on the Board, along with accessibility and responsiveness. What makes you a good communicator?
5. My vision for Unity Renaissance in the next 3-5 years. (100 words or less)
6. My unique gifts or talents I bring to the spiritual leadership team(s) (100 words or less)
7. I would like the members of Unity Renaissance to know more about me. (e.g. prior Unity experience or other spiritual paths) (100 words or less)