



NDSR Boston Host Application and Project Proposal

Deadline: April 25, 2014



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Please see the Host Application instructions and checklist on pages 2 and 3 of this document. On the NDSR website there are detailed guidelines outlining application requirements and required attributes of a host institution.

Please e-mail the completed application and supporting documents to:

ndsr-boston@hulmail.harvard.edu by April 25, 2014.

Your Contact Information

First Name

Last Name

E-mail Address

Phone

Date

Submitted

Organization name - (Name, location)

Primary Mentor (Name)

Primary Mentor (Title)

Primary Mentor (E-mail address)

Primary Mentor (Phone number)

Additional Mentor Name (if applicable)

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NDSR Boston Host Applicant Instructions

To become a host for the NDSR Boston, please compile the following and submit in one email to ndsr-boston@hulmail.harvard.edu with the subject “(INSTITUTION NAME) HOST APPLICATION.” The deadline to submit is 5 p.m. on **April 25, 2014**.

1. **Letter of Commitment** – This letter should be created and signed by an upper-level manager and should state their support for the NDSR Boston at their institution. (Example posted on NDSR Boston website (http://projects.iq.harvard.edu/ndsr_boston)).
2. **Statement of Interest** – This brief document (less than one page) should outline why this applicant will make a good host institution. It should describe the nature of digital materials available for projects, including current digital stewardship initiatives and programs at the institution, and identify how the environment will be conducive for resident learning. This is where the applicant institution might identify previous experience hosting interns and/or residents.
3. **Identification of Mentors** – This document should identify a primary mentor that will be the staff member designated as the resident’s “supervisor of record”. This person will serve as the resident’s main point of contact and be able to answer questions about the organization, program and community. In addition, you may want to include additional mentors who make up the project team. Please describe why those individuals will be effective mentors and how they are qualified. Please include the resume of the primary mentor as part of the application package.
4. **Project Proposal** – Please use the form beginning on page 4 of this document to clearly identify the scope of work that the resident will complete throughout the experience. The proposal should include the nature of the project, the context for the project (the project’s role in the bigger picture of the institution and possibly for outside the institution), a proposed timeline for completion (with relevant milestones), and a description of the project deliverable(s) at the end of the program. Page 4 has a form that should be used for the project proposal. (Example posted on NDSR Boston website, "Project Template Example" (http://projects.iq.harvard.edu/ndsr_boston)).

Host Application Checklist

Completed application form

Statement of interest

Letter of commitment

CV of Primary Mentor

Project Proposal



*For more information or guidance please see the example entitled, "**Project Template Example**" posted on the NDSR Boston website. Also included is a list of required attributes of host institutions.*



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Date Submitted

Submitted by:

Project Proposal Title

Specific Goals/Objectives

Timeframe & Deliverables

Resources Required

Context

Required Knowledge and Skills for Residents

Preferred Knowledge or Experience of Resident