

# FIRST GEN

## Ambassador Position Description

### Overview

First Gen Ambassadors are a group of Conestoga First Generation students that come together to support one another and promote awareness of First Gens on campus. Bi-weekly team meetings provide opportunities for development in the areas of teamwork, leadership, communication and event planning.

### Volunteer Requirements

- Enjoy being a positive ambassador for Conestoga College and the First Generation Student Initiative
- Be registered as a part-time or full-time student at Conestoga College
- Possess or have a desire to build strong communication and teamwork skills
- Show respect and support of fellow First Gen Students

### Roles and Responsibilities

- Foster a sense of pride and belonging amongst First Gen Students
- Share your perspectives, challenges and accomplishments as a First Gen Student
- Promote awareness of First Gen Students on campus
- Meet bi-weekly for 1 to 1.5 hours from September through April
- Assist in the planning, organization and execution of various on-campus events

### Opportunities for Growth and Development

- Increase your interpersonal skills including teamwork and leadership development
- Strengthen your critical thinking and problem solving skills
- Network with other students and staff on campus
- Enhance your employment portfolio with valuable volunteer experience
- Have fun while making an impact in your community

### Recognition

- Thank-you letter
- Certificate of Recognition from Conestoga College's First Generation

If you have any questions, please contact Shannon Glachan, First Generation Project Manager:  
[sglachan@conestogac.on.ca](mailto:sglachan@conestogac.on.ca) or 519-748-5220 ext. 2729

# FIRST GENERATION STUDENTS INITIATIVE STUDENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPLICATION FORM

## REGISTRATION FORM

<b>Full Name:</b>	<b>Student ID:</b>
<b>Email Address:</b>	<b>Phone Number:</b>
<b>Campus:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Doon <input type="checkbox"/> Guelph <input type="checkbox"/> Waterloo <input type="checkbox"/> Cambridge <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
<b>College Status:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Full-time <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time –Day <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time – CE <input type="checkbox"/> Training & Development <input type="checkbox"/> Online <input type="checkbox"/> Individual courses <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Semester:</b>
<b>Program Type:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Apprenticeship <input type="checkbox"/> Degree <input type="checkbox"/> Post Diploma/Degree <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate Diploma <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Co-op Individual Courses/Special Studies	
<b>School:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Business and Hospitality <input type="checkbox"/> Health and Life Sciences, and Community Services <input type="checkbox"/> Career & Academic Access <input type="checkbox"/> Liberal Studies <input type="checkbox"/> Conestoga Language Institute <input type="checkbox"/> Media and Design <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing Ed <input type="checkbox"/> Trades & Apprenticeship <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering / Information Technology <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	

**How did you hear about this volunteer opportunity?** (Please select all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Faculty        | <input type="checkbox"/> LCD Screen Ad                   | <input type="checkbox"/> First Generation Display Booth |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Staff          | <input type="checkbox"/> First Generation Website        | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Students | <input type="checkbox"/> First Generation Bulletin Board |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Poster         | <input type="checkbox"/> Info Desk                       |   |

**Please indicate briefly why you are interested in this volunteer leadership opportunity.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please submit your application form in person to room 2A103 – Office #4, or by email to [sglachen@conestogc.on.ca](mailto:sglachen@conestogc.on.ca). If you have any questions, please contact Shannon Glachan, First Generation Project Manager: [sglachen@conestogac.on.ca](mailto:sglachen@conestogac.on.ca) or 519-748-5220 ext. 2729



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*The following are for statistical data collection only (optional)*

<b>Did your parent(s)/guardian(s) go to college, university or another apprenticeship program either in Canada or another country?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	<b>What is your first Language (i.e. which language(s) did you learn at home in your childhood)?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> English <input type="checkbox"/> French <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
<b>Are you an Aboriginal Student?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>If yes, are you registered with Aboriginal Services?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<b>Do you have a disability?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>If yes, are you registered with Disability Services?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>What is your age?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> under 19 <input type="checkbox"/> 19-20 <input type="checkbox"/> 21-25 <input type="checkbox"/> 26-30 <input type="checkbox"/> 31-39 <input type="checkbox"/> 40-49 <input type="checkbox"/> 50+	

The information collected here will be used by Conestoga College's First Generation Department in an effort to better understand the demographics of students who are involved in activities and services, and to further develop these opportunities. **Any statistical information gathered by the department is kept confidential.**

Thank you for taking the time to fill out this information.