



# 2020 Catholic Social Ministry Gathering

January 25 – 28, 2020, Washington, D.C.

## ***DOI Recommendation Form***

### **Instructions:**

*This form is to be filled out and signed in order to support an application for financial assistance to attend the 2020 Catholic Social Ministry Gathering in Washington, D.C. For more information on CSMG 2020 or our Diversity Outreach Initiative, visit [www.catholicsocialministrygathering.org](http://www.catholicsocialministrygathering.org). It's preferred that this form is returned to the applicant to be submitted together with her/his application, or it may be sent directly to the contact at the end of this form. **Application deadline is October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019.***

### **Information to be Completed by Applicant:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Diocese you live in or work/volunteer for: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Your Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Information to be Completed by Person Recommending the Applicant:**

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Organization and Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**In what professional or other capacity do you know the applicant?**

**How long have you known the applicant?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Which one of the following best describes your role or position** (place an "x" in the space to the left):

A Diocesan Director -- Social Action/Social Ministry/Peace & Justice/Justice & Life/Disability/Cultural Concerns

A CSMG committee member at one of the CSMG collaborating organizations.

The CSMG Young Leaders Initiative coordinator at your college or university.



In a few lines, please describe some way in which the applicant demonstrates (or shows potential to demonstrate) aptitude for some form of social ministry, or makes a significant contribution to her/his organization, parish, community, etc?

In what way(s) might participants in CSMG 2020 learn or benefit from the leadership, wisdom, and/or experience of this applicant?

What significant benefit might the applicant receive from participating in a conference like the Catholic Social Ministry Gathering? (To learn more, visit [www.catholicsocialministrygathering.org](http://www.catholicsocialministrygathering.org).)

In what ways can you imagine that experience at CSMG will better prepare the applicant to collaborate with you and/or other social ministry leaders/organizations or Catholic institutions?

Any further comment or recommendation that the Applicant has engaged in advocacy/lobbying at any level (local, state, national)?

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

Completed forms or questions may be directed to:      Email: [doiapplications@usccb.org](mailto:doiapplications@usccb.org)  
Fax: 202-541-3339 Phone: 202-541-3380

*The CSMG 2020 Diversity Committee appreciates your taking time to assist with this important effort, which we believe benefits not only the applicant but our entire conference and the wider Church.*