

Drew Honduras Project 2008 - 2009 Trip

New Applicants Only

(Those who HAVE NOT been accepted to the project before)

This application is intended to provide us with information about your background, skills, and experiences in order to convey a better understanding of you as a potential Honduras Project participant. Please use this form to present any talents, abilities, or strengths that you feel may be pertinent to a project of this nature. Please be specific; we would like to hear about your own visions and goals here at Drew as well as your past experiences.

We ask that you also obtain TWO letters of recommendation from peers and/or faculty/staff.

These individuals do not need to be Drew University students or faculty/staff. Please include these recommendations with your application. Please print Response Questions and attach to application.

Name: _____

Class: Freshman
Sophomore
Junior
Senior

Extension: _____

CM Box: _____

Response Questions

- 1) Do you speak Spanish and if so, at what level? (Not required)
- 2) What types of work, activities or organization are you involved in at Drew or at home?
- 3) Are you planning to participate in any off-campus programs at Drew? Where? When?
- 4) Have you traveled outside the United States before? Where? If you have participated in a Drew off-campus program, please list the name of the faculty advisor or coordinator.
- 5) On this trip you will be asked to perform many hours of physical labor in hot weather. How will you be able to handle this environment?
- 6) How will you motivate yourself and others to keep working under strenuous conditions?
- 7) If you could bring one object to represent yourself and/or your culture to share with the children in Honduras, what would it be and why?
- 8) Why did you choose to apply to our program? What do you feel you could contribute?
- 9) Many people have described this trip as a culture shock, a shift in perception that affected them in dramatic ways. Describe a situation in which you found yourself in a new environment. How do you think you will react when we arrive in Honduras?
- 10) What do you expect to benefit from this trip and the others around you?
- 11) As a member of the Honduras Project you will be responsible for raising \$850. Does this pose a significant problem for you? Please explain your answer?

Return this application to the UC desk Honduras Project mail box no later than Tuesday, September 23 by 8:00 p.m.

If you have any questions, please e-mail Lauren Spiechowski at lspiecho@drew.edu.