

## THON 2019 Executive Director Application

**On a cover letter, please provide the following information:**

Name	Major(s)/Minor(s)
Email Address	Cumulative GPA
School Address	Anticipated Credits Fall '18 & Spring '19
Permanent Address	Summer Plans and Location
Phone Number	Resume

**Please provide complete answers to each of the following questions:**

1. Why do you want to be the Executive Director of the *largest student-run philanthropy in the world*?
2. What leadership qualities are necessary for the Executive Director to possess? In what ways do you exhibit these characteristics?
3. What are the challenges facing the Penn State THON in the coming years? How do you, as the Executive Director, plan to address these issues?
4. What is the responsibility of the Executive Director to the Executive Committee, the Four Diamonds Advisory Board, THON volunteers and the Penn State Community?
5. Give an honest self-assessment of your achievements and failures this year. How will this affect your year as the Executive Director?
6. Please reflect upon how your THON experiences have helped you to grow as a leader. In what areas do you think that you need to grow further in to be an effective Executive Director for THON 2019?
7. What suggestions and new ideas do you have for the improvement of Penn State THON 2019, 2024... 2029? Use this question to present your long-term vision of THON; use bullet points if you wish.

### **Directions:**

Applicants should turn in 2 complete copies of their application (typed and printed on white paper, stapled and placed in a manila envelope with their name) to 227D HUB in Andrew Smith's mailbox no later than **5pm Wednesday, March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018**. In addition, please email the file of the application and resume to Andrew Smith at [director@thon.org](mailto:director@thon.org). Interviews, if offered, will take place on Thursday, March 15, 2018.

**\*Late applications will not be accepted\***

*If you have questions, please contact:*

Andrew Smith

THON 2018 Executive Director

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