**Organizing For Action (OFA) Fellowship Program**

Why the OFA Fellowship Program?
The OFA Fellowship exists to train a new generation of progressive organizers. The program helps develop local talent who can become volunteer leaders upon completing the program, or work as organizers in the progressive movement. Fellows work closely with local chapters and teams to help implement OFA’s issue campaigns.

To apply for this position: [https://my.barackobama.com/page/signup/organizing-for-action-fellowship-application-2015](https://my.barackobama.com/page/signup/organizing-for-action-fellowship-application-2015)

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**ORGANIZING FOR ACTION FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION**

Calling all action takers! Organizing for Action is launching its elite fellowship program to train the next generation of progressive change makers. Fellows will emerge from this intensive 12-week program highly skilled in the tools community organizers use every day to create change in their communities. Working alongside veteran organizers in OFA’s tried and tested chapter structure, Fellows will work on issues that matter, such as climate change, the economy, health care, and women’s rights, among others.

The application process is highly competitive. We are looking for leaders who are not just ready to join the progressive movement, but to jump right in. It all starts with an intense two day training to introduce who we are and what we do. Fellows will have the opportunity to dig deeper on a specific skill, such as digital organizing or management, or design and execute a project for the chapter.

None of this will be done alone. Fellows will take part in additional learning opportunities through webinars and in-person trainings. They will be matched with expert managers, who will work alongside them. We believe lateral learning is important to growing our movement and Fellows will be able to connect to other Fellows across the country through special online tools and conference calls. The work we do is important, but so are the people who do it. We want to develop the next generation of organizers and will be our Fellows’ biggest cheerleaders and coaches throughout their fellowship.

The best part? Fellows will graduate from the program actually knowing how to take action on national and local issues. They will learn the ropes from some of the most effective grassroots organizers in the country and can use that knowledge to launch a career in the progressive movement. The rigor and reward Fellows experience is an unmatched opportunity.

OFA’s fellowships are unpaid, volunteer programs. Change isn’t easy — and neither is this fellowship. Apply today to join the ranks of action takers willing to do the hard work required to make change in your community.

Statement of Purpose: Organizing for Action (OFA) is a non-partisan, issue advocacy organization committed to growing the grassroots movement by training, educating, and activating civically engaged community members across the country. As a grassroots driven organization, OFA is dedicated to empowering action takers with the skills and tools needed to tip the scales of power back to the American people and away from the special interests in Washington, D.C. In carrying out its work, OFA will operate as a “social welfare” organization within the meaning of section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code.