

## **AYLUS Leadership Application Form**

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Branch Name	Greater Princeton
Current Branch Position	President
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Position to apply $(1^{st} \text{ Choice})$	President
Position to apply $(2^{nd} \text{ Choice})$	Chief Philanthropy Officer

**Note:** For applying committee chair position, please skip the 2<sup>nd</sup> Choice

Please email this application to: aylfus@gmail.com

Short Essay on why applying for this position (150-350 words):

My name is Steven Li and I'm running for National President of AYLUS.

My journey with AYLUS began in 8th grade when I joined as co-founder at Greater Princeton AYLUS. I have been one of the most active members since then, doing volunteering for community food banks, forest restoration, clothing drives, fundraising, and hospitals. In my early years, my teammates were welcoming and encouraging, fueling my desire to continue volunteering and serving the Princeton area.

Since then, I have become the branch president leading our team to host multiple youth benefit concerts & art shows, give thanks to thousands of first responder heroes, conduct business for charity, and continue countless other volunteering projects. Hundreds of our members have been recognized by the PVSA, the State of New Jersey Senate & Assembly, and local organizations.

I have learned much about service and leadership by participating in volunteer events, and I am grateful for the opportunities I received at AYLUS. If selected as national president, I will work towards implementing the following:

- Promoting and continuing all kinds of fundraising efforts, encouraging AYLUS youth volunteerism, and welcoming new branches & members
- Hosting a national leadership summit to help branch leaders build their leadership skills
- Promoting teamwork by recognizing volunteer projects that demonstrate collaboration and service skills