**PUBLIC VOICES THOUGHT LEADERSHIP FELLOWSHIP**

**Emory University is partnering with the OpEd Project to expand the range of voices heard in the public sphere. With this fellowship, we will increase the number of women and minority scholars who are “thought leaders” in the nation’s most visible forums by teaching them how to write for and connect to major media outlets.**

**This program is for Emory University faculty.**

A small number of graduate students may also be selected if space is available. Space is limited to twenty participants.

**Applications are due by June 14 at 5 PM.**

**PROGRAM DETAILS:**

* FOUR seminars/workshops on thought leadership spread out over a year
* Regular/weekly DEDICATED COACHING AND EDITING from top journalists
* Monthly conversations with MEDIA GATEKEEPERS (New York Times, CNN, etc.)
* ONGOING MENTORING for an additional year with Mentor-Editors

**REQUIREMENTS OF THOSE ACCEPTED:**

1. You must attend all four quarterly gatherings. (You will know exact dates before you are asked to commit.)

Tentative dates for this four-part workshop are as follows:

* Friday, September 6 and Saturday, September 7, 2013
* Friday, January 10, 2014
* Friday, May 16, 2014
* Friday, August 22, 2014
1. You must commit to write (with the support of the program) a minimum of two Op-Ed essays. (Note: We expect all participants to make every effort to publish a minimum of two Op-Eds, and hopefully many more. Our first cohort of 20 fellows published over 45 Op-Eds within their first year.)

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**The OpEd Project Application Form**

**Email completed application *as a PDF document* to cwe@emory.edu.**

***Please type in your responses. Handwritten applications will not be considered. Questions? Contact the Center for Women at 404-727-2031.***

1. Your Name:
2. Your Title:
3. If faculty, are you

[ ]  tenured [ ]  tenure track [ ]  non-tenure track

1. Department:
2. School:
3. If a graduate student, please indicate
* Degree sought (M.A., Ph.D., etc.):
* Year accepted:
* Expected year of graduation:
* ABD? [ ]  Yes [ ]  No
1. Email:
2. Phone
* Work:
* Home/cell:
1. Home address
* Street:
* City: State: Zip code:
1. Work address
* Mailstop:
* Building:
1. Website
2. In 600 words or less, describe why your research or scholarship is of public value or can inform the important conversations of our day both in and outside of academia.
3. In 300 words or less, describe an Op-Ed you would like to write.
4. In 300 words or less, provide a biography of yourself for a non-academic audience.