

Rules and Regulations:

Please read the following carefully and sign at the bottom to show that you have understood and complied with these rules and regulations.

1. This form must be filled out by the Nominee.
2. Nominees must be between the ages of 14 and 18 as of March 1st, 2010.
3. Nominees may not submit more than one form, unless instructed specifically to re-submit by the Prize Committee. Multiple submissions from one Nominee will lead to the disqualification of that person.
4. Nominees must have generated the innovative idea on their own.
5. Innovative ideas must be verifiable. Finalists must be in a position to show judges their project and demonstrate thorough knowledge of how they implemented the project.
6. All entries received before the closing date will be judged by a Prize Committee. Decisions of the Prize Committee are final.
7. The Prize Committee will be formed and continue at the discretion of African Leadership Academy.
8. On or after March 10, 2010, finalists will be contacted by the Prize Committee with an invitation to the Finalist Weekend. Shortly thereafter, the list of finalists will be posted at www.africanleadershipacademy.org
9. Finalists who cannot attend the Finalist Weekend are not eligible for the Prize.
10. During Finalist Weekends, African Leadership Academy reserves the right to document all events including photography and Finalist agree to waive any rights to photos or other media created at Finalist Weekends.
11. Winners can choose 3 members from their community to decide how the portion of the prize that goes to the community will be used to benefit the community.
12. Innovations in all fields (science and technology, civil society, arts & culture, sports, etc) will be considered by the Prize Committee
13. Award Winners agree to have their images used in promotional material by African Leadership Academy and/or sponsors of this award.
14. You must sign the bottom of this page and include it with your application for your application to be considered complete. Incomplete applications will be rejected.
15. African Leadership Academy reserves the right to cancel, withdraw from or otherwise end or modify this Prize offering at any time.

Submitting Your Application:

Please complete both sides of this form. Be sure to sign your name and date on the bottom of each page of your application.

You can submit your application in one of four ways:

- **Via email** to innovationprize@africanleadershipacademy.org. (This is the preferred method!)
- **Via fax** to +27 11 252 6190
- **Via certified courier** to African Leadership Academy, 1050 Printech Avenue, Honeydew, 2040, South Africa Please list "Admissions" as the receiver and write +27 11 699 3000 for the receiver's phone number.
- If you cannot use any of the above methods, please submit your application via **regular postal mail** to PostNet Suite 413, Private Bag X1, Northcliff, 2115 South Africa. **Please only use regular postal mail as a last resort.**

Deadline: March 31st 2010

Applications must be **received** by **March 31st 2010**. We strongly encourage you to submit your application as soon as possible.

We cannot evaluate applications that arrive after the deadline.

Confirmation of Receipt:

You will receive a confirmation via SMS and/or email after we receive your application. Please contact the Admissions Office **only** if you do not receive a confirmation message **within one week**. **Please keep a full copy of all application materials in case your application is lost in transit.**

Signed: _____

Date: _____