



**Mississippi Counseling Association
2020-21 Dianne Dunagin Speed
Emerging Leader Application
Deadline May 15, 2020**

Mississippi Counseling Association (MCA) encourages its members to become actively involved in leadership positions within the organization. MCA Emerging Leaders are those who desire to hold leadership roles in MCA divisions, interest groups, or regions. Emerging Leaders may also become elected members of the MCA Administrative Council. Those selected as an Emerging Leader **are expected to attend the next MCA Institute for Leadership Training, which is held June 28 – June 30, 2020 at the Pearl River Resort in Philadelphia, MS. In addition, each emerging leader will agree to attend the November 11th – 13th, 2020 MCA Annual Conference at Pearl River Resort in Philadelphia, MS and volunteer for three hours of service during the conference at the Pre-Registration Table. This allows the members to see you and get to know you. Also, you will be introduced at the Opening Session. Emerging leaders are expected to continue their service for our organization in the future.**

Emerging leaders should be practicing counselors in the state of Mississippi.

If you are interested in becoming an Emerging Leader, please **complete and email this application with resume and 3 letters of recommendation** to:

**Jan Lemon
MCA President, 2020-21
mcaemergingleaders@gmail.com**

Applicant: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Primary Work/Study Area: _____ Clinical Mental Health _____ School
_____ College/University _____ Other: _____

Current Occupation: _____

Are you a current member of MCA? _____ Yes _____ No

If Yes, then how many years? _____

What MCA region do you reside in? _____

What Divisions or Interest Groups are you currently a member of? _____



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1. Have you ever held a leadership position within MCA? _____ Yes _____ No

If Yes, what leadership position(s) have you held in MCA (committees, regions, divisions, interest sections)?

2. List the leadership positions you have held within the last five (5) years outside MCA?

3. What do you expect to learn by becoming an Emerging Leader and attending the next Institute for Leadership Training (June 28th – June 30th)?

4. What MCA leadership position would you like to seek and why?