



ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY

**CHANGEMAKER CHALLENGE
MENTOR COMMITMENT FORM
2016-2017**

We appreciate your commitment to serve as mentor to Arizona State University students applying for the Changemaker Challenge. Mentors play an integral role in helping students design a venture, project, prototype or community partnership that meets community needs, stays on track with established benchmarks and goals, and maximizes impact.

Mentors are encouraged to provide guidance as students draft their proposals and develop their ideas. Mentors will also support students once Changemaker Challenge winners are announced.

As a mentor, before your students submit their application you agree:

- To make yourself available to your student team as they refine their project.
- To use the judging criteria in the areas of innovation, impact, implementation, and presentation to assess your teams materials prior to submittal.

As a mentor, if your students do not win an Changemaker Challenge award you agree:

- To review the students' application and the feedback received from judges.
- To offer suggestions about how the students might improve their project proposal.

As a mentor, if your students do win an Changemaker Challenge award you agree:

- To communicate with the Team Leader at least once per month to review progress on project implementation for a period of 12 months starting on the date the award monies are disbursed (expected in March 2017). Communication may occur via email, phone or in person visits.
- To connect students with community partners or other resources that might assist with project design and implementation.

Questions about mentor responsibilities may be directed to susan.sajadi@asu.edu.

By signing this agreement letter you have affirmed that you have read and understand the role of a mentor, and that you are willing to serve as a mentor to the Changemaker Challenge team named below. If you have any questions regarding the information presented in this document, please contact susan.sajadi@asu.edu.

Please complete this form and return it to the team leader to submit with their application prior to the deadline of November 20, 2016 at 6 p.m. (Arizona Time).

Please print:

Changemaker Challenge Team

Name: _____

Team Leader's Name: _____

Mentor's Name: _____

Mentor's Email: _____

Mentor Signature

Date

Team Leader Signature

Date