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2012 Ottawa Rose Selection Application Form

PERSONAL DETAILS

Name in full:

Name normally used:

Address:

Date of Birth:

Place of Birth (i.e. City, County, Country):

Telephone

Home:

Work:

Cell:

Email (if you do not have a personal email address, please supply an alternative one where we can reach you). **It is imperative that this email account is accessed on a regular basis.**

EMPLOYMENT

Current occupation:

Organisation:

Do you plan this as a full time career (please elaborate)?

PARENTS AND FAMILY

Father's name:

Place of birth:

Address & Tel No:

Mother's name:

Place of birth:

Address & Tel No (if different from above):

Do you or members of your family have any active involvement with organisations, clubs, etc?

Have any members of your family entered the Rose Selection in the past? If so, please give details (name, year, centre etc.).

EDUCATION

Please give brief details of education to date

LEISURE ACTIVITIES/SPECIAL INTEREST

Please list your hobbies, leisure activities, sports interests or club membership(s). Include any special achievements.

Do you play a musical instrument, sing or dance, participate in sports, belong to a group or take part in club activities, perform on stage?

Please list your likes/dislikes:

List your favourite entertainers/performers:

What do you most like about where you live and work?

Have you previously entered any events similar to the Rose of Tralee? Give details.

Is there any personality you would like to meet and why?

What would it mean to you if you became a Rose?

What qualities do you think a Rose should have?

What are your personal goals and ambitions?

What personal quality are you most proud of?

Where do you see yourself five years from now?

There may be an opportunity for Roses to perform during the selection process. If you wish to be considered please state below what you would like to perform. It is important to note that **performances are not obligatory** but are purely a form of entertainment and are not considered in the judging process.

NO YES

If you answered 'Yes' above, please elaborate:

Eligibility Criteria 2012

All entrants must:

- a) Be 18 years of age by January 1st 2012 and will not have reached your 28th birthday on or prior to September 1st 2012.
- b) Be unmarried or never been married.
- c) Be born in Ireland or of Irish origin by virtue of ancestors having been born in Ireland.
- d) Never have previously represented any Centre as a Rose in the Regional Final or International Rose of Tralee Selection.
- e) Be available for Rose Selection events in Ottawa March 9th - 11th 2012 and if selected be available for the Regional Final in Ireland May 31st - June 4th 2012 and International Festival events in Ireland Aug 11th - 22nd 2012.

Please include the entry fee of \$300 payable to The Rose of Tralee, Ottawa Centre (It is recommended the applicant solicit a sponsor who's name will be on the sash at the Ottawa selection and who will be acknowledged at a variety of events)

Please note that it is your responsibility that you comply to all the above eligibility criteria. Breach of the above will result in automatic disqualification.

Sponsors and associates of the Rose of Tralee International Festival may contact you in the future with information about their product and services. If you do not wish to receive such information please tick here _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

The Rose of Tralee, Ottawa Centre reserves the right at any time to disqualify a Rose from participation in the 2012 Ottawa Selection process, with immediate effect if she has in the opinion of the Ottawa Centre committed a breach of the entry requirements or should do anything which may in the opinion of the Centre bring the Rose of Tralee International Festival Company into disrepute.

Please return completed form before Feb 24th 2012

to: info@roseoftralee.ca

and mail to:

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