

Overview

Through its Master Trainer Certification program, experienced credit building practitioners become credentialed to deliver CBA's nationally recognized *Credit as an Asset* training to financial coaches, counselors, and other professionals who support low-income and underserved communities in building strong credit profiles.

This in-depth certification program provides participants with:

- * Comprehensive in-person and virtual training and continuing education on course materials and facilitation;
- * Full access to license *Credit as an Asset* curriculum with the ability to adapt course materials for use in local communities; and
- * On-going professional development opportunities, technical assistance, and regular updates on changes in the credit industry.

Apply to Become a Master Trainer!

Instructions

1. Review program requirements and upcoming training sessions here: cbatraininginstitute.org/credit-as-an-asset-master-trainer-certification-program/
2. Complete the application form here by March 15th.
3. Send a professional resumé to CBA at training@creditbuildersalliance.org by March 15th.

Scholarships

A limited number of scholarships are available. If you wish to apply for a scholarship, complete the scholarship section in this application.

Commitment and Understanding

Please indicate that you understand the intended purpose of this program: CBA's *Credit as an Asset* Master Trainer Certification program is intended for financial coaches, counselors, asset building practitioners, and others with at least two years of relevant experience.

Once certified, trainers can use the curriculum with the primary purpose of providing training and consulting services to other financial coaches, counselors and organizations who seek to develop their knowledge, skills and programming related to credit building and credit education.

* 1. By selecting yes below, I verify that I have support from my organization and supervisor to attend this training and I understand the intended purpose of this training.

Yes

Section 2: About You

2. First Name

* 3. Contact Information

Last Name

Organization/Company

Address

Address 2

City

State

ZIP

Email Address

Phone Number

* 4. I am (select one):

- Employed by a non-profit/community-based organization
- Employed by a non-profit financial institution
- Employed by a for-profit corporation or financial institution
- Self-employed
- Other (please specify)

* 5. Why do you want to become certified to provide CBA's *Credit as an Asset* training?

Section 3: About Your Experience

* 6. My work involves (select all that apply):

- Financial coaching
- Financial counseling (including credit counseling, housing counseling, etc.)
- Asset building
- Other (please specify)
- Lending
- Small business development
- Training and adult education

* 7. Do you serve any of the below communities who often face specific credit challenges? Select all communities that apply.

- Persons with disabilities
- Persons of color
- Justice exposed persons (returning citizens)
- Domestic violence survivors
- Other (please specify)
- Immigrants and/or refugees
- Youth
- Native communities
- Veterans/Service members

* 8. Do you have any specific expertise/cultural competency serving the unique needs of these communities? Please describe.

* 9. Describe your ideas for conducting training in your community if you become certified as a *Credit as an Asset* Master Trainer.

* 10. Have you previously attended the *Credit as an Asset* training?

- Yes
- No

11. If yes, specify year and location.

Year

Location

Section 4: Program Costs and Scholarship Information

The cost of CBA's Master Trainer Certification program is \$1,500 for a 3-year term, plus a \$200 annual recertification and curriculum licensing fee (the \$200 recertification and curriculum licensing fee does not apply to year one). CBA has a limited number of scholarships for program fees, and may also be able to offer limited travel funds in cases of financial hardship.

* 12. Are you interested in applying for a scholarship?

Yes

No

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13. Please describe your need for a scholarship.

14. How will receipt of a scholarship impact your organization and community?

15. What is the annual budget of your organization/budget?

16. Only limited travel funds are available. If you are selected to receive a scholarship, are you/your organization prepared to cover your travel costs to attend the 2-day training?

- Yes
- No
- Other (please specify)

Section 5: Training Information

* 17. Do you have any dietary restrictions? If yes, please describe.

Vegetarian

Nut-free

Vegan

Pork-free

Gluten-free

N/a

Dairy-free

Other (please specify)

* 18. Do you require any reasonable accommodation to attend this event? If yes, please describe.

No

Yes

Other (please specify)

* 19. If CBA is unable to grant you a slot in this training, are you interested in attending a future training? If no, please explain.

Yes

No

Other (please specify)

Section 6: Conclusion

Please email your professional resume to training@creditbuildersalliance.org by March 15th. Your application will not be considered until it is received.

In order to submit your application, click "done."

Thank you for your application!