



# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Membership open exclusively by referral.

## We Rise To SERVE!

Mission:

Women of Distinction strive to empower women and their families to achieve their full potential.

Applications due by 11:59 PM on September 30th

Email to: **wodatlanta@gmail.com** or Complete your online application and submit with your non-refundable application fee.



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Dear Sister,

You are invited to complete the application process to become a member of Women of Distinction, Incorporated ("WOD"), an established organization dedicated to faith, service, and the empowerment of women.

Membership in WOD offers opportunities for connection with other women who share a commitment to leadership, education, and values that have guided the organization through generations. WOD supports women and their families in achieving their full potential across spiritual, social, and economic dimensions.

Please consider the following points as you review this invitation:

- Choice involves deciding whether to accept circumstances or to pursue improvement
- Power is considered an inherent quality
- Happiness relates to mindset and perspective
- Willingness reflects a readiness to contribute one's time, abilities, and effort

Collaboration among women has contributed to meaningful progress in various settings. WOD values diversity and unity, recognizing the importance of collective action. Members serve as leaders, supporters, and visionaries, working toward goals that reflect the organization's mission.

The primary aim of WOD is to promote positive social and community change in Georgia and throughout the United States, emphasizing faith, professionalism, and support for others.

To be considered for membership, please submit your completed application by September 30th via email to [wodatlanta@gmail.com](mailto:wodatlanta@gmail.com) or by submitting your completed application online together with your professional photo and non-refundable application fee of \$75.00 which can be paid online (click donate button) [www.wodatlanta.org](http://www.wodatlanta.org).

Thank you for your interest.

*Alfreda Stukes*

Sincerely,  
Alfreda Stukes  
Founder & CEO



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Women of Distinction Incorporated (“WOD”) based in Georgia, started its work in the underserved communities of Atlanta and its suburbs in 2005. This laid the foundation for the organization becoming incorporated as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation in 2010.

WOD empowers women and their families by connecting them to essential community resources, including healthcare, education, mentorship, and success tools. Each year, WOD impacts thousands of lives through its core programs:

**Mentorship:** Youth programs feature initiatives like Coding (in partnership with NCBW100), Interview Prep (presentation skills, Dress for Success, scholarships), and “A Circle of Women” serving more than 100 mentees from elementary to college aged students in Atlanta

**Health:** The Annual Health and Wellness Fair delivers free health education, screenings, and resources to the community. With many Americans lacking health insurance, WOD’s health fair—established in 2009—partners with healthcare organizations to address chronic conditions prevalent in underserved areas

**Veterans:** The “Combat Boots to Stilettos” program helps female veterans transition from military to civilian life, offering mentorship and life skills to support their successful adjustment

**International:** The Young African Leaders’ Initiative (YALI) Leadership Program, in partnership with Clark Atlanta University, brings young African adults to the U.S. each year who participate in various events to network and learn best practices in business from top executives, equipping them with tools to share in Africa

**Advocacy:** WOD At Work - Know Your Rights and VOTE! The mission is to empower individuals, especially young adults, within deprived communities, with the knowledge, resources, and support needed to exercise their voting rights. We are committed to fostering civic engagement, advancing accessibility, and ensuring that every voice is heard and counted in our democracy.

WOD also maintains ongoing specialty outreach efforts such as Mother’s Day visits with gift baskets for mothers and children in shelters, an annual Healthy Breakfast with Santa Claus, hosted in partnership with the Men of Distinction-Atlanta, LLC, where new toys are distributed to inner-city children, and the signature Scholarship and Empowerment Luncheon, raising money for educational scholarships for young women aspiring higher education and also honoring outstanding female leaders for their work and achievements in the community.



## Membership Application - Due Date September 30th

Submit your non-refundable application fee of \$75.00 online at [www.wodatlanta.org](http://www.wodatlanta.org).

### Contact Information:

Mrs. \_\_\_\_ Ms. \_\_\_\_ Miss \_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. #: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ (check one: Cell ☐ Home ☐ Office ☐  
Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ (Month) \_\_\_\_\_ (Year) (**must be 30 plus to apply**)  
E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Profession: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

### Please write brief statements to answer the questions below:

1. Explain why you want to become a member of WOD: \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. What characteristics or skills would you bring to WOD: \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. Provide an example of an initiative that you would like to create and implement: \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. State your experience working with non-profits: \_\_\_\_\_  
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### Please list two Professional References, relationship to you and email address:

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1<sup>st</sup> Reference Name

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**We are thrilled to welcome you into our sisterhood, embarking on this journey together as we support the community and uplift each other in service!**

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