



King County

Office of Law Enforcement Oversight

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Thank you for your interest in Community Advisory Committee for Law Enforcement Oversight (CACLEO). Individuals interested in serving on a King County board, commission or committee will be required to also complete a King County Ethics Program Financial Disclosure Form within two weeks of being nominated.

CACLEO APPLICATION FORM

CONTACT INFORMATION

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(If available)

King County Council District #: 6

PERSONAL INFORMATION

King County OLEO is committed to inclusiveness and outreach to all King County residents to ensure the CAC is reflective of the public we serve. *Providing information below is voluntary, and will assist in achieving this goal.*

Race/Ethnicity/Language/Immigration:

(Check all that apply)

- Asian/Pacific Islander
- African American
- African American (New Arrival)
- Native American
- Latinx
- White
- Immigrant
- Refugee
- Non-Citizen

Gender Identity & Orientation:

(Check all that apply)

- Female
- Male
- Non-Cis
- Transgendered
- LGBQ

Do you have a disability as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act? no
(Yes/No)

Age:
35/Under 36-59 60+

2. Please list and briefly describe the community-based organizations with which you are affiliated.
3. Do you have experience conducting outreach to the public? If so, please describe.
4. Please describe your experience in event or meeting planning and management.
5. What is your experience working or interacting with police?

Please indicate the following areas in which you have professional or personal experience:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Civil Rights Groups | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sexual Assault | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lobbying |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Labor Unions | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Domestic Violence | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Legislative/Government |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Disabilities | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public Speaking/Public Testimony |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clergy/Faith-based | <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health/Behavioral Crisis | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Media Relations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Homelessness | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Immigration | <input type="checkbox"/> Event Management |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> English as a 2nd/3rd Language | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Business Owner |

AVAILABILITY (YES/NO)

Are you able to attend a monthly meeting and commit 4 to 6 hours per month to CACLEO? yes

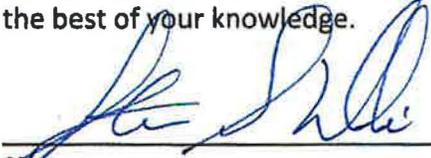
Are you able to attend community events, trainings, or join phone calls with OLEO staff (always scheduled in advance) if within monthly commitment? yes

Are you able to participate effectively in committee meetings, collaborate respectfully with other members, listen and provide constructive feedback, and be open to a diversity of ideas? yes

Are you able to check e-mail and make timely responses? yes

AUTHORIZATION

By signing below, you indicate that the information provided on this application form is true and correct, to the best of your knowledge.



 Signature

6/11/2020

 Date (MM/DD/YYYY)

Please return the completed form to:

ATTN: OLEO Community Engagement Manager
 King County Office of Law Enforcement Oversight (OLEO)

Via e-mail: oleo@kingcounty.gov
 USPS: 810 3rd Avenue, Seattle WA 98104

CACLEO Statement of Interest -- Steve Miller

1. As a teenager in Oklahoma, I attended a protest at a George Wallace rally with the NAACP Youth group and witnessed the state troopers beating my fellow black students while ignoring me and the white participants. I started my legal career as a Deputy King County Prosecutor. After spending several years as a prosecutor, I went to the University of Indonesia Law Faculty on a Fulbright and taught comparative criminal justice systems and had the time to reflect on the U.S. criminal system and what works and what does not. I concluded the U.S. criminal justice system was failing its victims, its community and the defendants. Now at the end of my career, I am coming full circle to become engaged with criminal justice reform and police reform again.
2. I have been engaged with Northwest Immigrant Rights Project and One America. I am currently the Advocacy Chair for the Washington State Chapter of the American Immigration Lawyers Association. I have worked with the Seattle Clemency Project in expanding its services to seek pardons for noncitizens face with deportation and met with state legislators to advocate broader criminal justice reform. I was on the Justice Advocacy Network's drafting committee for the King County Immigration Ordinance and lobbied its adoption in 2018. I have worked with ACLU. I was a co-founder and chair of the League of Education Voters.
3. I have been involved with community outreach for much of my life. Professionally, I helped organize public outreach for the development and passage of growth management and land use plans for King County in the 1980's. In education, my work on school district bond and levy campaigns led me to form the statewide League of Education Voters which ran two state wide initiative campaigns. As a proponent of immigration reforms. I have been involved in multiple efforts of community outreach in the region and state.
4. I spent 11 years on the Bellevue School Board and 13 years on the Bellevue College Board. Planning for public meetings and management of the meetings were part of the role of board to help the organization be successful in the community. I have also been involved with planning events for state wide campaigns and many King County meetings.
5. From my days as teenage and college activist to my years as I prosecutor, I have engaged with the police in a variety of roles. I have worried about being arrested during protests. I have ridden in police cars to see what life on the beat was like. I have learned from experienced detectives much about evidence and investigations. I have had trouble with individual officers whose cases were too often accompanied by pictures of bruised defendants and charges of resisting arrests. I have discussed with police management proper roles for police in schools and privacy protections for immigrant defendants. As attorney for the King County Council, I have worked with the sheriff's office in establishing the AFIS system and DNA protocols for the jail and sexual assault investigations for the police.

STEVEN S. MILLER

EMPLOYMENT

1990 to present:

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Member in a eight attorney law firm, limiting its practice to immigration law. For 20 years, Steve has limited his practice to immigration law, specializing on complex cases and hearings. He has been a featured speaker on immigration law many times since 1990 for local, regional and national conferences. He writes frequently for professional publications and general media on immigration topics. Steve has been a member of the Executive Board of the Washington Chapter of the American Immigration Lawyer's Association (AILA) and served as the Chapter Chair from 2006-2008. He also served on the Board, the Finance Committee and task forces for AILA's national organization. He currently serves as Washington State Chair of the Advocacy Committee.

1986 - 1990 Legal Counsel to the King County Council,
Seattle, Washington

1982 - 1985 Deputy Director, King County Department of Planning and
Community Development,
Seattle, Washington

1981 - 1982 Associate, Foster Pepper & Riviera,
Seattle, Washington

1981 Consultant, Legal Training for Indonesian Legal Aid,
Jakarta, Indonesia

1980 Fulbright Fellow, Faculty of Law, University of Indonesia,
Jakarta, Indonesia
Lecturer, Comparative Criminal Law

1977 - 1980 Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, Criminal Division,
King County Prosecuting Attorney's Office
Seattle, Washington

B.A., 1972
Honors in Economics

Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts
J.D., 1977
Cum Laude; invited to join Law Review
Instructor, U.S. Income Tax, International Tax Program
Harvard Law School, 1977