

## Campus Leader Guide and Application Form

### So, you want to be a Campus Leader for Students for Concealed Carry on Campus (SCCC)?

By reading this guide and submitting an application, you are taking an important initiative in the ongoing campaign to amend state laws and campus policies to allow licensed (CHL/CCW) individuals to carry concealed handguns on college campuses.

### What exactly do campus leaders do?

SCCC leadership is divided into three levels: National, Regional, and Campus. National Officers oversee the daily operation of SCCC, manage the finances, establish contacts with other pro-gun groups, coordinate media efforts, and more. Regional Directors bridge the gap between Campus Leaders and National Officers. They oversee schools in 5-15 states, depending on the region. Their job is to help the Campus Leaders in their region and to coordinate with other Regional Directors.

If the individual members of SCCC were foot soldiers, Campus Leaders would be their lieutenants or squadron leaders. Campus Leaders recruit, promote, plan, organize, and implement ideas and demonstrations. It is not necessary to create a university-recognized "chapter" of SCCC at your school; though, you are more than welcome to do so if you so choose.

Additionally, Campus Leaders are our go-to people when the media requests an interview. The media could be your school newspaper, local newspaper, a radio show, local TV, or even national news. As such, in order to be a Campus Leader you must be willing and able (whenever possible) to speak with the media. When you are unable to personally accommodate a media request, it is your responsibility to delegate an SCCC member from your campus to accommodate that request. Please note that, when talking to the media, you represent SCCC. Interviews are ***NOT*** your chance at 15 seconds of fame. Be mindful of what you're saying and the questions you're being asked. Do not get pulled into topics such as open carry, concealed carry in elementary or high schools, unlicensed concealed carry, concealed carry in bars or other places that aren't colleges, or any other topic on which SCCC has not taken an official stance. The appropriate answer to any such question is, "SCCC has no official position on that issue." Whenever possible, you should avoid volunteering your personal views on unrelated political issues, your opinions of political candidates and political parties, and information about your personal beliefs, when acting in an official capacity as a representative of SCCC.

As a campus leader you must be thoroughly familiar with the facts of this issue, the most common opposing arguments, and the laws and regulations in your state. In preparation for any debate or interview, you should take the time to review the current laws and policies for your state and school, as well as the "Answers to the Most Common Arguments Against Concealed Carry on College Campuses" page on SCCC's website.

By filling out an application to be a Campus Leader, you agree to act within the confines of municipal, state, and federal law, as well as the rules, regulations, and policies of your college/university, when acting in your official capacity for SCCC. You agree not to use your position with SCCC to engage in, condone, or endorse any activity or action that violates any law or campus policy.

### Still interested?

Please fill out the application and submit it to [apply@concealedcampus.org](mailto:apply@concealedcampus.org).

# SCCC Campus Leader Application

All fields must be filled out, or your application will not be processed.

Full legal name (as it appears on your driver's license):

Your name as you would like it to be listed on SCCC's website (no nicknames):

College currently attending:

Anticipated graduation date:

Location of college (City, State):

Phone number:

Email address:

Any past leadership roles or experience with the media:

FOR RECORD KEEPING PURPOSES ONLY (optional):

Birth date:

CHL/CCW status (select only one):

\_\_\_\_\_ I hold a valid Concealed Handgun License/  
Concealed Carry Weapons permit issued  
by the state of \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have applied for a Concealed Handgun  
License/Concealed Carry Weapons permit  
from the state of \_\_\_\_\_,  
and my application is currently pending.

\_\_\_\_\_ I applied for a Concealed Handgun License/  
Concealed Carry Weapons permit from the  
state of \_\_\_\_\_, but my  
application was rejected.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have not applied for a Concealed  
Handgun License/Concealed Carry  
Weapons permit because (please select one):

- A. I do not live in a shall-issue state.
- B. I am not yet of legal age to obtain a  
CHL/CCW in my state.
- C. I support concealed carry on college  
campuses; however, I am not interested  
in obtaining a CHL/CCW myself.
- D. Applying for a CHL/CCW is something  
I plan on doing in the near future.

Other political and/or activist organization of which you are a member: