## SUSTAINABILITY CERTIFICATE APPLICATION FORM

Applications to the Sustainability Certificate are open to all Ivey HBA students. Please email your completed application form (in Word doc format), or any questions about the application process, to Ali Rilett, Centre Coordinator of the Centre for Building Sustainable Value, at arilett@ivey.ca.

**Deadlines:** Ivey students apply by the morning of September 8, 2025, of their first HBA year. Dual degree students can apply any time before September 8, 2025, of their first or second HBA year. Enrolment is limited.

**Decisions:** Acceptance decisions will be issued by end of day on September 9, 2025.

The application consists of a resume and a standard 'fill-in-the-blank' form with three essay questions (600 words in total). Our selection process looks for candidates with deep personal and professional commitment to sustainability over the long-term. Our goal is to assemble a cohort of students with varied approaches, understandings, and goals for leading and building sustainable organizations. We are not looking for a perfect candidate, but rather to gain authentic insight into your own aspirations and achievements.

Pending acceptance into the certificate, your bio, photo, and answers to questions 1-3 will be posted on the <u>Centre for Building Sustainable Value website</u>. **If you'd like any of your information to remain private**, please note this on your application email.

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Name:

Email:

**Photo:** Please attach an action shot that depicts your sustainability side rather than a professional portrait. Please attach as a JPEG or PNG file in your application email.

**Bio:** (100 words)

**Question 1:** What is your personal definition of sustainability? (100 words)

Question 2: What role do you see sustainability playing in your professional career? (200 words)

Question 3: What sustainability projects have you been engaged in? (200 words)

**Question 4:** Please list any sustainability-related interests that you would like to explore further during the certificate. *Note: This information helps us pair you with a mentor and allows us to cater this year's events and speakers to your interests.* 

**Question 5 (Optional):** Please list any special considerations (i.e. exchange student, dual degree etc.)