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# LEADER'S APPLICATION FORM

## CUBA 2012

### Personal Details

Name

Address

Sex. M/F

Date of Birth

Post Code

E-Mail

Home Tel.

Mobile No.

Daytime Phone Number

Occupation

### Emergency Contact Details

Next of Kin \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Home Tel No. \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Tel No. \_\_\_\_\_

Address:-

**Personal Qualifications**

Do you have a current first aid qualification?

YES/NO

Issued By  
date.

Expiry

Do you hold a current UK driving licence?

YES/NO

Year of issue:

Swimming ability:

non-swimmer

Up to 50 metres

50 – 400 metres

over 400 metres

Do you have, or have you ever had, any physical/mental health problems, including addiction to alcohol or drugs? YES/NO

If yes, please give details:

Do you hold, or have you ever held a criminal record?

YES/NO

If yes, please give details:

Please note that on becoming a leader with BEG you will be required to undergo Enhanced Disclosure and that if you fail to disclose a criminal record this may lead to your subsequent rejection if selected.

BEG's Policies on Disclosure and related issues such as ex-offenders can be sent out on request.

Should you be unclear about any of the above questions, or you wish to discuss any of their issues in confidence please contact **chair@borders-exploration-group.org.uk**

Please give details of any certificates or awards relevant to this application:

What practical skills could you offer the expedition? e.g. building skills, languages, cooking, map reading.

**B. Experience**

Have you been on a previous BEG expedition?  
Which expedition and in what capacity?

YES/NO

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Please outline your experiences in the following areas, past and present.

Youth involvement

Outdoor activities

Please give details of previous foreign travel and of time spent away from home *and* family (e.g. residential experience).

Voluntary work (not previously mentioned)

Any other information you may feel is relevant

### C. General

Where did you hear about BEG/Cuba 2012 and why do you want to go on this expedition?

If successful, you will be living and working in a demanding situation for 3 – 4 weeks. What personal qualities and interests do you have which you feel will help make this expedition a success?

What personal qualities do you feel will make you a good leader?

Please ensure this form is returned in time as late applications and references will not be considered.

## D. Fundraising

The cost of an expedition is considerable. How do you expect to fund your expedition costs? (Please note that you will be expected to help fundraise for general expedition costs and help venturers with their fundraising.)

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form by post (with sufficient postage) to:-

**Christine Anderson,  
7/60, Ratcliffe Terrace,  
Edinburgh,  
EH9 1ST**

Or alternatively e-mail to:-

**cuba2012@borders-exploration-group.org.uk**

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**Applications and References have to be returned by 1st April**

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Please ensure this form is returned in time as late applications and references will not be considered.

Please supply the names of 2 referees (not relatives). These should be from 2 unrelated sources. Please note that these referees may be contacted in person as part of the selection process.

1 Name of Referee \_\_\_\_\_

Address

Phone No \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known this person? \_\_\_\_\_

Context in which you know this person \_\_\_\_\_

2 Name of Referee \_\_\_\_\_

Address

Phone No \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known this person? \_\_\_\_\_

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*It is your responsibility to give the attached forms to your named referees for completion, allowing enough time so that all forms are returned by the date below.*

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Before 1<sup>st</sup> April 2011

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Leader's Reference Form

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Please give an honest assessment of the qualities of this candidate.

Rate the applicant from 1 to 5 in the qualities below (5 being high – 1 being low)

Use the box for the written part of your reference and make use of the same headings. Please securely attach any additional pages if required.

**Enthusiasm**

1 2 3 4 5

**Interpersonal skills, especially ability to interact with young people (aged 16-25).**

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**Initiative**

1 2 3 4 5

**Teamwork**

1 2 3 4 5

**Commitment**

1 2 3 4 5

**Leadership**

1 2 3 4 5



Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your help.

Name of Referee. \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Your address

Your phone number \_\_\_\_\_

For how long, and in what context, have you known the applicant?

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