

Statement of Purpose

*Chose four of the following questions and answer. Your responses should answer all aspects of the questions and should not exceed 250 words each. Please email to [bridgingsouthcentral@gmail.com](mailto:bridgingsouthcentral@gmail.com)*

- 1. What excites you most about Bridging South Central Communities? How do you envision your role in the collaborative?**
- 2. Define South Central Los Angeles? What's in the name? Describe issues that are important to you and your neighborhood?**
- 3. Describe previous service or community-based experiences within the last five years? How did you choose these endeavors? What did you “take-home” from these experiences?**
- 4. What are non-negotiable for a community-based collaborative? (Think of collaboration, recruitment, methods, funding, etc.) What core values or approaches do you believe are the most important? Why?**
- 5. Describe your overall vision for Bridging South Central Communities. In an ideal universe, what should we aim to achieve within a five and ten year period? How will we accomplish this long-term vision?**
- 6. What type of initiatives would you like Bridging South Central Communities leading in the future? Why?**