



# MR. BEAR LA 2019 Contestant Application



***Thank you for your interest in being a contestant for Mr. Bear LA Contest 2019!***

A Contestant Application follows this letter.

**We must receive your completed application no later than September 26, 2018.**

**Meet and Greet:**

When: Thursday, September 27<sup>th</sup>

Time: 9:00pm-11:00pm

Where: Eagle LA (4219 Santa Monica Blvd.)

**Bears LA Dinner (*optional*)**

When: Friday, September 28<sup>th</sup>

Time: 7:00pm-10:00pm

Where: Hunter & Charlie's (1050 Vine St.)

**Interview**

When: Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup>

Time: 12:00pm – 3:00pm

Where: Eagle LA (4219 Santa Monica Blvd.)

**Mr. Bear LA Contest**

When: Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup>

Time: 8:00pm – 2:00 am

Where: Eagle LA (4219 Santa Monica Blvd.)

**Victory Pool Party**

When: Sunday, September 30<sup>th</sup>

Time : TBD

Where: TBD



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## THE CONTEST

1. The Contest will begin with the introduction of the contestants in “**Bear Elegance**” (this is the time to wear what you feel your look the best in) segment, during which each contestant will be introduced and say a little bit about themselves.
2. In the next segment, the contestants will compete in the “**Bear Cruise Wear**” segment, during which each contestant will be asked two questions, one serious and one humorous.
3. Following a break, the contestants will then appear in the fantasy or “**Bear Minimum**” segment (use your imagination, but please, no genital display).
4. Contestants will do a “**Bear Run**” to collect money for chosen charity.

Remember, participation in the competition is mostly about having a great time and promoting the bear movement.

If have any questions regarding the contest or the application, please feel free to e-mail the producer Gabriel Green at [gabrielvgreen@gmail.com](mailto:gabrielvgreen@gmail.com)

Sincerely yours,

Sir Frank Cavallo

Mr. Leather Bear 2015

President of Bears LA



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## Requirements of Mr. Bear LA:

- Mr. Bear LA will be required to attend **Long Beach Pride** as well as **Los Angeles Pride**.
- You will be required to host a minimum of **2 Events** for **Bears LA** and **3 Bears LA Dinners** during your title year.
- You will be required to help out at **Bears LA Hosted Events**.
- You will be required to attend at least **5 Bears LA Board Meetings**.

## Code of Conduct:

As Mr. Bear LA, you represent our organization. So please conduct yourself accordingly:

- No excessive drinking while representing Bears LA.
- Please refrain from using drugs in public.
- Please be discreet in your public sexual escapades.



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Title Desired: Mr. Bear LA \_\_\_\_\_

If Mr. Bear LA cannot fulfill his obligation the 1st Runner will assume the position of Mr. Bear LA  
**2019**

Type or print clearly and complete both pages, including the signature on the following page.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Country (if not USA): \_\_\_\_\_

Email, if any: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Affiliation(s), if any: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsors, if any: \_\_\_\_\_

Title(s), if any: \_\_\_\_\_

Nickname (if any): \_\_\_\_\_



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Please describe yourself:

Please list your three (3) most important contributions to the Bear and/or Gay Communities. Limit your response to 100 words total.



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Write a Personal Advertisement / Fantasy (150 words or less). This will be read for you from the stage during the “fantasy” or “bear minimum” segment of the competition, so make it hot!

*Application continues...*



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By signing below, I certify that I have read, understood, and agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. I am at least 21 years of age.
2. I understand that any genital display or blatant commercialism during any phase of the competition will be grounds for my immediate disqualification.
3. I understand that if I am chosen to be Mr. Bear LA, I will represent **Bears LA** and should therefore have sufficient flexibility for occasional travel. I understand that **Bears LA** is custodian of the travel fund for Mr. Bear LA to help defray the cost of transportation to events, subject to the guidelines established for the fund. I understand that I will be expected to conduct fundraisers or otherwise assist in raising funds to replenish and augment the travel fund.
4. I hereby authorize **Bears LA** to use my name, likeness, or photographic reproductions of myself for any publicity and/or publication in various media including print, video, film and online. I further understand that any such items will remain the sole property of **Bears LA**.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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