**Yoga Garden Teacher Training Scholarship Application**

1. In a few sentences, please share your observations about lack of diversity in yoga and your thoughts about how that could be improved.

2. In a few sentences, why is it important to you to make yoga available to a broader, more diverse range of communities?

3. If you have a specific community or audience you hope to engage with your teaching, please describe it.

4. The Yoga Garden Teacher Training costs $3,250 for the entire program. We are requesting a minimum contribution of $500 from the scholarship applicant, meaning you can request a scholarship of up to $2,750. The trainee will also be responsible for their own textbooks. (Approximately $75).  Enter the amount you are requesting for your scholarship.

5. We very much hope that whoever receives these scholarship dollars will persevere to complete the entire program, so that they can then be certified to teach. Please attach a short letter of reference from someone who knows you as someone who has follow-through and dedication.

Please email your application and letter of recommendation to [mark@yogagardenphilly.com](mailto:mark@yogagardenphilly.com) . At that point, we ask that you attend an in-person class with Mark Nelson. Please coordinate with Mark to attend a class for free. (Please note, we require proof of full Covid vaccination.)

We look forward to hearing from you!