

**Midwest POL Contestant Application**

**Midwest Person of Leather Contest**

**Sept 19-21, 2025**

**All applications are due July 1, 2025**

Contestants will be provided a registration code to use in the online registration process.

Contestants are charged a contest fee of $65.00 which includes:

* Contest Entry Fee
* Weekend Event Package

A link for this payment will be sent to you upon your submission of this application.

Please refer to the MWPOL Contestant Handbook for the basic philosophy, requirements,

expectations and contest details of the Midwest Person of Leather Title.

Please return an electronic copy of the completed application to Producer@MWLKA.fun in Ms Word format. You do not need to provide a hard copy of the application.

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1. Legal Name:
2. Scene Name:
3. Facebook, FetLife or other Social Networking Site Names:
4. Address:

City:

State:

ZIP:

Country:

Phone:

Email:

1. Date of Birth:
2. Gender Identity: Pronouns:
3. Please list the names of your entire support team.
4. Club or group affiliations:
5. Have you ever been convicted of a felony in the U.S. or any criminal act in another country that would be the equivalent of a felony crime in the U.S.? [Please note:  The decision as to whether a felony conviction or its equivalent will disqualify a contestant from competing for the IPOL Title is solely within the discretion and judgment of the Owner of IPOL.]

Yes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Please provide details below.)

No  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Have you ever been accused of a consent violation, abuse, or any other violation in the community? [Please note:  The decision as to whether an accusation of a community violation will disqualify a contestant from competing for the MWPOL Title is solely within the discretion and judgment of the Owner of the MWPOL Title System.]

Yes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Please provide details below.)

No  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Two (2) community references -- Please provide contact information (name, phone, and email). These references will be contacted by the Owner/Producer and will be asked to provide a written letter of reference. PLEASE NOTE – Choose your references carefully – you may NOT substitute new/different references if your original selections do not respond or do not respond by the deadline. Please double check that all information provided is correct.

Reference 1:

Reference 2:

1. Sponsors (not required):
2. Time in the Leather Community:
3. BDSM/Kink/Leather events attended in the past year:
4. Other leather titles held and dates:
5. Why have you decided to run for the Midwest Person of Leather? (Use as much space as needed.)
6. If you win the Midwest Person of Leather title, what would be your goal(s) for your title year? (Use as much space as needed.)
7. Describe your personality:
8. BDSM/Leather/Kink Community service work:
9. Favorite fetishes
10. Three words to describe you and why:
11. Holding a Midwest leather title like Midwest Person of Leather requires a serious time commitment on the part of the titleholder. Most of us have one or more things in our lives that demand significant amounts of our time. Please identify any circumstances in your life that demand a significant amount of your time and explain how, if you are chosen as Midwest Person of Leather, you plan to manage your time so that you can meet your life obligations as well as your obligations to the title. (Use as much space as needed.)
12. The Owner of the Midwest Person of Leather title is pleased to provide our titleholder with a travel fund, the amount of which varies from year to year. However, it is our experience that all Midwest titleholders, including Midwest Person of Leather, spend some amount of personal funds during their title year as they travel in support of the title. If you are chosen as Midwest Person of Leather, how do you plan to manage the additional financial burden that often comes with holding an Midwest title? (Use as much space as needed.)
13. Do you have accessibility needs? If so, please provide us with detailed information regarding how we may meet your needs.
14. Any additional information you would like the judges to know? (Use as much space as needed.)

**Confirmation and Disclaimer**

All contestants must review the following documents prior to submitting the Application. Please confirm the review has been completed by responding “yes” in the appropriate box below. All documents are available on the Midwest Leather Kink Alliance Website (WW.MWLKA.FUN).

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| Document | Respond YES  |
| Contestant Application  |  |
| Contestant Application – Disclaimer and Release of Liability |  |
| Midwest Person of Leather Judges’ Handbook |  |
| Midwest Person of Leather Contestant Handbook  |  |

*DISCLAIMER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY:* In consideration of the acceptance of our entry herewith by the owner and producer of South Plains Leatherfest and the Midwest Person of Leather Title and Contest, by completing this application we hereby waive, release and forever discharge South Plains, L.L.C., South Plains Leatherfest, its owners, producers, members, agents, operators, employees, lessors, lessees, parent companies or entities, affiliated companies or entities, representatives or subsidiaries from any and all demands, actions, causes of actions, claims of injury or damage to our persons, property or reputations, costs, damages, expenses, attorney’s fees or penalties of any kind or nature, whether asserted or unasserted, known or unknown, that may arise now or in the future from any cause whatsoever in connection with our participation in and with the Midwest Person of Leather Contest and South Plains Leatherfest. We hereby give permission for the use of our scene names in connection with publicity for South Plains Leatherfest and the Midwest Person of Leather title and contest. By completing this application, we hereby state that we have read and understand the above disclaimer. We further state that each of us is at least 21 years of age.

**Electronic Signature of Contestant by typing name:**

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For additional information, please contact Gidget at Producer@MWLKA.FUN

or refer to the MWLKA website at: [WWW.MWLKA.FUN](http://WWW.MWLKA.FUN)