**Accredited Retirement Plan Consultant** 

## **ARPS or ARPC Candidate Application**

Industry Professional Applicant Contact Information - (Note: This application is not for use by non-industry professional applicants)

| Applicant Information   |                |  |  |                  |  |  |  |  |
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| Full Name:  | Last First     |  | Date:  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| Company:  |                |  |  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| Address:  | Street Address |  |  | Apartment/Unit # |  |  |  |  |
|   | City           |  | State  | ZIP Code         |  |  |  |  |
| Phone:  | Email          |  |  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| Job Title:  |                |  |  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| Select the Designation(s) are you applying for? (Please select one only)  |                |  | Accredited Retirement Plan Consultant (ARPC)  Accredited Retirement Plan Specialist (ARPS) |                  |  |  |  |  |
| Applicant Eligibility Information   |                |  |  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| I have completed 1 year of full-time experience in the financial services industry (at least 1,000 hours, of which 25% of my time was spent on retirement plan products, administration or services). |                |  |  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| I certify that all information provided in this application is accurate and complete. I authorize verification of this information and apply for acceptance as a candidate for SPARK Training.        |                |  |  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| Signature:  |                |  | Date:  |                  |  |  |  |  |

| Supervisor / Work Colleague Information  |                         |   |               |                  |  |  |  |
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| Full Name:   | Last                    | First   | [<br>         | Date:            |  |  |  |
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|  | S                       | upervisor Certification & R   | ecommendation |                  |  |  |  |
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| I certify that I am/was the applicant's supervisor/work colleague, and while reporting to me, the candidate had, in the positions identified above, at least one year of full-time experience in financial services, with at least 25% of that time spent working on retirement plan products, administration or services. I understand that 1 year of full-time experience is defined for these purposes is at least 1,000 hours, and that qualifying work experience could include any, or all, of the following: plan design, administration, investment management, recordkeeping, communications, trustee, fiduciary or custody. Qualifying candidate roles include sales, administration, investment management, communications, legal, accounting or marketing. |                         |   |               |                  |  |  |  |
| information  |                         | cceptance as a candidate for the is accurate and complete to the information. |               |                  |  |  |  |
| Signature:   |                         |   | Date          | :                |  |  |  |
| Return this  | completed application   | form to:  |               |                  |  |  |  |
|  | strar@trauniversity.cor |   |               |                  |  |  |  |

Once your application has been reviewed, you will be contacted. If you have been accepted, we will send you payment instructions and access to our Learning Management System (LMS).

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