



Leadership Fox Cities

2019 - 2020 APPLICATION

MISSION STATEMENT

Leadership Fox Cities, a program of the Fox Cities Chamber of Commerce, strives to ensure continuation of the area's quality of life by providing a forum to develop and motivate future leaders.

BENEFITS OF LEADERSHIP FOX CITIES

- Participants gain access to leaders they may not have met and learn first-hand about community needs and resources beyond their previous experience.
- Participants engage in active learning, ask their own questions, and become aware of resources.
- Participants learn to work within diverse groups, develop consensus and to work together for a common good.
- Participants form a new leadership network and engage in service on boards, committees, etc.

Leadership Fox Cities thoughtfully considers information submitted on this application, and carefully selects a diverse group of applicants to create a class representing the business community, the arts, education, religion, government and community-based organizations. Applicants must have the full support of the organization or corporation they represent. Attendance at an opening retreat and at monthly sessions is mandatory. Those who fail to attend may be asked to withdraw, with no refund of tuition. Leadership Fox Cities is open to persons living or working in the greater Fox Cities area.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Please complete each section fully. Application must be signed by both applicant and employer/sponsor and returned to the **Leadership Fox Cities** office **no later than Friday, June 21, 2019**. Applications received after the deadline will be put on a waitlist for the 2020-2021 Leadership Fox Cities program.

HOW DID YOU HEAR OF LEADERSHIP FOX CITIES? _____

PERSONAL DATA

Date _____ Name _____

Last First Middle Initial

Male Female Place of Birth _____ Birth Date _____

How long have you been in the Fox Cities? _____ With what race do you identify (optional) _____

Preferred Mailing Address: Business Home

Address _____
Number Street City Zip Code

Cell Phone _____ Email Address _____



List 2 fun facts about yourself:

EMPLOYMENT

Business/Organization _____

Title/Responsibility _____ Business Phone _____

List previous 2 employers in reverse chronological order: (include active military duty)

Employer	Title/Responsibility	From	To
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

EDUCATION

Begin with high school; include college(s), advanced degrees and/or specialized training.

Name and location of school	Dates (start-end)	Degree	Major
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

List 3 business/professional affiliations; community, civic, religious, social, political/government, athletic, etc.

Organization	Dates
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

What do you consider your major leadership achievement to date?

GENERAL INFORMATION

Identify three major challenges in the Fox Cities area today.



Of the three major challenges noted above, which one would you work on to find a solution?

What would you expect to accomplish during the course of the year?

COMMITMENT

To graduate from Leadership Fox Cities, a participant is expected to:

- Attend and participate in a two-day, overnight, out of town Orientation Retreat in September.
- Attend and participate in all monthly sessions: September 26-27, 2019; October 8, 2019; November 12, 2019; December 10, 2019; January 14, 2020; February 11, 2020; March 10, 2020; April 14, 2020; May 12, 2020. Be on time and remain for the full sessions: 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Please plan accordingly. Attendance is mandatory.
- Participate in a small group service project during the program year, which is outside of the regular session schedule.
- Attend the commencement dinner on May 12, 2020.

TUITION

If accepted into the **Leadership Fox Cities** program, you or your employer/sponsor will be billed for the tuition fee which covers all education, training and meal expenses. If your company is a Fox Cities Chamber member, tuition is discounted to \$1,750. For non-members, tuition is \$2,250. **Tuition payment is to be fully paid by Friday, August 30, 2019.**

Amount of tuition your employer/sponsor will pay: \$ _____

Amount of tuition you will pay: \$ _____
(Participants are encouraged to pay a portion of the tuition themselves)

Please explain scholarship request*:

*There are two (2) \$500 scholarships available for non-profits or small businesses (25 employees or less) for the Leadership Fox Cities 2019-2020 program year. The remainder of the tuition is to be paid by the employer, the participant or a combination of both. Scholarship requests will be reviewed when the application deadline is met. You will be notified at that time if you receive a scholarship.

Please be sure you can attend each of the sessions listed above before submitting the Leadership Fox Cities application.

I understand the purposes of the **Leadership Fox Cities** program and if I am selected I agree to commit the time and energy necessary to complete the program. I understand that, barring an emergency, my attendance is required and failure to comply may result in my dismissal from the class without a tuition refund.

Applicant signature

Date



EMPLOYER APPROVAL— (if applicable)

This application has the approval of this organization and the applicant has our support including the time required to participate in the program.

Organization

Supervisor Signature

Title

Email

Print Name

Send application to:

Fox Cities Chamber of Commerce
ATTN: Leadership Fox Cities
125 N. Superior St.
Appleton WI 54911

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Friday, June 21, 2019