

Leadership HANOVER

LEADERSHIP HANOVER, presented by the Hanover Chamber Foundation, is an interactive learning experience which guides participants through philosophy and skill development.

CLASS OF 2024

September 2023 – May 2024



LH IS FOR YOU IF...

- ✓ You're emerging into or in a new leadership role
- ✓ You're in a transitional phase of your career
- ✓ You're a lifelong learner committed to evolving your success

8 CORE FOCUS AREAS

Cohorts include participants from a wide array of industries. Monthly sessions - led by accomplished presenters, panelists and facilitators – will ensure LH graduates demonstrate:

1. IMPROVED SELF-AWARENESS CAPABILITY
2. STRONGER PERSONAL LEADERSHIP COMPETENCY
3. GROWTH AS AN EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATOR
4. INCREASED SKILL IN TIME MANAGEMENT
5. GROWTH AS A TEAM BUILDER AND LEADER
6. ABILITY TO EMPOWER, COACH AND HOLD OTHERS ACCOUNTABLE
7. IMPROVED NETWORKING SKILLS
8. EVOLVING ABILITY TO CREATE A VISION AND ALIGNMENT FOR PROJECTS AND PLANS

Additionally, participants will deepen their understanding of key concepts to run an effective business, ability to develop and implement business processes on a daily and annual basis, and understanding of the impact both local government and community engagement has on businesses and individuals.



LEARNING & CONNECTIONS

Small group discussions, top-notch presenters, workshops, class socials, mentorships, expert panels, team building activities and more! Over the 9-month academy, you'll stay engaged by learning in many ways.

- ✓ **MONTHLY SESSIONS** take place on the second Tuesdays from 1-5pm, October to April.
- ✓ An **ORIENTATION** dinner will be held in September.
- ✓ Two post-session class **SOCIALS** will be held, one each semester.
- ✓ Our **DAY TRIP** to the VA Capitol takes place during the General Assembly in February.
- ✓ The final session in May takes place prior to the **GRADUATION CELEBRATION** with dinner.
- ✓ Limited **CLASS SIZE** to ensure the best experience.



LH builds connections that last forever! Our faculty are all connected to Hanover, so you get to know established leaders in your local area. Your classmates, faculty and our steering team become friends and peers you'll work with for years to come. Later, the alumni program broadens your network and learning.

APPLICATIONS

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE BY JULY 31 (or until the class is filled). Application forms are available for download on the Foundation website, www.HanoverChamberFoundation.org/LeadershipHanover. Be sure to complete the form, brief essay prompts and pay the application fee. A \$50 non-refundable fee is due at application and will go towards the \$1,500 tuition if accepted. Tuition balance is due September 30, 2023.

Sponsorships guarantee an enriching experience and assist in keeping tuition costs attainable for participants. Donations made to our 501c3 may be tax deductible. Please see our Sponsor Packet for more details.

