



Leadership Chenango Class of 2024 Application

Leadership Chenango is currently soliciting applications for the Class of 2024. We welcome and encourage diverse applicants who represent all genders, ages, lifestyles, interests, and backgrounds; who are willing and able to commit the time, energy and resources to complete this rigorous program; and who...

- Represent businesses, professions, non-profit organizations, governmental agencies, educational institutions, and other entities that contribute to the economy and quality of life of greater Chenango County.
- Are committed, motivated, and interested in serving in volunteer, appointed, paid or elected roles that directly benefit the Chenango County community.
- Have demonstrated career or community achievement appropriate to their age and experience.
- Are interested in developing personally and professionally, honing their leadership skills, and learning how they can contribute to the future success of our community.

Course Expectations

If you are accepted as a member of the Class of 2024, you will be expected to attend and fully participate in all class sessions; attend a two-day retreat; complete related assignments; and make occasional presentations to and about the class. These elements, as well as a final Capstone Project, are required for successful completion of the program.

Alumni Responsibility

Participation in Leadership Chenango extends beyond the program year. Following graduation, you will be expected to participate in alumni activities to preserve the continuity of the program. These activities may include fundraising, class recruitment, and/or participation on committees.

Tuition

Tuition is \$1,750 to be paid by a financial sponsor (the participant's employer or sponsoring organization) or by the participant. A personal commitment fee of \$100 is also required. Limited tuition assistance is available based on qualifications and need. *See Scholarship Request Form.*

Application Process and Class Selection

Those willing to be considered for the Leadership Chenango Class of 2024 should submit their completed application consideration no later than 4 p.m. on Friday, December 22, 2023. Interviews will take the week of January 8, 2024. Successful applicants will be notified the last week of January. The course will begin in February 2024.



Applicant Information

Full Name: _____

Preferred Name: _____ Preferred Pronouns: _____

Home Address: _____

Employer / Business Name: _____

Title / Position: _____

Business Address: _____

Phone: (W) _____ (H) _____ (Cell) _____

Primary Email: _____

Do you live in Chenango County? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, number of years? _____

Do you work in Chenango County? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, number of years? _____

Please submit completed applications to:
Commerce Chenango
Attn: Leadership Chenango
15 South Broad Street, Norwich, NY 13815

- Or -
Email: info@chenangony.org

Application Deadline: 4 p.m. on Friday, December 22, 2023



- 4. Why do you wish to participate in the Leadership Chenango Class of 2024? Are there particular skills you would like to enhance or knowledge you'd like to gain?**

- 5. Why do you choose to live and/or work in Chenango County?**

- 6. Community Involvement:** Please list any community, civic, professional, business, social, athletic or other organizations in which you are or have been a member -*or*- wish to serve in the future.

- 7. If selected for the Class of 2024, what do you feel you would uniquely contribute to the class?**



Applicant & Employer Attestation

I, _____, understand the commitments required for the Leadership Chenango program. If selected, I am willing to attend and fully participate in all sessions, functions, and activities and complete all required assignments. I am prepared to devote the necessary time to be a contributing member of the Leadership Chenango class, and subsequent community involvement. Recognizing that there is a significant personal time commitment, I have addressed this commitment with my employer, and anyone who could be affected by my participation, and they are willing to support my participation.

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Employer Statement and Commitment:

I have discussed the Leadership Chenango program with the above individual and am in full support of their participation. I agree to work in partnership with them to arrange schedules to accommodate the time needed for Leadership activities, and to help reinforce the learning experiences shared during the program.

Name and Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Preferred Phone: _____ Preferred Email: _____