



Chemung County Chamber of Commerce

Leadership Chemung Application 2019 – 2020

Leadership Chemung is designed to develop individuals for future leadership roles in Chemung County and the Southern Tier by broadening their knowledge and awareness of the community, and honing their leadership skills. The program is celebrating more than three decades of inspiring future leaders in our community.

Candidates must submit an application with two references to be reviewed by the Leadership Chemung Committee. About 20-25 individuals representing a cross-section of the community will be selected to participate in the program.

Leadership Chemung participants complete a leader interview and book report, as well as a team volunteer project. The fourteen class sessions cover topics such as:

- *Listening Skills & Communication*
 - *County History*
 - *Visionary Leadership*
- *Multigenerational Interaction*
 - *The Business of Education*
 - *Leadership Intelligences*
 - *Workplace Safety*
- *Technology and its Effects on Leadership*
 - *Team Building*
 - *Conflict in the Workplace*
 - *Community Revitalization*
 - *Making Your Case*

Program Format

Leadership Chemung begins with a mandatory full-day, 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., orientation session on Thursday, September 12th.

Classes following Orientation are held on Thursday mornings as noted below from October through April, with a commencement ceremony in May. All classes meet at the Chemung County Chamber of Commerce offices from 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. unless participants are instructed otherwise.

To graduate from Leadership Chemung, the participant must attend at least twelve full sessions of the fourteen offered, along with the mandatory orientation.

2019 – 2020 Dates

Orientation – Thurs., September 12th

October 3 & 17, 31, 2019

November 14th, 2019

December 5 & 19, 2019

January 9 & 23, 2020

February 6 & 20, 2020

March 5 & 19, 2020

April 2 & 23, 2020

Commencement – Thurs., May 7th

Program Tuition

Tuition is \$750 for employees of Chemung County Chamber member businesses.

The fee covers the cost of tuition, materials, supplies and refreshments. This fee may be paid by the participant, sponsoring business or a combination of the two.

Leadership application form and two professional letters of recommendation must be submitted to the Chemung Chamber by August 23, 2019. Information and application can be found at www.chemungchamber.org or by emailing info@chemungchamber.org

Selected participants will be notified by August 30, 2019.

Full tuition is due to the Chamber by September 9, 2019.



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Leadership Chemung 2019 – 2020 Application Form

PERSONAL DATA

Name _____

Business _____

Business Address _____

Primary Business or Cell Phone _____ Business Email _____

EMPLOYMENT

Present Employer _____

Title _____

Responsibilities _____

EDUCATION

Briefly describe your educational background. Be sure to include relevant career/continuing education training.

COMMUNITY/PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Please list the civic, business and professional organizations/activities you have participated in the past four years.

What does your employer expect as a result of this program? What do you expect to take away from this program?

Candidate Signature _____ **Date** _____