

2006

LEADERSHIP OHIO PROSPECTUS



Leadership Ohio Mission Statement

The mission of Leadership Ohio is to identify, educate, communicate, inspire and engage Ohio's current and emerging leaders for the well being of the people of Ohio.

Leadership Ohio Program

Leadership Ohio was established in 1992 as a non-profit statewide educational program. It is the only organization that takes a statewide view of the conditions and challenges that face our great state. It is the only immersion program designed to provide local community leaders with the opportunity to examine issues from a statewide perspective. The curriculum and session content are designed by a recognized group of professional educators, subject matter experts, Leadership Ohio Alumni, and selected leaders from business, industry, government, leadership programs locally and nationally. Through a series of eight 2-day sessions utilizing educational excursions, panel discussions, presentations, experiences and dialogue with fellow participants, the program explores the issues, challenges, and opportunities facing Ohio.

Following a screening of the candidates by members of the Board of Trustees, the Class of 2006 will participate in their Opening Retreat. A creative approach is used as participants learn about program outcomes and expectations. A team approach enables participants to discover the talents and expertise each individual brings to the experience and identify strengths of the group. Advanced problem-solving techniques provide the Class with new tools to help meet the challenges of the Leadership Ohio program.

Each month class members travel to a different Ohio location for presentations by and discussions with local leaders, hearing from local experts on different views of a single issue, as well as gaining first-hand experience of Ohio's natural beauty. Because of the quality of the program, state and nationally renowned experts often join local leaders to share their views with the Class.

2006 Class Schedule

Maumee Bay	April 21 & 22	Opening Retreat
Columbus	May 19 & 20	State Government / Public Policy
Youngstown	June 16 & 17	Health & Human Services
Dayton	July 14 & 15	Military & Justice System
Lima	August 18 & 19	Economic Development
Medina	September 15 & 16	Agriculture/ Energy / Environment
Athens	October 20 & 21	Appalachian Culture/History
Cincinnati	November 17 & 18	Arts / Diversity/ 2006 Graduation

Participant Profile

Participants are individuals living and/or working in the state of Ohio with proven leadership experience and an interest in continuing to advance the welfare of the people of Ohio. They may be graduates of local leadership programs and recommended by their respective directors, although that is not a requirement for application. The selection committee attempts to create a group of participants from both public and private sectors that is representative of Ohio's great diversity.

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A BRIEF SAMPLING OF PREVIOUS TOPICS, SPEAKERS, PRESENTATIONS AND TOURS BY OFFICIALS FROM BOTH THE PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS

Art/History/Culture

Dayton Art Institute
The National Underground
Railroad Freedom Center
The Ohio Historical Society
Cincinnati Zoo
Cincinnati Museum of Natural
History
Butler Museum, Kelly Collection
The National African American
Museum
Dayton Contemporary Dance
Company
Lima Diversity Study Circles
Toledo Museum of Art
Coming Together, Akron
A.S.I.A., Inc.
The Foundation for
Appalachian Ohio
Little Cities of the Black Diamond
Foundation

Local Government Entities/ Economic Development/ Smart Growth/

Akron Zoo
Cleveland Port Authority
Cleveland Growth Association
Findlay Department of Job and
Family Services
Regional Growth Partnership
Montgomery County Job Center
Minority Economic Opportunity
Center
David Rusk, Urban Affairs
Consultant
Main Street Gourmet
Mayors, Council Members and
Elected/Appointed Officials from
Cities such as Akron, Cincinnati,
Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton,
Toledo and Springfield
Elected/appointed officials from
the counties of Montgomery and
Summit
Jacobs Field, Cleveland
Browns Stadium, Cleveland
Tower City, Cleveland
Westpoint Market

Military/Justice System

Chief Justice, Ohio Supreme Court
Probate Judges
U.S. District Court Judges
Dayton Correctional Institute

Agriculture/Environment/Energy

Amish Farm
Kingwood Estate
Zeedyke Family Farm, Hicksville
Monday Creek
Watershed Project Great
Octagon and Great Circle Mounds
Bridgewater Dairy, Montpelier
Lynd's Fruit Farm
Zoar Wildlife Sanctuary
Schumacher Farms
Ohio Agricultural Research
Center, Wooster
Malabar Farm
Kra-Ku and Kranz Farms
Schumacher Farms
Jimeta Holstein's Family Farm
Yoder, Amish Home

Corporations/Media

Owens Corning World HQ
Ohio Edison Burger Plant,
Shadyside
Rubbermaid Inc., Wooster
Longaberger Company
Packard Electric Division, General
Motors Corporation
Procter and Gamble
Akron Beacon Journal
Brennan Industrial Group, Inc.
Gorman-Rupp, Mansfield
First Energy Corporation
WFIN Radio, Findlay
WOUB TV, Athens

State/Federal Government/ Public Policy Organization

Governors of State of Ohio
The Ohio Speaker of the House
The Ohio Secretary of State
The State Attorney General
Members of the State Senate and
House of Representatives
Various State Departments
Ohio Chamber of Commerce
Ohio State Highway Patrol

Academy
Greater Ohio, Inc.
U.S. Congressional Members
U.S. Departments/Agencies
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base

Educational Institutions/ Non-Profit Organizations

Bowling Green State University
Cincinnati Federation of Teachers
Great Oaks Institute of
Technology
Mayerson Academy
Youngstown State Univ. Hist.
Center on Industry/Labor
YSU Black Studies Program
YSU Public Service Institute
Kent State University
Department of African Studies,
University of Cincinnati
OHIO READS Program
Ohio Education Association
Ohio Business Roundtable
Kentucky Department of
Education
Cincinnati Public Schools
Springfield Local Schools
University of Toledo

Health/Human Services

Arlington Church of God
Archdiocese of Cincinnati
National Conference of Christians
and Jews
St. Vincents Homeless Shelter

Science & Technology

Great Lakes Science Museum
Ohio Aerospace Institute
University of Akron, Polymer
Institute

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