



Confidential Participant Application for 2019-2020

Deadline for submission of this application is **Friday, August 23, 2019**

Class Schedule:

<i>Orientation – September 18, 2019</i>	<i>Government & Judicial Day – February 19, 2020</i>
<i>Business & Economy Day – October 16, 2019</i>	<i>Environment & Water Management Day – March 18, 2020</i>
<i>Education & Cultural Arts Day – November 20, 2019</i>	<i>Program Wrap-Up – April 15, 2020</i>
<i>Health & Human Services Day – December 18, 2019</i>	<i>Graduation – May 5, 2020</i>
<i>Agriculture and Agribusiness Day – January 15, 2020</i>	

For your convenience and to protect your privacy, this form may be **returned to the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce** (540 South Main Street, Belle Glade, FL 33430) or **emailed to the chamber at melanie@bellegladechamber.com** .

About You:

Name: _____ Title: _____ Organization: _____

Business Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Business Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____
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Home Address (Street, City, State, Zip): _____

Email: _____

If married, spouse's name: _____ # of children: _____

Education:

Name of High School:

Location:

Graduation Date:

Name of College/Trade School (if applicable):

Location:

Graduation Date:

Degree:

Major:

Community Involvement: *Please list, in order of importance to you, up to five community, civic, professional, business, religious, social, athletic and other organizations of which you are or have been a member.*

Organization(s):

Dates:

Highest Position Held:

List any accomplishments, honors, awards, and/or achievements:

Employment: *(List most current position including active military duty)*

Employer:

Title:

Dates:

Do you or your place of business belong to the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce?

Yes

No

Statement of Community Problem: Using the space below, compose a brief statement identifying a problem you feel exists in the Glades and offer possible solutions to help alleviate the problem.

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YOUR SIGNATURE INDICATES ACCEPTANCE OF THE FOLLOWING:

1. Leadership Glades shall in no way be liable to me in the event I am not selected for the program
2. I acknowledge that there is an Orientation Session followed by six full-day sessions held on either the 2nd or 3rd Wednesday of each month.
3. I understand that 100% attendance is required. A class member having more than one absence will not graduate with his or her class.
4. I understand that attendance at the Orientation Session is mandatory.
5. I agree to abide by program policies as presented at the Orientation Session.
6. If I am accepted into the program, I shall not hold Leadership Glades liable for any claim I make based on my participation.
7. I have discussed the submission of the application and the time commitment required to participate in the program with my employer. My employer, as evidenced by the following signatures, approves and supports my participation in the program.
8. I agree to pay a \$300 non-refundable program fee upon acceptance into the program. Fees must be paid by the first class on October 16th in order to participate.
9. I hereby release Leadership Glades and its representatives from any liability for death or injury to my person, property, or reputation arising as a result of my application to, or participation in Leadership Glades or any of its program or events whether such injury or death results from negligence from volunteers, directors, or officers. I understand that I may be discharged from Leadership Glades even after acceptance should I engage in any conduct determined to be detrimental to the program.

Applicant's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Employer's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Employer's Name: _____

Recruited by: _____

Please return to: Leadership Glades, Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce, 540 South Main Street,
Belle Glade, FL 33430 Email: melanie@bellegladechamber.com Phone for Inquiries:
(561)996-2745