

The logo for the Pickaway County Community Foundation Leadership Fund. It features four icons at the top: a yellow square with a white cornucopia, an orange square with a white graduation cap, a red square with a white handshake, and a green square with a white tree. Below the icons, the text "Pickaway County" is written in a large, bold, black serif font. Underneath that, "Community Foundation" is written in a smaller, black sans-serif font. At the bottom, "Leadership Fund" is written in a large, bold, red serif font.

Pickaway County
Community Foundation
Leadership Fund

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the Pickaway Leadership Fellows program! The next Fellows class will consist of nine sessions held between October 2024 and April 2025. This leadership program was formulated and funded through a county-wide strategic planning process in 2011, and is supported through the Pickaway Competitiveness Network (PCN) and the Pickaway County Community Foundation.

The strategic plan identified the need for appointed and elected leaders to understand the interrelationships of social, economic, political, and environmental institutions and organizations. The takeaway was that Pickaway County needs to invest in the next generation of leaders to keep this county viable and a desirable place to live.

This program is NOT a series of lectures or classes. It is designed as an "executive leadership" curriculum. The sessions are interactive, collaborative, and experiential. As a participant, *engagement is key* to a successful experience for both you and the other Fellows. We ask for your employers' signature on the application so they understand the commitment you are making to the Fellows program, Pickaway County and its future. In addition to seven in-county sessions there will be a two-day session in Columbus and a three-and-a-half-day session in Washington, D.C.

Upon completion of this program participants will be able to use the title, "Pickaway Fellow". The title can be used on your resume, job applications, LinkedIn profile and website as the recognition for participation in and completion of the program.

The Fellows advisory committee members bring a diversity of professional experience, service contributions, political philosophy, and longevity in the county to plan and implement this program. However, all members of the advisory committee share the belief that the next generation of leaders for this county needs to be identified, nurtured, and promoted to keep Pickaway County a desirable place for businesses and families.

If you are intrigued by what the Fellows program has to offer we would love to talk with you. Please return this application by **August 1, 2024** to:

As a hard copy to:
Pickaway Leadership Fellows Program
c/o Pickaway County Community Foundation
770 North Court Street
Circleville, OH 43113

OR

Save the application as a pdf and email to:

info@yourpccf.org
with Subject line:
Pickaway Fellows Application

Interviews will be conducted in late August/early September for the sessions to commence in October 2024.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact any member of the advisory committee at 740-477-6207 or via email at info@yourpccf.org.

Sincerely,

Leadership for Tomorrow Fund Advisory Committee

Heidi White
Heather Foll
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APPLICATION FOR LEADERSHIP FOR TOMORROW FELLOWS PROGRAM

Personal Information

Full Name: _____
Last First Middle

Home Address: _____
Street Address

City State Zip Code

Home Phone: _____ Cell/Alternate Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Alternate Email Address (Optional): _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Employment Information

Employer Type: Government Private Other

Employer Institution: _____

Work Address: _____
Street Address

City State Zip Code

Job Title: _____

Supervisor's Name: _____

Supervisor's Title: _____ Supervisor's Phone: _____

Supervisor's Email Address: _____

Education

Please check your highest level of education completed and submit a current resume with your application.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Did not complete high school | <input type="checkbox"/> High School/GED | <input type="checkbox"/> Some College, but no degree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Associates Degree/Technical Cert. | <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelors | <input type="checkbox"/> Masters/MBA/JD/MD/MFA |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ed.D/DSc | <input type="checkbox"/> PhD | |

Field of Study: _____



Tell Us About Yourself

Please answer on a separate sheet of paper the following questions.

- 1) Why do you want to participate in the Leadership Fellows program?
- 2) What are *your* expectations from this program?
- 3) Please list any previous Appointed Board or Elected Official experience'
- 4) Indicate any special needs/ accommodations (diet, access, food allergies, etc.).

Fellows Program Sessions

Session #	Date(s)	Session Name/Focus
1A	October 3, 2024	Kickoff Social <i>(This overnighiter will begin in the evening. Single accommodations are not available for this overnight session)</i>
1B	October 4, 2024	Introduction to Pickaway County
2	October 25, 2024	On the Bus
3	November 15, 2024	Economics/Philanthropy
4	December 6, 2024	Boardsmanship
5	January 24, 2025	Diversity Training
6	February 11–12, 2025	Columbus Overnight Trip
7	March 7, 2025	Surviving the Public Eye
8	April 4, 2025	Bringing it all Together
9	April 28-30, 2025	Washington, DC
<i>Graduation celebration date to be determined.</i>		



Cost of the Program

The tuition for the Pickaway Fellows program is \$650. If you prefer single-occupancy for hotel stays, there will be an additional charge of approximately \$500. The first half of tuition is due at the beginning of the class and second half is due prior to the Washington DC seminar. Tuition can be paid through personal resources, through an employer, a match between various sources, scholarships provided by various businesses and organizations, etc. The applicant is responsible for obtaining these funds. ***The advisory committee highly recommends applicants not let financial concerns stand in the way of application as there are many resources available to assist with tuition.*** One additional financial obligation for each participant is travel to and from Washington D.C. All other fees and expenses for the Columbus and D.C. experiences will be covered by the Fellows program.

Expectations

Sessions are held in various Pickaway County locations from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. except where otherwise noted.

ATTENDANCE: Attendance is key to the experience that this program provides to the individual. Each component of the program is designed to provide insight, perspective and experience that will be used in leadership situations. Participants are expected to attend and engage fully in all sessions, for the entire day, to be eligible to participate in the Washington, DC seminar.

ATTIRE: Business attire is the dress code unless otherwise noted.

HOMEWORK: Some "homework" assignments will be required. For this program, work outside the session is designed for self-reflection, observation, application of concepts, and as a basis for discussion. None of the homework assignments will be overwhelming or taxing on anyone's schedule.

POST-PROGRAM: Fellows completing the program will be expected as a group to decide on a service project. Details will be discussed during the sessions. Each Fellow is expected to seek their own level of commitment to public, private and philanthropic boards through appointments and volunteer work. Each participant, upon successful completion of the Fellows program, will be listed on the Pickaway County Community Foundation website.

Your signature below indicates your ability and willingness to attend *all sessions in their entirety*. Information will build from session to session; it is imperative to have attendance at all sessions. Additionally, check if you prefer single- or double-occupancy during hotel stays. This is non-binding and will be confirmed once participants are notified of their selection.

My preference for hotel accommodations is: Double-Occupancy Single-Occupancy

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Employer Signature: _____ Date: _____