



CLASS 63 FLAGSHIP PROGRAM

KNOWLEDGE • SKILLS • CONNECTIONS

Our mission: To identify, develop and connect diverse leaders who impact the community through service.



Why Leadership Tulsa?

- 40+ year track record for developing leaders
- More than 2,000 members
- Collaboration with 100+ agencies
- Diverse and inclusive participation
- Community as a classroom

What are the program benefits?

- Expanded leadership capacities
- Practical application of leadership skills through board service
- More knowledge about Tulsa, its strengths and challenges
- Introduction to high-level community and business leaders
- Discussions of important public policy issues
- Diversity and new perspectives
- Knowledge and resources for effecting change
- Networking with others who care about Tulsa
- Exposure to service opportunities
- Lifelong friendships



THE SELECTION PROCESS

What are we looking for?

- Passion and willingness to serve our community for the long-term
- Desire for a greater understanding of the Tulsa area
- Commitment to doing what it takes to make a difference
- Diversity of thoughts, ideas and experiences
- Out-of-the-box thinking
- Sincere commitment to Tulsa
- Well-established leaders AND up-and-coming leaders



Selection Criteria

- **Organizational Leadership** – What have you done in the past? What are you currently doing and what are your future goals for organizational and business leadership opportunities?
- **Community Involvement** – What have you done in the past? What are you currently doing and what are your future goals for elective or volunteer involvement?
- **Motivation** – How motivated are you to take full advantage of the opportunity offered by Leadership Tulsa and stay active as an ongoing LT member?
- **Time Commitment** – How interested and committed are you to completing the Leadership Tulsa program and contributing to the Tulsa community in the future?

Our selection committee reads and reviews each application with the above criteria in mind. **The information you provide in your essays, as well as the letters of recommendation, is what gives the committee the best insight into how you currently fulfill the above criteria and your aptitude for future fulfillment. Take your time when composing your essay answers.**

The selection committee considers only those items requested in your application. There is no benefit to have additional calls of support placed to the office.

Special Note – because of the large quantity of quality applicants and limitations in class size, many individuals are not selected the first time they apply. **This is NOT necessarily a reflection of your application quality.** Balance and diversity in all aspects of the selection process are what we strive to achieve in each class. Applicants are encouraged to contact Leadership Tulsa for specific feedback on their applications. An application may be forwarded for consideration for the next class or an applicant may re-apply in the future. There are two classes offered each year; one begins in August and one in January.

LT 63 PROGRAM DETAILS

Requirements

- Commitment – All participants are incredibly busy people!
- Be FULLY present at each class session. Secure the dates on your calendar in advance.
- **Attendance at the orientation and overnight retreat is mandatory.**
- Participation in “hands-on” volunteerism with the board of a local nonprofit agency.



Evening Orientation (MANDATORY)	January 23, 2020	6:00 til 8:30 p.m.
Overnight Retreat (MANDATORY)	February 7-8, 2020	8:00 a.m. Friday til noon Saturday
Downtown Tulsa / Tulsa History	March 10, 2020	8:00 a.m. til 4:30 p.m.
West Tulsa	April 21, 2020	8:00 a.m. til 4:30 p.m.
North Tulsa	May 19, 2020	8:00 a.m. til 4:30 p.m.
Midtown Tulsa	June 16, 2020	8:00 a.m. til 4:30 p.m.
Northeast Tulsa	July 21, 2020	8:00 a.m. til 4:30 p.m.
East Tulsa	August 18, 2020	8:00 a.m. til 4:30 p.m.
South Tulsa	September 15, 2020	8:00 a.m. til 4:30 p.m.
Closing the Circle and New Member Welcome Reception	October 20, 2020	10:00 a.m. til 6:00 p.m.



PROCESS & DEADLINES

Application Process

- **Complete** application online. All information is required.
- Visit www.LeadershipTulsa.org/programs/flagship for application.

Deadlines

- **Early Bird Deadline – October 1, 2019 | No Application Fee!**
- Regular deadline – October 31, 2019 | \$35 non-refundable application fee made payable to Leadership Tulsa



Tuition, Payment and Scholarship Details

- \$2,950 **paid in full** on or before January 23, 2020. Tuition is non-refundable.
- Corporate payments/reimbursements are accepted and encouraged. Such arrangements are made between the participant and their sponsoring organization.
- **You are responsible for and will be billed for tuition, even if it will be paid by your employer or sponsor.**
- A monthly payment plan is available.
- Scholarships are available and will be considered based on demonstrated need. Complete the scholarship request form** portion of the application only if needed. **Only fully completed forms will be considered.** **Scholarship requests do NOT affect your chances of selection for the program. Requests are reviewed after class selection.

Questions?

If you have any questions regarding the application process or the program, please call the Leadership Tulsa office at 918-477-7079. You may also email your question to Wendy Thomas, executive director, at wendy@leadershiptulsa.org.