## Leadership in the City

Online Program

December 2023 - May 2024

# **Urban Extension Leadership Online Course**



Focused on Extension in large cities? Ready to improve your knowledge, skills, and results? Participate in this professional development program with your urban Extension peers from across the country.

#### **Leadership in the City**

**Join** Extension professionals working in urban areas to be relevant locally, responsive statewide, and recognized nationally. The Leadership in the City course builds on existing leadership experiences, management training, and Extension professional development.

**Learn** from experienced leaders; apply what you learn in your city, region, or state; engage in critical thinking and creative problem solving; and participate in online learning. The blended learning format is relevant and engaging and occurs over six months so you can balance your day-to-day schedule with professional development. Each module incorporates interactive digital engagement and the flipped model for active learning.



Learn from your location and on your schedule.



Complete assignments for you and your organization.



Join peers on scheduled video conferences.



Connect for a final recap, reflection, and celebration.

#### Registration fee

\$500

You can earn a certificate and digital badge with your commitment to work hard, have fun, and invest approximately 8 hours each month by participating online and completing assignments.

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### Leadership in the City

The six content modules span six months so you can balance your work and life schedules. Throughout the course, you will engage in online learning, participate in sessions via video conference, and complete assignments relevant to you and your team.

- Online course opens in December so you can get acquainted with the technology, course content, and one another.
- Video seminars (15 minutes) posted each month for independent learning.
- Coffee Shop 1-hour video conference with participant-led dialogue are typically the second Friday.
- Assignments are typically due the third Friday, but there's flexibility.
- Leadership in Action 2-hour video conference with Q&A format guest speakers and situation room activities are typically the last Friday.
- · Final session to share capstone presentations.

A complete course schedule is posted at go.osu.edu/urbanleadership.

**Leadership in the City** is organized with an introduction and five modules highlighting competencies needed in Extension work in urban communities.

Dec

#### Course Opens

Course introduction & entrepreneurial learning

Jan

#### Entrepreneurial Leadership

· Your personal context as a leader

Feb

#### **Entrepreneurial Environments**

Urban & university Extension contexts

March

#### Entrepreneurial Innovation & Marketing

 Program, project & product development; Communications with internal and external stakeholders

April

#### Entrepreneurial Networking & Inclusive Engagement

• Partner collaboration plus diversity, equity, and inclusion

May

#### Entrepreneurial Management Plus Recap & Reflection

- Management of projects, people, and self
- Recap, reflection & celebration
- Final capstone presentation in-person at the National Urban Extension Conference

## Here's What Your Peers Had to Say

Thought-provoking and a good way to learn about what others are doing across the country.

A valuable professional development experience and worth every minute.

The course went beyond giving content, to encouraging critical thinking and application.

I thoroughly enjoyed the learning process.

Completing the course has pushed me to explore my inner self to look deep into how I can be a better leader and how to be a more inclusive leader.

I appreciated the vast number of resources that were shared. A great investment.





