



Class of 2023 Leadership Simi Valley Application



The objective of LEADERSHIP SIMI VALLEY is to identify and develop effective Community Leaders. The program is designed to meet this challenge by providing a vehicle to:

- Educate class members on a broad range of community needs and concerns.
- Encourage informed individuals to serve the community in leadership roles of their choice.
- Create an atmosphere of cooperation for the resolution of future community challenges.

This will be achieved by introducing participants to the workings of the community where they will meet current leaders and be provided with an opportunity for problem-solving discussions.

The logo features a stylized 'X' icon on the left, composed of four overlapping geometric shapes in blue, green, orange, and red. To the right of the icon, the word 'Leadership' is written in a large, bold, dark grey sans-serif font. Below 'Leadership', the words 'SIMI VALLEY' are written in a smaller, all-caps, dark grey sans-serif font.

Leadership

SIMI VALLEY



Simi Valley Chamber of Commerce
40 W. Cochran Street, Suite 100
Simi Valley, CA 93065



I. CONFIDENTIAL APPLICATION

All applications will be handled in the strictest confidence. As a matter of policy, LEADERSHIP SIMI VALLEY does not discriminate among applicants and participants based on race, religion, sex, age, or disability. Applicants may attach additional pages or a resume if so desired in response to the following questions.

Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Home Address: _____
(Number) (Street) (City) (Zip)

Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

E-Mail Address: _____ Home Number: _____

II. PARTICIPATION & COMMITMENT

A. Qualifications – Applicants must: be at least 18 years old, live or work in Simi Valley and can be recommended by an Alumni of the Leadership Simi Valley Program.

B. REQUIRED ATTENDANCE

- An Overnight Retreat on Friday, September 23 - 24, 2022 – leaving Simi Valley at 6:00am
- Welcome Reception held on Friday, October 7, 2021 - 5:00 to 7:00pm
 - Nine sessions held once per month on the 1st Friday of each month (7:30a.m. - 7:00p.m.)
October 7, November 4, December 2, January 6, February 3, March 3, April 7, May 5 & graduation on June 2.
- All sessions include a recap for the class at the Wrap-Up/Alumni Social immediately following the monthly session. There is also some light homework.
- You will graduate upon completion of a minimum of 7 Sessions. Tuition must be paid in full to graduate. Class members are **required** to attend the Retreat in September and Ethics Day session in June.

C. Confidentiality Statement - During sessions, cell phone use and texting is not permitted. We allow many breaks for participants to conduct work-day business. To give full attention to important speakers we ask that you do not disrupt the class in any manner.

III. TUITION

Tuition for each participant accepted into LEADERSHIP SIMI VALLEY is \$995 when paid in full within 7 days of acceptance into the program, or \$1,095 through the Leadership Simi Valley Monthly Payment Plan. To participate in the payment plan, a \$145 deposit is due within 7 days of acceptance. An additional payment of \$145 is due by the retreat on September 23. There will be seven additional payments of \$115 taken monthly on the 15th of each month, starting on October 15, 2022, ending on April 15, 2023. To participate in the payment plan, we require a credit card to be kept on file with the Chamber office for the duration of the program. Tuition can be paid by check, credit card, or sponsored by your employer or organization. Checks should be made payable to the Simi Valley Chamber of Commerce, 40 W. Cochran Street #100, Simi Valley, CA 93065.

Tuition Payment Option – please choose one:

- I will pay the \$995 Leadership Simi Valley tuition in full.
- My \$995 tuition will be paid in full by _____ (employer/organization/other)
- I will pay the \$1,095 and participate in the Leadership Simi Valley Payment Plan. I will complete a credit card authorization form and submit my \$145 deposit within 7 days of acceptance into the program.
- My _____ (employer/organization/other) will pay \$1,095 and participate in the Leadership Simi Valley Payment Plan. My employer will complete a credit card authorization form and submit the \$145 deposit within 7 days of acceptance into the program. Tuition covers the cost of transportation, facilities, meals, instructors, and materials.

IV. EMPLOYMENT

Present Employer _____ Hire Date _____

Present Title or Responsibility _____

Number of Years in Current Industry _____

V. EDUCATION

(College, business, or trade schools and/or other specialized training).

<u>Name & City of School</u>	<u>Major</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>Date</u>
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VI. ORGANIZATIONS/ACTIVITIES/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

A. Please list organizations in which you participate.

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Dates of Membership</u>	<u>Positions Held</u>
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1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____

VII. GENERAL QUESTIONS

A. In your judgement, what is the most pressing issue facing Simi Valley today and why?
(Please attach your response)

B. What do you expect to get out of this program? **(Please attach your response)**

VIII. REFERENCES: List one person who has knowledge of your qualifications as a LEADERSHIP SIMI VALLEY candidate and a Leadership Simi Valley (LSV) Alumni.

<u>Full Name & Title</u>	<u>Company</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>	<u>Ref/LSV Alumni</u>
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2. _____	_____	_____	_____

IX. ACKNOWLEDGMENT

A. I understand the purpose of the LEADERSHIP SIMI VALLEY program and that completion of this application does not ensure my acceptance in the upcoming class. If selected to participate, **I will commit to meet the required attendance and confidentiality statement.**

(Applicant's Signature) (Date)

B. I have reviewed this application and **understand the time** and financial commitment it represents. We agree to support LEADERSHIP SIMI VALLEY and these commitments if our candidate is selected.

(Employer's Signature if applicable) (Date) (Title)

***** Please mail applications to 40 W. Cochran Street #100, Simi Valley, CA 93065, Attn: Leadership Simi Valley/Amy Corneau by July 15, 2022. You will be notified about your status/ acceptance by August 5, 2022. Applications must be signed by employer (if applicable) before review by the LSV Selection Committee. For more information, please call Amy at (805) 526-3900.**