



Leadership Team Application

Leadership Team:

Individuals who exhibit the highest degree of professionalism and embrace an attitude that is positive, supportive and respectful to all people will be successful members of the Salem Area Young Professionals Leadership team.

The Salem Area Young Professionals program for the Salem Area Chamber of Commerce is designed for networking and leadership development amongst businesspeople in their 20s and 30s. Leadership Team members are volunteers who are representing the Chamber of Commerce amongst many in our community. The YoungPros program is open to both Chamber members and non-members with no membership fees or requirements to become involved.

Leadership Team members are champions of Salem for newcomers to the area and businesspeople both new to careers and developing in current careers. Hospitality for first-time guests to YoungPros events is crucial for the ongoing success of the program.

Leadership Team Goals:

- Continue growth and involvement of businesspeople in their 20s and 30s with the monthly YoungPros programs (specific growth goals vary year to year)
- Expand opportunities for leadership development and networking through YoungPros action teams
- Expand online tools available at www.salemyoungpros.com
- Support other community organizations and causes as appropriate throughout the year

Job Description & Requirements:

1. Provide at least a one-year commitment to the Leadership Team.
2. Maintain consistent attendance at monthly Leadership Team meetings and monthly events.
3. Assist in volunteer roles as available at events throughout the year.
4. Create an environment at events whereby first time guests feel welcome and respected.
5. Increase awareness of the Chamber of Commerce and its impact on the community.
6. Attend one annual planning session lasting up to 3 hours in the month of March or April as scheduled.
7. Your business or employer must be a member of the Salem Area Chamber of Commerce.

Benefits of YoungPros Leadership:

1. Obtain a good knowledge of YoungPros programs.
2. Meet business leaders for potential business and social contacts.
3. Obtain an insider's perspective of the Salem business community.
4. Exposure of you and your company before the Salem Area Chamber of Commerce business community, and the Chamber's Board of Directors.

1. Are you (if you are nominating yourself) or the person you are nominating a consistent attendee at YoungPros events?

Yes No

If Yes, how many YoungPros events would you say the nominee has attended?

2. Please select the Chamber of Commerce events and programs in which you or the person you are nominating has attended:

	<i>Rarely/Never</i>	<i>Occasionally</i>	<i>Frequently</i>
Forum Speaker Series Luncheons	_____	_____	_____
Public Policy Sessions	_____	_____	_____
Show-Biz Trade Show	_____	_____	_____
Greeters	_____	_____	_____
Agri-Business Banquet	_____	_____	_____
Business of the Year Awards	_____	_____	_____
Build Your Business Seminars	_____	_____	_____
Evening d' Elegance	_____	_____	_____
First Citizens Banquet	_____	_____	_____
Golf Tournament	_____	_____	_____
Leadership Salem	_____	_____	_____
Member Orientation	_____	_____	_____
Chamber Business Women	_____	_____	_____
Salem Area Young Professionals	_____	_____	_____

3. Briefly describe how you feel your participation or the participation of the nominee would contribute to the values and goals of the Salem Area Young Professionals program.

Please Print Your Contact Information

Name _____ **Date** _____

Company _____ **Phone** _____

Email _____

Please Print Contact Information For the Person you are Nominating

Name _____ **Date** _____

Company _____ **Phone** _____

Email _____