

AgOne Application

ONLY digital submissions will be accepted by the application deadline using this online application. This template is only for reference. To complete the online application, click [here](#).

Program Overview

The Ohio State University Department of Agricultural Communication, Education, and Leadership (ACEL), the Ohio State Leadership Center and the OSU Fisher College of Business have joined forces to launch a new elite leadership training with the goal of cultivating the “next level” of leaders for Ohio’s agriculture-related organizations by fostering individual leadership and strengthening board members. Thank you to Nationwide Insurance for being a sponsor of the AgOne program.

AgOne is a 12-month program aimed to develop a pool of next-generation agriculture industry leaders through individualized leadership and board development. In 2022, individuals will be selected to participate as a part of a cohort of 6-9 people focusing on individual leadership coaching and leadership plan development, learning how to be an effective board member, and expanding and fostering personal networks to uncover other opportunities for growth. The AgOne program outline will consist of six sessions with a total of 2-in-person training days, virtual workshops, and coaching. The in-person training sessions will be held at The Ohio State University Campus in Columbus, Ohio. Participants will complete the BUILD Leadership Model, a leadership assessment created by the OSU Fisher College of Business to help leaders understand opportunities to improve their leadership skills through individual and observer ratings.

Applications are due **Thursday, July 7 at 11:59 p.m.**

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Ideal Candidate

The ideal candidate for the AgOne program should:

- Be a current or ex-officio board of directors' or trustees' member or an individual aspiring to further board engagement
- Have aspirations to grow into larger leadership roles
- Have a passion for agriculture
- Be interested in working for the betterment of Ohio agriculture before their own self-interests
- Be open to constructive feedback and learning for personal growth
- Be able to commit the time necessary to participate in the program (estimated 80 hours over a 12-month period)

Cost

The program fee is \$5,000 per person. This fee will cover all costs for coaching, materials, speaker fees, assessment fees, meals, and lodging of the program.

Application/Nomination Process

1. Interested individuals should complete the question prompts in the template found here (*note: this is only a template. Applications will only be accepted on the online application platform).
2. Each application submission should include an accompanying nomination letter written and signed by a member of the leadership team of the nominating organization.
3. All applications should be submitted via the online application platform [here](#) by Thursday, July 7 by 11:59 p.m. ET.

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Name _____

Address _____

Address 2 _____

City _____ State _____

Zip Code _____ Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Please list your education history.

	Name of Institution	Major(s)
Some College		
2-year degree		
4-year degree		
Professional degree		
Doctorate		

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Please describe your background. This should include information such as your link to agriculture, the type of enterprise in which you are engaged, employment, family, community and organizational involvement, etc. (2,000 characters maximum).

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List any experience serving on a board of directors in official, ex-officio or advisory capacity.

Position Held	Leading Organization	Duration Position Held (ex. 2010-2018)

Comments (Please list any information not captured in the table above):

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List any leadership positions held other than board positions (volunteer or paid).

Position	Leading Organization	Duration Position Held (ex. 2010-2018)

Comments (Please list any information not captured in the table above):

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List any other leadership development programs completed within the last ten years.

Program Name	Leading Organization	Year Completed

Comments (Please list any information not captured in the table above):

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Please indicate which of the following skill and behavioral assessments you have completed in the past five years.

- Myers Briggs Type Indicator (MBTI)
- Strength's Finder
- Emotional Intelligence (EQ 2.0)
- DISCflex
- Change Style
- Conflict Resolution (Thomas Killman)
- BUILD
- Kirton Adaption-Innovation Inventory (KAI)
- Other: _____

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Why are you interested in participating in the AgOne leadership development program? Please list at least three reasons for how you think the program will benefit you and the organization you serve. (2,000 characters maximum)

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What are your goals after the completion of the AgOne program? Please list at least three goals. (2,000 characters maximum)

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Nominating Organization Information

Organization _____

Primary Contact Name _____

Primary Contact Position/Title _____

Address _____

Address 2 _____

City _____ State _____

Zip Code _____

Primary Contact Phone Number _____

Primary Contact Email Address _____

Nomination Letter Instructions

Please upload a nomination letter written by the nominating organization addressing why your organization sees potential in this candidate. This letter should be signed by a leadership team member of the nominating organization. Please also include your connection to the individual and what knowledge and skills they will contribute.

