



URPA Leadership Academy

2025-2026 APPLICATION

Application Deadline: January 15, 2025

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION	
Name:	
Address:	
City:	Zip Code:
Cell Phone: ()	Text OK?:
Work Email:	
Member of URPA since:	
T-shirt Size	

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION	
Number of Full Time Years in the Parks & Recreation Profession:	
Current Employer:	
Current Position/Title and any current certifications:	
Please give brief job description:	
Previous employer and positions/titles (please give dates):	

EDUCATION INFORMATION			
Degree	Institution	Major	Year

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

List, in order of importance, community activities in which you have participated in. Also list any awards/honors/recognitions from your community involvement:

PROFESSIONAL INVOLVEMENT IN URPA OR OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

WHAT ARE YOUR CAREER GOALS?

WHAT ARE YOUR HOBBIES?

AGENCY SUPPORT: (Attendance of applicant to all sessions is mandatory.)

I hereby agree to support the efforts of my employee, otherwise referred to as applicant, in attending all sessions of the 2025-2026 URPA Leadership Academy as well as the 2026 URPA Annual Conference. I also agree to attend the 2025 URPA Leadership Summit with my employee. We agree to remit the Leadership Academy fee of \$500 if our applicant is selected.

Agency Director or
City/County Administrator: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Immediate Supervisor: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

***You must attach the following documents with this application:**

- One (1) letter of Recommendation from a Parks and Recreation Professional who will serve as your mentor during the program.
- One (1) Personal Statement letter detailing why you wish to be selected, what your personal goals are and how this will help you in your career path.

◆ I have read and filled out this application. All information is correct and current. I fully understand and will honor the commitment that I am making to the URPA Leadership Academy.

Signature: _____ Date: _____



You may attach further documentation if needed.

Send Application to: URPA at leadershipacademy@urpa.org

