

17TH ANNUAL
**LAX Coastal
Leadership Academy**
2024-2025

Westchester
Marina del Rey
Playa del Rey
Playa Vista
Del Rey



Strengthen Your Leadership Skills

The LAX Coastal Chamber of Commerce is dedicated to making our area a dynamic place to work, live, and play, and that is why we are so strongly committed to our Leadership Academy Program. This six-course program (limited to only 20 participants) is created for those who are interested in helping propel our area forward and to contribute to the progress of the LAX Coastal community. Leadership Academy aims to engage emerging leaders, inspire established leaders, and develop lasting professional connections with fellow participants.

From December to May, Leadership Academy participants will engage in monthly one-day courses designed to educate, evaluate, and enhance personal growth. This program will help develop and nurture leadership skills, all while exploring the local political landscape and rich history of the area.

These courses will familiarize business leaders with information regarding the inner workings of our government, as well as key economic areas, including LAX and Marina del Rey. The program provides participants the rare opportunity to meet and interact with political officials, public safety officers, and industry leaders to learn about the various issues that affect the LAX Coastal area and Los Angeles as a whole. More key curriculum includes: information on economic development, communication styles and tactics, government policy, environmental consciousness, civic involvement, and much more.



Dr. Kevin Shane Walsh,

Leadership Academy Facilitator

Kevin is the Managing Member of Global Community Enrichment (GCE), a Senior Facilitator for The Academy for Leadership and Training (TAFLAT) and a Channel Partner at Ken Blanchard Companies. Kevin's expertise includes leadership development, executive coaching, non-profit board development, strategic organizational effectiveness, facilitation, curriculum design and team-building.

Kevin has worked with executives and leaders in organizations worldwide, including: Cartoon Network, The Wonderful Company, US Doctors for Africa, American Express, and JP Morgan Chase. Kevin earned his Doctorate of Psychology in Organizational Management and Consulting from Phillips Graduate University. He teaches at Phillips Graduate University, Rollins College, Loyola Marymount University and College of the Canyons. GCE's clients include The Walt Disney Company, Los Angeles County Department of Health Services, FIJI Water, City of Hope and the LAX Coastal Chamber of Commerce.

The Leadership Academy gave us a close up and behind-the-scenes view of civic and community operations. We had meaningful discussions with high level policy makers at City Hall, the airport, the transportation operations center, wastewater treatment plant and with the top military leadership at the LA Air Force Base. The nine months went by way too fast and I wish I could do it all again.

- Trisha Murakawa, Murakawa Communications

Reunion & Interest Mixer

Monday, October 7, 5:30 - 7:30 PM

AC Hotel by Marriott Los Angeles South Bay

2130 E. Maple Ave. El Segundo, CA 90245

2024-2025 Program Dates

Fridays from December 2024 through May 2025

- Friday, December 13
- Friday, January 10
- Friday, February 14
- Friday, March 14
- Wednesday, April 2 or Friday, April 11
- Friday, May 9

2024-2025 Program Topics

- Communication Styles
- Connective Leadership
- Political Landscape of Los Angeles
- Homelessness & Public Safety
- LAX & Infrastructure
- LA County Government & Marina del Rey
- Halls of Power | Los Angeles City Hall
- Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Accessibility
- Environment
- Inglewood - "City of Champions"



Register for Leadership Academy

Online: Register by using the fast and secure online form at laxcoastal.com

Mail: Complete the below form and mail with payment information to the Chamber Office at:

LAX Coastal Chamber of Commerce - Re: Leadership Academy

9100 S. Sepulveda Blvd. #210, Los Angeles, CA 90045

Leadership Academy Application Due Nov. 15, 2024

Scholarships Are Available

The Chamber receives a limited amount of scholarships for participants each year. If you feel you are a deserving recipient, or are interested in sponsoring a scholarship, please contact a member of our staff to discuss your options.

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Payment Information

	Course Investment
Single 1 participant, 1 ticket to Installation Awards Gala + LA Graduation (also available as a Sponsorship)	Member \$1,525 Non-Member \$1,775
Sponsorship Level I Logo on all course materials, 100% Tuition for 1 Participant/50% Tuition for 2 Participants, 1 Ticket to Installation Awards Gala + Leadership Academy Graduation, Invite to join at any LA sessions	\$1,500
Sponsorship Level II Logo on all course materials, 100% Tuition for 2 Participants/50% for up to 4 Participants, 2 Tickets to Installation Awards Gala + Leadership Academy Graduation, Invite to join at any LA sessions	\$3,000

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Method of Payment

The Chamber accepts the following methods of payment:

- Credit Card (Visa®, Mastercard®, American Express® and Discover®)
- Check (paid to LAX Coastal Chamber of Commerce.)
- Cash

Billing Options

Billing can be done with a single payment in full or broken into two or three equal payments. Please contact the Chamber to work out the payment plan best for you.



Registration Form for Leadership Academy 2024-2025

First Name	MI	Last Name			
Daytime Phone ()		Cell Phone ()			
Company		Email			
Address	City	State	Zip		

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