

The Partnership for Excellence's Leader2Leader Collaboration is a year-long professional development program, which is grounded in the Baldrige Excellence Framework and consists of educational sessions, best practice sharing, peer networking & collaboration and leadership growth. Each cohort begins their year at TPE's Quest for Success conference where participants will engage in team building activities, hear lessons learned from a panel of Baldrige recipients, conduct a mock strategic planning session and establish goals for the year. On three occasions throughout the year, Baldrige/TPE award recipients will host the cohort for a day long session of learning activities. In between sessions, participants will engage in webinars and mentoring calls. The year culminates with a final session of the cohort and graduation at TPE's Quest for Success conference the following year.

Purpose of L2L Collaboration

- *Provide a leadership development opportunity that is grounded in the Baldrige Excellence Framework*
- *Provide peer group networking for senior leaders throughout Ohio, Indiana and West Virginia*
- *Develop future leaders for organizations*
- *Ensure leadership support and alignment for organizations on the Baldrige journey*

The program focuses on;

- Benchmarking and deep dives into the Baldrige Excellence Framework
- Organizations that are on or early on the Baldrige journey

What makes this program unique?

- Curriculum is grounded in Baldrige Excellence Framework
- TPE has an extensive network of leaders from Baldrige recipients to lead sessions, webinars and mentoring
- Participants customize webinar topics based on outcome of first session
- Participants develop lifelong relationships with members of cohort

Structure of L2L Collaboration

Five on-site learning and best practice sharing sessions

- **Two at Quest for Success conferences (September)**
 - **First Conference: Kick-off session Monday afternoon**
 - Panel of Baldrige recipients
 - Strategic planning session
 - Establish goals for year
 - **Second Conference: Final session with cohort and graduation**
- **Three one-day sessions hosted by Baldrige or TPE Award recipients (January, April & June)**
 - Half day of learning & experiencing host's best practices & lessons learned
 - Half day of discussion, group activities, & education led by guest Baldrige recipients
 - Leadership System & Culture of Excellence
 - Strategy Development & Execution
 - Engagement – Customers & Workforce

Eight 60 – 90 minute webinars during months in between on-site sessions

- Topics customized by cohort first session
- Sample topics – Goal Cascading, Systems Perspective, Integration, Manage by Fact

Submit organizational profile or one Baldrige category for assessment

- Assessed by two examiners
- Feedback report developed

Quarterly mentoring calls

- One-on-one guidance from Baldrige expert

Program deliverables included in price;

- 5 on-site sessions including meals (breakfast & lunch and one dinner per session)
- Registration to two TPE Quest for Success conferences – Cohort sessions on Monday afternoons of conference, recognition at Monday dinner, attend rest of conference
- 8 webinars during months in between on-site sessions
- Feedback report on organizational profile or one Baldrige category
- 10% discount on TPE's Advising & Partnering program to start the journey
- Quarterly mentoring calls with experienced Baldrige leaders
- TPE L2L tool kit: Leadership & Baldrige books, criteria books, course materials, etc.

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