

2008 –2009 Graduates



L-R: Cindy Devereaux, City of Jackson; Megan Metz, Consumers Energy; Carrie Wilkie, Dawn Food Products; Mary Schuessler, Greater Jackson Chamber of Commerce; Michelle Czolgosz, City of Jackson; Jen Duncan, CP Federal Credit Union; Linda Martell, CP Federal Credit Union; Melissa Denbrock, CP Federal Credit Union; Pete Rynas, City of Jackson; Lance Schnitkey, CP Federal Credit Union; Rob Jenks City of Jackson

Not Pictured: Michael Beyerstedt, City of Jackson

Outstanding Past Graduate 2009: Chad Noble of Allegiance Health

“The skills you develop in the Chamber of Commerce Leadership Academy are valuable and applicable in both business and personal relationships. The Chamber has done a great job of developing a program with great guest speakers who are relevant to today’s business professionals.”

Michael Beyerstedt—City of Jackson Fire Dept.

Creating and Cultivating Talent to Build a Stronger Jackson

Why Should YOU Register for the Leadership Academy?

- Accelerate your leadership skills development
- Expand your knowledge of the Jackson community
- Identify personal passions and leverage skills to meet the emerging needs of the community
- Have a positive impact on those around you both at work and in your community
- Inspire you to become active in community efforts that will make Jackson a better place to live
- Understand how to function in a changing workplace
- Create personal goals which will allow you to reflect and assess leadership concepts and skills for your future development

Why Should You Send Your Staff Through The Leadership Academy?

Empower your employees to achieve all of the points listed above as well as preserve institutional knowledge, enhance diversity, and develop the skills that will allow your employee to go above and beyond for you and your customers. This will also allow you to provide challenging, growth orientated and rewarding opportunities for your employees. Your business will see an immediate return on investment from employees who are Leadership Academy graduates.

**Are your employees worth
this investment?**



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