



July 5, 2011

Dear P2P Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in participating in the fourth annual P2P program. P2P was developed for young professionals that are new to Lakeland or have recently returned to Lakeland. P2P aims to enrich the professional development of Lakeland's young professionals by partnering them with existing EMERGE Lakeland members. Each event is aimed at connecting the participant with the Lakeland community, helping to retain good local talent and providing volunteer opportunities within the community. The participant fee of \$125 includes a one year EMERGE Lakeland membership.

Before you begin filling in your application, are you prepared to commit to your orientation, four (4) quarterly P2P events and two (2) EMERGE Lakeland events? You will also be asked to join one of the volunteer committees which meet monthly. If you are still interested, continue on. A list of the mandatory events is listed below:

Orientation	August 25, 2011	5:30 - 7:30pm	
Park & Recreation Event	August 3 , 2011	6:00pm – 9:00p	<i>Flying Tigers Game</i>
Non-Profit Event	November 11, 2011	10:00am – 12:00 pm	<i>United Way</i>
Industry & Development	January 24, 2012	10:00am – 12:00 pm	<i>TBD</i>
Education	April 19, 2012	10:00am – 12:00 am	<i>Florida Southern College</i>
Graduation	May 3, 2012	5:30pm – 7:30pm	

Please complete the attached application and submit along with a completed employer consent form to info@emergelakeland.com or EMERGE Lakeland, PO Box 3607, Lakeland, FL 33802-3607. All applications must be received by August 1, 2011 to be considered.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'C.R. Green', with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Cindy R. Green, Chair
EMERGE Lakeland





P2P Employer Consent Form

P2P Applicant Name: _____

Sponsoring Company: _____

Supervisor's Name: _____

Supervisor's Phone: _____

Supervisor's Email: _____

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Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Yes, our organization supports our applicant's participation in the events detailed above as a participant in the EMERGE Lakeland P2P program.

Supervisor's Signature: _____ Date: _____



PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: _____
Email: _____ Phone: _____
Hometown: _____
Length of time lived/worked in Lakeland: _____
What area of town do you currently live? _____
Marital status: _____ Number of children: _____ Their ages: _____
Have you ever served in the military? If so, what branch and when?

EDUCATION

High School: _____ Graduation year: _____
College: _____ Degree: _____
Grad School: _____ Degree: _____

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

Current employer: _____
Type of business/industry: _____
Business address: _____
Work phone: _____ Work fax: _____
Position/Title: _____
Length of time with current employer: _____

COMMUNITY/ORGANIZATION/ACTIVITY INFORMATION

List community/business/professional organizations and activities in which you have participated (*including academic, not limited to Lakeland*):

Organization	Positions Held	Dates
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

PROFILE

1. List something no one else knows about you.

2. What do you consider to be your most significant contribution, skill or achievement in your academic or professional career?

3. What do you hope to get out of the P2P program?

4. What do you hope to contribute to EMERGE Lakeland upon completing the P2P program?

5. What are your professional and/or personal goals for the next 3 years?

6. What area of community service is most important to you and why?

7. What are some of your hobbies & interests?

8. List your favorite sports (including teams) and activities:

9. What are your favorite movies, t.v. shows, books and types of music?

10. Do you consider anyone to be your hero and why?