

# Developing leadership and governance excellence

The **Building Community Leaders program** has been developed to enhance leadership and governance skills and risk management practices in Ontario's agricultural societies and, by extension, the agri-food sector.

Each 2-day workshop delivers leadership, governance, risk management practices and community engagement skills to participants using an experiential approach.

## Our Leaders

Current and future leaders from agricultural societies across Ontario join together to learn, grow and be inspired by each other and top ag-sector leaders.

### TO DATE



10+

Agricultural  
Districts  
Represented



90+

Participants



20+

Agricultural  
Societies  
Represented



## What participants are saying about the program:

*"I learned how to better flex my style and preferences to support other team members, and to better understand how I can elicit feedback and comments from the team."*

*"The facilitators were great, seminar topics were relevant and I was able to take key points from each."*

*"I learned that acceptance of all different personalities and problem-solving ideas are what make boards unique and more likely successful towards end goals."*

*"I have learned the knowledge and understanding behind my style and others' styles. With this knowledge I can now build tools that will fit the scenarios and groups we have, with the confidence to implement it."*



London



Perth

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