United Way Emerging Leaders is a network of community-minded professionals who work together to give, connect, build skills, and volunteer to lead change for a better tomorrow for our community. Nearly 900 members strong, local people like you combine their talents, time, leadership, and energy to change the future for decades to come. United Way donors who invest at least $300 annually have access to this program and a wide variety of exclusive opportunities throughout the year.

**WHY YOU SHOULD JOIN US**

- Grow professionally and personally with exclusive leadership-based programming led by influential community leaders
- Network and create connections that will inspire you and give you the tools you need to continue on your path of personal and professional growth
- Help our neighbors most in need through exclusive invitations to hands-on volunteer opportunities
- See our community through a new perspective, and understand how you can be involved to make a difference

**JOIN TODAY**

Being a member provides you with so many unique opportunities to connect, grow, learn, and maximize your impact in our community. We would love to have you! There are just two things you need to do:

1. Invest at least $300 annually in United Way – that is less than $6 a week. Submit your pledge today and check the box to join Emerging Leaders!
2. Over the next year, volunteer 8 hours of your time at United Way-led events and/or your own volunteer endeavors.

**LEARN MORE**

You can find more information at our website, unitedwaycassclay.org, or email our team at emergingleaders@unitedwaycassclay.org. #WeLeadUNITED
THE EMERGING LEADERS EXPERIENCE

When you join Emerging Leaders, you receive 12 months of access to exclusive in-person and virtual programming designed to help you grow and connect as a leader. There’s something for everyone, with unique events every month to engage with the work of United Way, connect, build skills, and volunteer with community-minded professionals like you.

“Being involved with United Way and Emerging Leaders for the past 3 years has filled my bucket more than I can imagine. Through the various events, seminars, and opportunities I have gained a greater perspective for our community and the importance of investing in our community. I’ve realized that there are various circumstances that impact an individual’s life and as a community, together we can bring awareness and tackle the root causes.”

– Karissa Hofer, Discovery Benefits-a WEX Company, Emerging Leaders Member

EXAMPLES OF PAST PROGRAMMING

• How Great Leaders Activate Personal Growth to Achieve Professional Goals with Kara Jorvig
• Coffee & Concepts: Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Panel with Smita Garg, Kelsey Gordon, Christina Lindseth, Jered Pigeon, and Colette Campbell
• Virtual Lunch & Learn: Leading Through Influence with Kristi Huber
• Coffee & Concepts: Financial Literacy Through Philanthropy & Goal Setting with Bret Kinzler and Sarah Nikle
• Volunteer & Connect: Books and Brews Literacy Kit Building
• Volunteering & Social at the United Way School Supply Drive

To see upcoming Emerging Leaders programming, visit our website: unitedwaycassclay.org

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