



L'Evate

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Our History

L'Evate was formed in 1997 by community partners who had a vision to mentor the next generation of leaders connected to the community. In 2019, the organization, which was formally known as Leadership Donelson-Hermitage, rebranded their name to L'Evate. The organization boasts more than 500 graduates—all individuals who work or live in the community and are dedicated to supporting the mission on L'Evate.

Mission Statement

To enhance leadership abilities, foster opportunities and improve the quality of life in the community.

Value Statement

To inspire and maintain a culture of diversity, equity and inclusion of all kinds where everyone in our community has the opportunity to be seen and heard in equal ways.

L'Evate Objectives

Partner and Build

Promote and support partnerships through understanding community needs

Engage and Commit

Expand the vision and focus on vital issues affecting the community

Recruit and Include

Identify current and emerging leaders

Learn and Lead

Provide opportunities for personal growth through the development of leadership skills.



L'Evate Programs

The L'Evate programs are for individuals who live or work in Hermitage, Donelson, Old Hickory or City Side.

Business Leadership

The business program enhances leadership abilities, fosters local opportunities and strengthens individuals' personal and professional development.

Modern, Mature, & Motivated (M3)

The M3 program is a leadership program for dynamic active senior adults who are eager to use their experience to benefit themselves and to impact the community.

Youth Excelling in Learning Leadership (YELL)

The YELL program provides youth the opportunity to take an inside look at many facets of our community, meet business leaders and explore opportunities to guide their future.



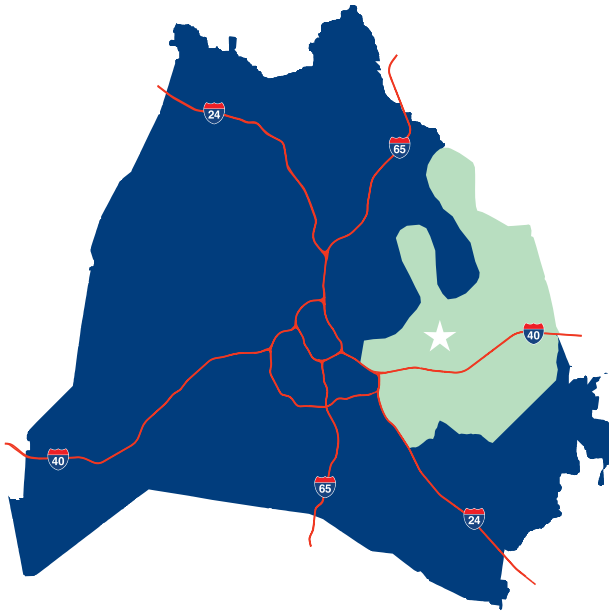
Benefits

Through the L'Evate programs, individuals are exposed to multiple opportunities for personal and professional growth and are encouraged to engage through:

- *Networking with business and community leaders*
- *Leadership development*
- *Education services*
- *Community engagement opportunities*

To apply for the L'Evate program, please visit:
levate.org





L'Evate Service Area

The L'Evate program serves the following communities:

**Donelson
Hermitage
Old Hickory
City Side**

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