



Benefits of Lead Bay Area and Lead LA



Grows Network

Lead Fellows join a network of 15,000+ Coro alumni nationwide. 99% of Lead Fellowship alumni agree the program expanded their professional network.



Enhances Work

Lead Fellows boost their confidence as they learn strategies for complex challenges and receive access to regional decision makers.



Develops Skills

Through adaptive thinking, Lead Fellows strengthen their leadership, communication, collaboration, and team management skills. They also expand capacity for strategic decision-making and problem-solving.



Deepens Knowledge

Lead Fellows explore current issues facing Greater LA and the Bay Area, and build a supportive cross-sector network of peers and issue-area experts to help address solutions.

Learn More



www.coroca.org/programs/lead

Joel Valencia

Lead Bay Area 2022-23

“Lead Bay Area connected me to leaders who are doing incredible work in their respective fields. These relationships will undoubtedly have lasting positive effects on my capacity to exercise leadership and effect change in the low-income Bay Area communities I serve.”



Ashley Portillo-Baloy

Lead LA 2022-23

“Coro is one of the biggest bets you can make on yourself. Take a chance on yourself, apply, and join the powerful Coro network of civic, business, and community leaders who are all actively working to make their communities a better place!”





THE LEAD
FELLOWSHIPS

Preparing Individuals to Drive Transformational Impact

Ideal Candidates

- ✓ Live, work, or serve communities in either Greater Los Angeles or the San Francisco Bay Area
- ✓ Eager for professional leadership development and looking to expand professional networks
- ✓ Committed to deepening leadership capacity with a cohort of peers
- ✓ Interested in learning about regional challenges and how to address them
- ✓ Currently in or pursuing leadership or management roles
- ✓ Can commit to meeting for the scheduled sessions

Program Components

Cadence: Part-time fellowship meeting 1-2 days per month from September to May

Opening Retreat: Build relationships and explore core leadership tools through an immersive weekend retreat

Logic Study: Investigate a key regional system through tours, interviews, and research, practicing leadership skills, self-awareness, and team management

Leadership Forums: Immersive, expert-led sessions to develop practical leadership skills

Issue Days: Cohort-led explorations into civic challenges, fostering collaboration, strategic thinking, and cross-sector problem-solving

Benefits of Coro Training

Coro offers unparalleled expertise in leadership development with over 80 years of experience.



Experiential & Immersive

Hands-on activities merge theory with practice, build skills, and foster a growth mindset.



Cohort-Based

Connect with other regional professionals from diverse backgrounds to learn their perspectives.



The Impact

Over 95% of recent alumni agree that participating in Lead Fellowships increased their leadership skills.

Learn More



www.coroca.org/programs/lead