

OHLA WIL CONNECT & Under 30 Gateway Mentorship Program Registration Form

One of the unique benefits of WIL CONNECT & Under 30 membership is the Gateway Mentorship Program that matches new or less-experienced lodging professionals with a seasoned professional.

Please complete, scan and email this form to the attention of Cindy Sams, <u>cindy@ohla.org</u> with a short bio and résumé to assist in the pairing of mentors and mentees.

| Name: | | |
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| Title: | | |
| Company Name: | | |
| Address: | | |
| City: | State: | Zip: |
| Work Phone: | (Optional) Cell: | |
| E-mail: | | |
| I am interested in being a (check one): Mentor | | Mentee |
| l prefer a (check one): Male | Female | No Preference |
| l prefer someone in my geographic a | rea (check one): Yes | No No Preference |
| My property/employer is an OHLA/A I am an individual member of OHLA | | |

Please rank your top 5 interests in the subject areas below; and answer the two objective questions. We cannot always match specific requests, but will do the best to facilitate a pairing best suited to your needs.

| Accounting | Hotel Manager | Security |
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| Business Development | Human Resources | Sommelier |
| Customer Service | Kitchen Management | Spa Management |
| Entertainment | Marketing/PR | Sports/Golf/Fitness |
| Commercial Real-estate | Planning | Trainee |
| F&B | Purchasing | Transportation |
| Finance | Revenue Management | Travel Counselor |
| Gaming | Room Management | Unit Management |
| Guest Services | Sales | |

What objectives/anticipated outcomes do you want to achieve from your mentor/mentee relationship?

What type of format, frequency, and duration will work best for you in the mentoring process?

Thank you for your participation in the WIL CONNECT & Under 30 Gateway Mentorship Program! Ohio Hotel & Lodging Association, 692 N High St, Suite 212, Columbus, OH 43215 614.461.6462

Mentorship Program Guidelines

Mentor:

- Collaborates to schedule meeting times
- Learns about mentee's strengths, weaknesses, and interests
- Assists with goal-setting and measuring
- Challenges mentee to try new experiences, learn about new topics, and meet new people
- Periodically checks in and follows up with mentee
- Is committed to extending guidance and resources to mentee
- Remains accessible and engaged throughout mentorship
- Shares advice/insight
- Offers feedback
- Does not patronize or "look down upon" mentee

Mentee:

- Defines what he/she wants to get out of the relationship
- Thinks about strengths, weaknesses, and interests for self and mentor
- Collaborates to schedule meeting times
- Sets meeting agendas
- Respects the schedule of the mentor
- Is upfront about paths or opportunities that are not of interest
- Is honest and open to experience and learning
- Is proactive
- Creates goals and plans regular reviews of progress
- Follows through on commitments
- Respects and takes advantage of the opportunities presented by the mentor

