

2022-2023 Emerging Leaders Program Application

Eligibility Requirements: The CIRB Emerging Leaders Program is open to all employees of Crop Insurance and Reinsurance Bureau (CIRB) member companies. Applicants must be nominated by a CIRB member company and are required to pay an initial fee set each year by the CIRB Executive Committee as well as they must pay their own travel costs for all events. To apply, fill out the application below and submit the required paperwork. The program will take place from August 2022 to April 2023. Applicants who are selected must commit to participating in the full program schedule of events. Visit <http://cropinsurance.org> for details.

Deadline and Submission: Applications must be emailed to Perry Harlow (pharlow@torreydc.com) by **June 20, 2022, at 11:59 PM EST**.

Applications: Once you have completed and signed the application, please send the following items to Perry Harlow at pharlow@torreydc.com:

- Signed Emerging Leaders Program Agreement
- Resume
- Short Biography (in 3rd person)
 - 1st Sentence – Your title and what company you work for.
 - 2nd Sentence – What you do in your role.
 - 3rd Sentence – Background (school, major, industry experience, etc.)
 - 4th Sentence – Hobbies (family, favorite sports, favorite team, volunteer, etc.)
- Professional photo (1:1 ratio or square)

Up to 10 applicants will be accepted to the program. Applicants not selected will have the option to re-apply in the following year.



**2022-2023 CIRB Emerging Leaders Program
Contact Page & Time Commitment Agreement**

The applicant should carefully read this time commitment form and application before completing it. This application must be emailed to Perry Harlow (pharlow@torreydc.com) by **June 20, 2022, at 11:59 EST.**

Applicant Contact Information

Name **Email**

Title **Company**

Home Address (Street, City, State, Zip Code)

Work Address (Street, City, State, Zip Code)

Phone Number

Nominated by **Nominator's Email**

Time Commitment*

August 2022 – Announcement of the 8th Emerging Leaders Program Class and Introductory Call

September 2022 – Webinar, “Introduction to CIRB”; Webinar, “Crop Insurance Legal Update”

October 25-26, 2022 – Executive Committee Meeting | Denver, Colorado

November 2022 – Social Media Engagement Call

December 5-6, 2022 – Industry Networking | Overland Park, Kansas

January 2023 – Congressional District Office Meetings

February 8-10, 2023 – CIRB Annual Meeting | Bonita Springs, Florida

March 2023 – Reinsurance Webinar

April 18-20, 2023 – CIRB Spring Fly-In and Policy Conference | Washington, D.C.

**The schedule is tentative and subject to change.*

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I hereby certify the information on this entry form and attached application to be accurate to the best of my knowledge. I agree to participate in all Emerging Leaders Program events to the best of my ability.

Applicant Signature

Date



2022 - 2023 Application Questions

1) Describe your professional background and interest in the crop insurance and reinsurance industry.

2) Explain what types of qualities you hope to develop through the Emerging Leaders Program.

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3) Have you ever participated in a fly-in or lobby day in Washington, D.C.? If so, what was the topic you were advocating for? Why do you think advocacy is important?

4) Why do you want to become a CIRB Emerging Leader?

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5) Have you participated in any CIRB events or programs?

6) Please list any social media outlets (i.e. Twitter, LinkedIn) that you utilize for professional use. Please share links to your public social media accounts. *(The response does not have to be in essay format.)*

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- 7) Describe your comfort level with using these social media tools on a professional level and share messages with your peers online.

Please e-mail your application, resume, a short biography, and a professional photo to Perry Harlow (pharlow@torreydc.com) by **June 20, 2022, at 11:59 EST**. In the subject line, put "CIRB Emerging Leaders Program Application - Your Name".

Please sign your name below to indicate that the attached statements are accurate to the best of your knowledge.

Signature

Date