



Greenville Chamber
**MINORITY BUSINESS
 ACCELERATOR**

Deadline for receiving application
 is November 15, 2019 by 5pm.

Minority Business Accelerator 2020 Cohort Application

Full Legal Name: MR MS MRS _____
LAST NAME/FAMILY NAME FIRST MIDDLE

Business Name: _____

Business Address: _____
STREET

CITY STATE ZIP

Business Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Business Website: _____ Email: _____

Industry: _____

Please provide a brief description of your business:

When did you start/buy your business?: ____ / ____
MONTH YEAR

Are you the 100% owner? YES NO

If you are not the 100% owner, what percent do you own? _____

Number of current employees: Fulltime _____ Part-time _____ Contractors _____

Please select all the categories that apply to you as the applicant:

- Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White or Caucasian
 American Indian Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Origin Veteran LGBTQ

Total gross annual revenue for past three years (if applicable):

_____ 2016 _____ 2017 _____ 2018

PLEASE TELL US MORE ABOUT YOUR BUSINESS AND INTEREST IN THE MBA PROGRAM:

Where do you see your business in three years?

What are the “Top Three Things” you want to get out of the MBA program?

Please describe how you would plan to manage your time effectively to ensure active involvement in the MBA program:

How did you hear about the MBA program? (Please check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Program Alumni | <input type="checkbox"/> Government | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Organization |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Online Media | <input type="checkbox"/> Print Media | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chamber Website | <input type="checkbox"/> Mail or Email | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

- I understand that in order to participate I must be a member of the Greenville Chamber or willing to secure my membership prior to program start date.
- I understand that I must have the desire to grow my business and hire employees or contractors and not be a lifestyle business.
- I understand that to participate I must have a financial software system in place by start of program.
- I understand that if selected a \$500 nonrefundable participation fee is required prior to program start date.
- I understand that part of the evaluation for selection into the MBA program is an interview with program facilitators and I agree to make myself available. *(Interviews are tentatively scheduled between 11/18/19 - 12/13/19).*

Once application is complete, save and send via email to Nika White at nikawhiteconsulting@greenvillechamber.org or print and mail a physical copy to **Greenville Chamber, 24 Cleveland Street, Greenville, SC 29601** by November 15, 2019.